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Massachusetts Department of Conservation and Recreation  
Wachusett Mountain State Reservation



Henry David Thoreau, a famous lover of wildflowers, wrote:  
*“And so the seasons went rolling on into summer,  
as rambles into higher and higher grass.”*

Wachusett Mountain State Reservation is home to a wide variety of wildflowers thanks to a protected environment comprised of several different habitats, including fresh-water beaver ponds, vernal pools, rocky ledges, upland mixed deciduous forest, and dense stands of conifers in shady ravines.

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