

Mayor Michael J. Bonfanti Nature Trail and Conservation Area Ecological Communities



South Peabody Trail links approximately 300 acres of South Peabody's city-owned open space properties. The connected open spaces help enable wildlife movement and support ecosystem processes. Walking along the trail, you can observe some of the flora and fauna who live here or use this area as a resting stop on their migratory route.

Spring and Sydney's Ponds provide valuable wildlife habitat for resident and migrant birds.



White Breasted Nuthatch



Great Blue Heron



Black-capped Chickadee



Ruby-crowned Kinglet

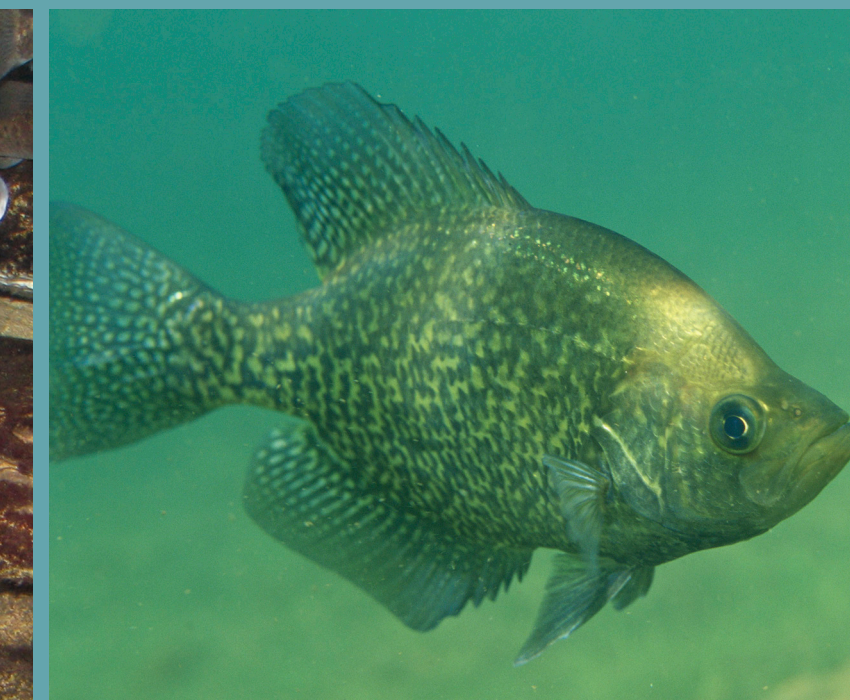
Local fisherman have identified the following species in Sydney's Pond:



Bluegill



Golden Shiner



Black Crappie



Yellow Bullfish

The freshwater wetland that borders Sydney's Pond provides a connection between terrestrial and aquatic environments. Native plants that can be found here include:



Red Maple



White Pine



Gray Birch



Summersweet



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