

Mexico – Androscoggin River Site

Coordinates:

Location: Mexico, Maine. Off Route 2 near downtown Mexico. This is a new ramp in the parking area behind the Mexico shopping center and Town Office in downtown. Going westerly on Rt. 2, site is the third right after crossing the Swift River Bridge from Rumford (Riverside Drive). From the east, access is by the first left after the Mexico Congregational Church. The launch is located behind the Mexico Town Office.

Owner: Town of Mexico

Manager: Town of Mexico

Launch facilities:

This site was added to the trail in the late summer of 2010. There is a short ramp leading from the paved public parking area behind the shopping center.

Parking:

There is adequate space for cars and vehicles with trailers.



Miles to downstream access: 9 Amenities:

There is a gazebo located behind the town office that is suitable for a lunch spot.

Water conditions:

The Androscoggin has moderate current with areas of gentle to moderate rips downstream.

There are several islands located opposite Dixfield Village just after the mouth of the Webb River. In low water conditions paddlers should stay river right of the islands. There may be stone beaches available for a brief stop-over on the paddle downriver.

General Comments:

Groceries/eateries as well as some other stores are available nearby.