**Directions:** 

- 1. From I-81 Take US 55 West.
- 2. Travel approximately 19.1 miles. Pass convenience store/gas station (Shell, True Value, Car Quest Auto Parts). Turn left on to Sanfield Road just before Junction with RT 259.
- 3. Turn left at next intersection (Un-signed North Mountain Rd.).
- 4. Pass a few houses and then turn right onto Waites Run Rd. Pass J. Allen Hawkins Community Park on the left and Stone Crest Community on the right.
- 5. Travel about 6.5 miles. Cross a one-lane bridge. Park at closest pullover to the bridge.

<u>Trail Notes:</u> From Waite's Run proceed down stream on the Blue-blazed Tuscarora Trail. At this point it is an old forest road. The road will climb slightly as the stream curves away.

Turn right onto a rocky footpath, climbing steeply along the side of the ridge along a series of switchbacks. The grade becomes straighter and lesser as it now slowly climbs to the top of the ridge. Continue on until you reach the Gerhard shelter at about 4.5 miles.

Turn right and descend quickly down an un-named white connector trail to FDR 371. Turn left and follow the forest road until you come to a gate and then yellow blazes to your right.

Follow the yellow blazes. Cross Patty Run and turn right (upstream). You are now on Vance's Cove Trail. Follow this to the intersection of orangeblazed Racer Camp Hollow Trail on your left and yellow-blazed Wilson Cove Trail on your right. They actually are the same forest road. Turn right onto Wilson Cove Trail and follow it back to your car.