



South Lawson Waterfall Circuit

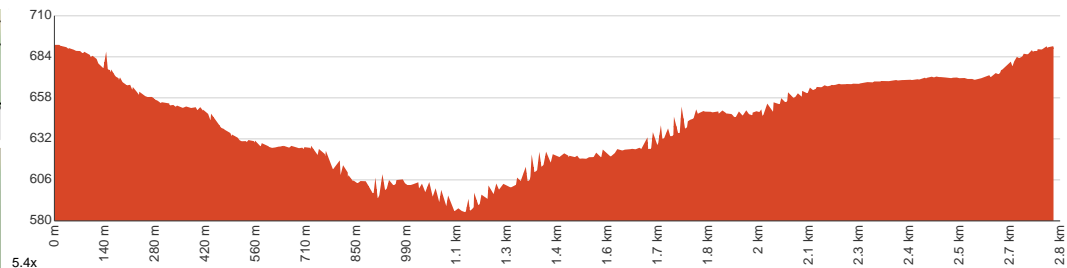
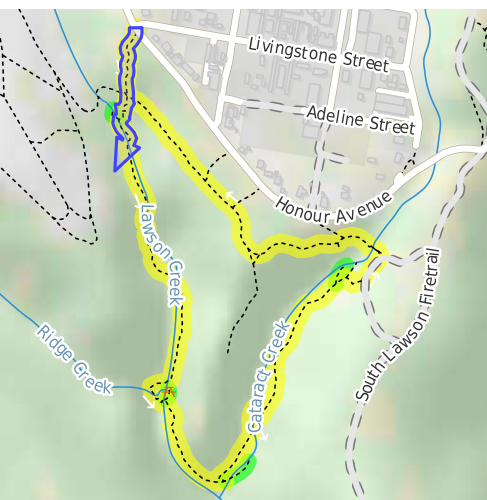
 1 h to 1 h 30 min


2.8 km
Circuit


↑ 143 m
↓ 144 m


Moderate track

Starting from the car park on Honour Avenue, Lawson, this walk takes you on a circuit around the Blue Mountains, visiting Cataract, Adelina Junction and Federal Falls. This relaxing walk awards you with views of 4 different falls and a chance to see the wildlife as you traverse. Additionally, the plantation is quite diverse and suitable for enthusiasts. You might want to visit the area after rainfall as the water flow intensifies and the scent of the beautiful forest surrounds you through the walk. The texture of the track is muddy, especially after heavy rainfall, so you might want to bring your waterproof shoes, along with drinking water and something to bite on. Let us begin by acknowledging the Traditional Custodians of the land on which we travel today, and pay our respects to their Elders past and present.

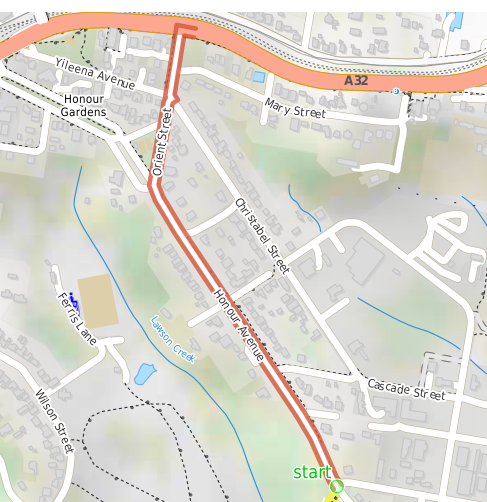


Class 3 of 6
Formed track, with some branches and other obstacles

Quality of track	Formed track, with some branches and other obstacles (3/6)
Gradient	Short steep hills (3/6)
Signage	Clearly signposted (2/6)
Infrastructure	Limited facilities, not all cliffs are fenced (3/6)
Experience Required	Some bushwalking experience recommended (3/6)
Weather	Weather generally has little impact on safety (2/6)

Getting to the start: From Great Western Highway, A32, Lawson.

- Turn on to Orient Street then drive for 125 m
- Turn slight left onto Christabel Street and drive for another 7 m
- Turn right onto Orient Street and drive for another 170 m
- Turn slight left onto Honour Avenue and drive for another 670 m



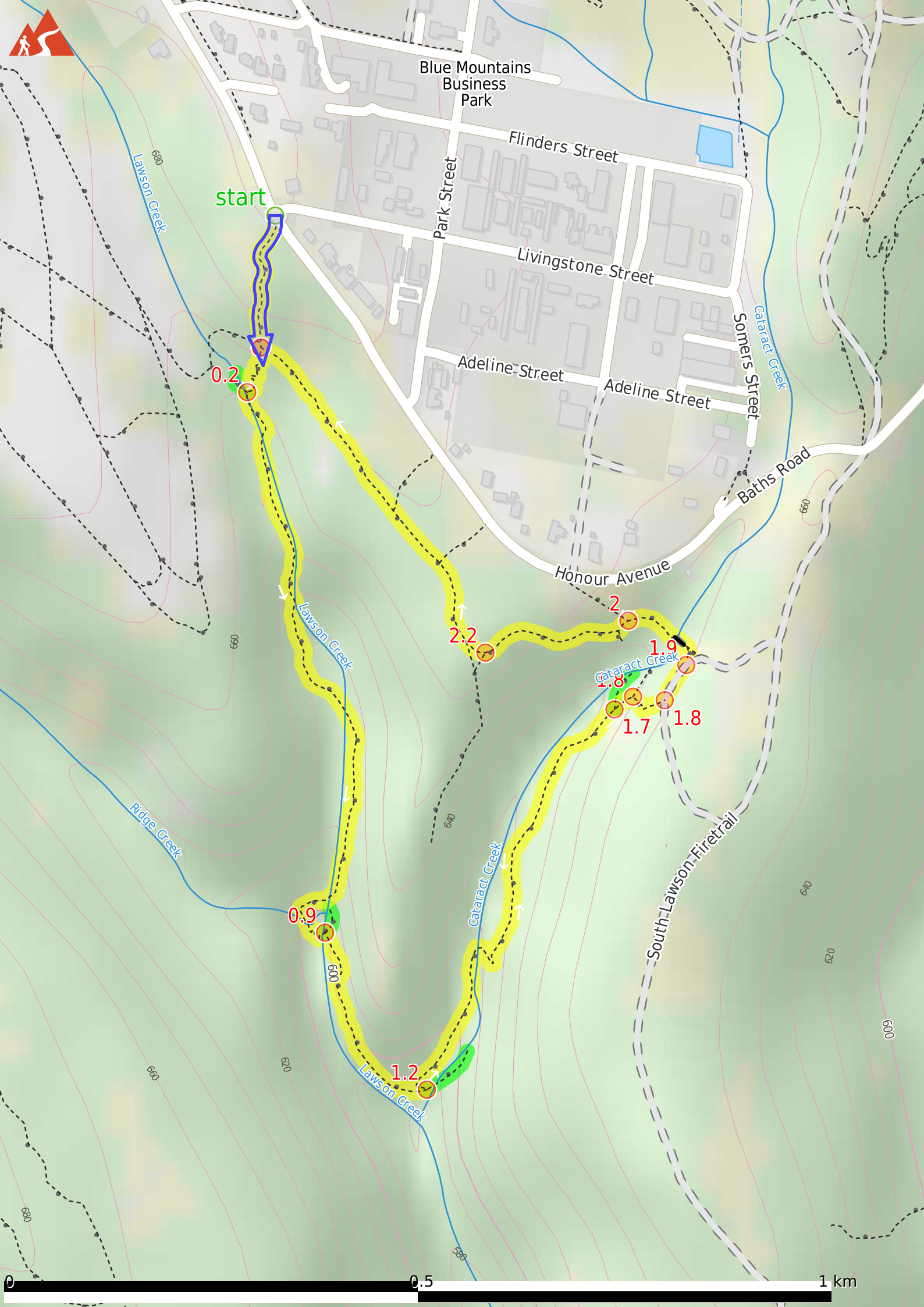
Before you start any journey ensure you;

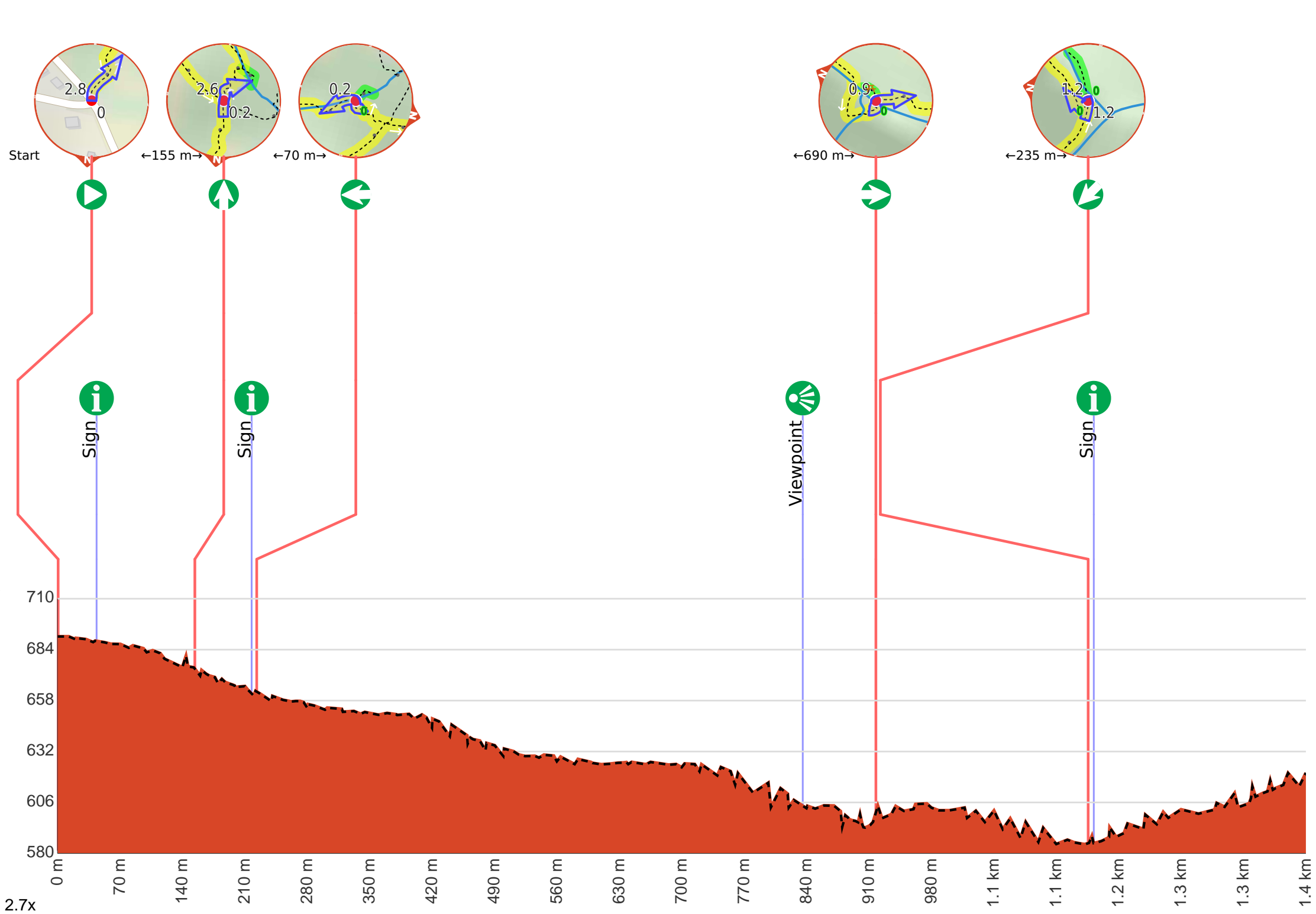
- Tell someone you trust where you are going and what to do if you are late returning
- Have adequate equipment, supplies, skills & knowledge to undertake this journey safely
- Consider weather forecasts, park/track closures & fire dangers
- Can respond to emergencies & call for help at any point
- Are healthy and fit enough for this journey

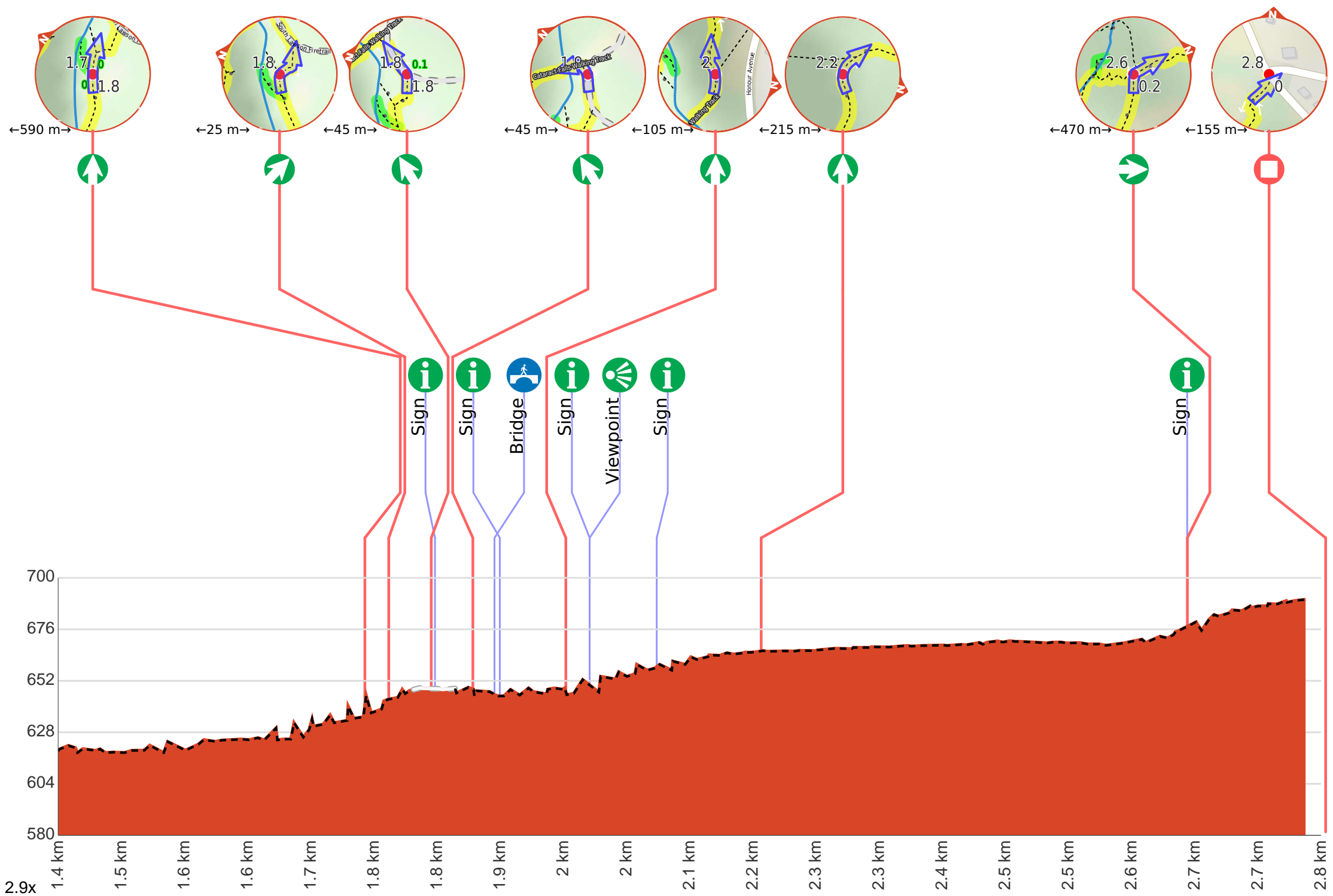
If not, change plans and stay safe. It is okay to delay and ask people for help.

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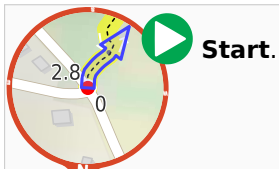




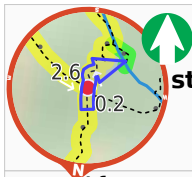




Getting started: From the car park at the intersection of Honour Avenue and Livingstone Street, head towards the subtle dirt walking track along the paved path, moving directly away from the road. Follow this track as it meanders into the woodland for about 150 metres, then continue straight at the 4-way intersection to continue along South Lawson Waterfall Circuit (counterclockwise).

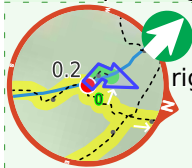


i After 45 m pass the sign.



i After another 65 m pass the sign.

Start of an optional side trip: An optional little side trip taking you closer to Adelina Falls.

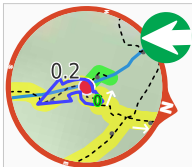


i After another 30 m come to "Adelina Falls".

The end.

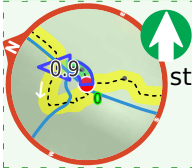
Turn around and retrace your steps back the 30 m to the main route.

Back at the main route turn left and follow on from the 220 m waypoint.



i After another 610 m come to the viewpoint (on your left).

Start of an optional side trip: This side trip takes you to Junction Falls.



A After 20 m pass the picnic table (on your right).

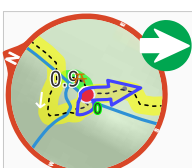
i After another 15 m come to "Junction Falls".

The end.

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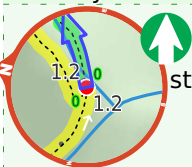
Back at the main route turn left and follow on from the 910 m waypoint.

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i After another 245 m pass the sign.

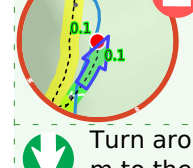
Start of an optional side trip: This little side trip takes you to Federal Falls and back.



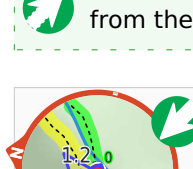
To start this optional side trip continue straight here. Start.



The end.



Back at the main route veer right and follow on from the 1.2 km waypoint.



i After another 570 m pass the sign.

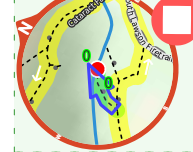
i After another 35 m pass the sign.



Start of an optional side trip: This side trip takes you to the bottom of Cataract Falls.

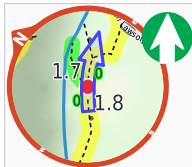


i After another 45 m come to "Cataract Falls".

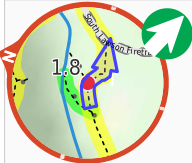


Turn around and retrace your steps back the 45 m to the main route.

Back at the main route turn sharp left and follow on from the 1.7 km waypoint.



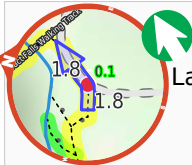
Continue straight.



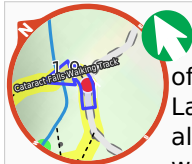
After another 25 m **veer right.**



After another 50 m pass the sign.



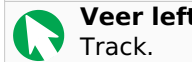
Veer left, to head along South Lawson Firetrail.



After another 45 m (at the intersection of Cataract Falls Walking Track & South Lawson Firetrail) **veer left**, to head along Cataract Falls Walking Track (a walking track).



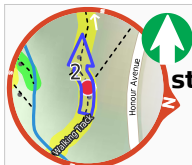
After another 30 m pass the sign.



Veer left, to head along Cataract Falls Walking Track.



Then cross the bridge (about 15 m long)



After another 65 m **continue straight.**



After another 25 m pass the sign.



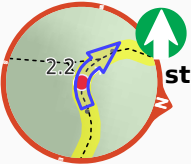
Then come to the viewpoint (10 m on your left).



Veer right.



After another 85 m pass the sign.



After another 115 m **continue straight.**



After another 30 m **continue straight.**



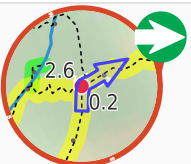
After another 95 m **continue straight.**



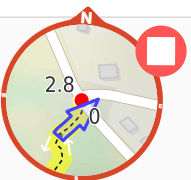
After another 80 m **continue straight.**



After another 270 m pass the sign.



Turn right.



After another 155 m come to the end.