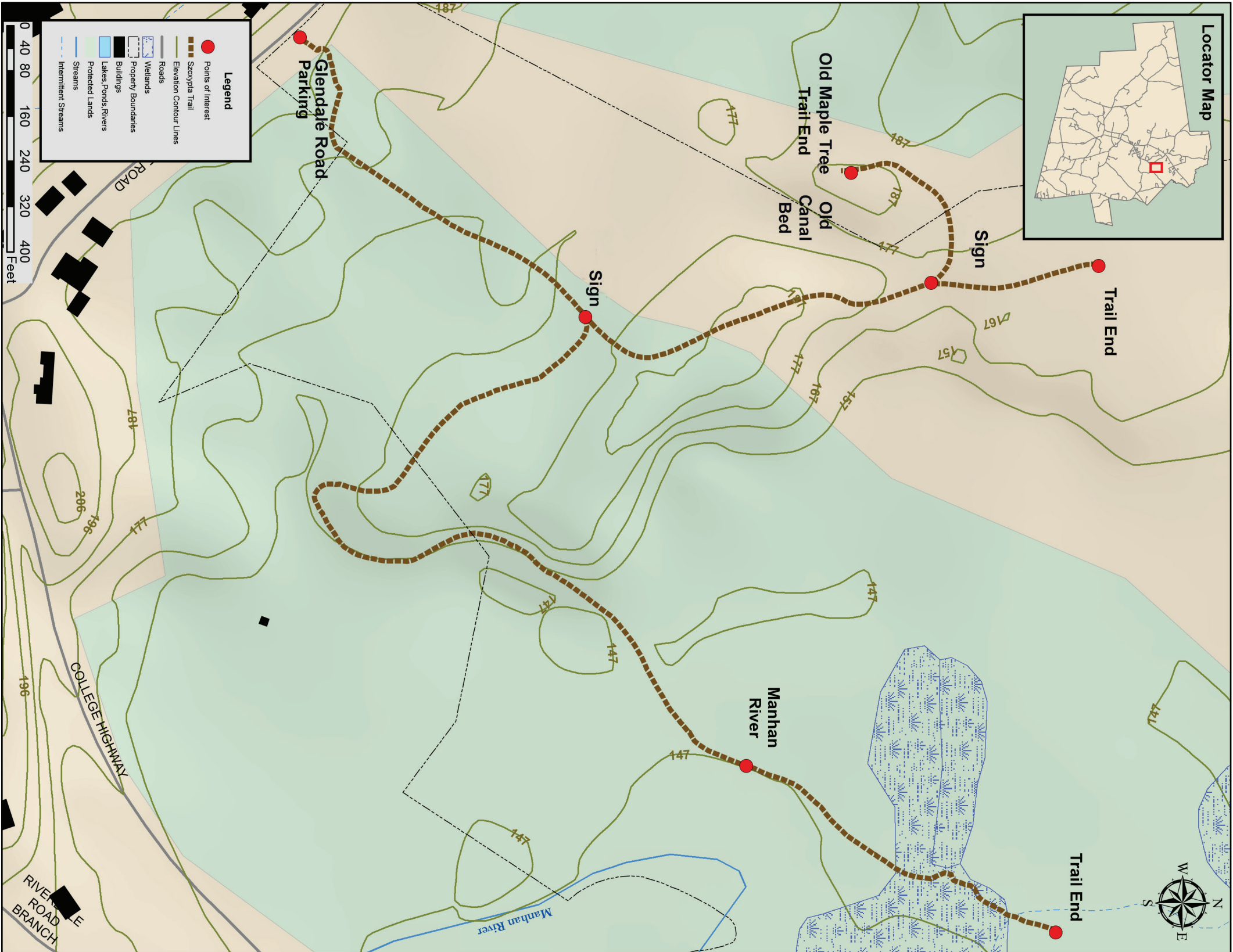




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This farm was originally purchased in 1913 by Joseph and Anna Szczypta, both of whom were born in Poland. Anna was living with relatives in Easthampton when she met Joseph. They were married in January of 1910: Anna was 20, Joseph 26. They had a total of 10 children, five boys and five girls. The children attended the North School in District #2, the small single room school house in Conant Park, which at the time was located near the corner of Pomeroy Meadow and Glendale Roads.



Two of the sisters still reside in the main farmhouse on Glendale Road. In 1942, the family expanded the property to incorporate the Hanmon Farm that included the Red Barn on the east side of Route 10. The farm was primarily a dairy farm with as many as 75 cows but did raise crops of tobacco, potatoes, cabbage, and hay. The Red Barn was considered the “Maternity Ward” for the cows. Pigs were also raised on the property. Around 1994, when the farm work was considered to be too much, they arranged with Hazel Young, an early advocate of conservation in Southampton, to preserve the farm property by means of a state grant. The 103-acre site lies on both sides of Route 10 adjacent to the Manhan River and

includes the red barn, old pastures, still active hay fields, and remnants of the Northampton-New Haven Canal. The Szczypta Conservation Farm is managed by the Southampton Conservation Commission for the protection of the town’s water supply and the enjoyment of the residents of Southampton.



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