

Boardman's Lenticular Bridge
On Boardman's Road over Housatonic River
New Milford
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UTM: 18.629150.4605560
Quad: New Milford

Date of Construction: 1888

Designer: Berlin Iron Bridge Company

Present Owner: Connecticut Department of Transportation

Significance: 188 feet in length, in 1984 this bridge was the longest lenticular truss in the State. Aside from redecking, the bridge retains almost all of its historic integrity. It is scheduled for replacement in 1985.

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