



APPALACHIAN TRAIL 2,000-MILER APPLICATION



The Appalachian Trail Conservancy (ATC) recognizes anyone who reports completion of the entire Trail as a "2,000-miler." The term is a matter of tradition and convenience, based upon the original estimated length of the Trail. Conservancy policy is to operate on an honor system, assuming that those who apply for 2000-miler status have hiked all of the A.T. between Katahdin and Springer Mountain, either as a thru-hiker or in sections. In the event of an emergency, such as a flood, a forest fire, or an impending storm, blue-blazed trails or officially required roadwalks are viable substitutes for the white-blazed route. Issues of sequence, direction, speed, length of time or whether one carries a pack are not considered. ATC assumes that those who apply have made an honest effort to walk the entire Trail, even if they did not walk past every white blaze. If you meet these standards, please complete and sign the form below.

I, _____, verify that I have hiked the entire length of the Appalachian Trail.
(Please print name legibly so we can provide the correct spelling of your name on your certificate)

X _____ (signature) _____ (date)

Trail name (nickname) _____ Age _____ *(at the end of your hike)*

Street _____ Race / Ethnic Heritage _____

City, state, Zip _____ Male Female

Country _____ ATC Member Yes No

Country of origin if different) _____ Email _____

Phone (_____) _____

Occasionally other hikers and academic researchers (studying A.T.-related topics) will ask for your address, phone number, and e-mail. May we give out this information? Yes No

SECTION-HIKE *More than 1 year* THRU-HIKE Northbound *Georgia to Maine* Southbound *Maine to Georgia* Flip-Flop *Starting or ending somewhere other than Maine or Georgia*

Starting Date: _____ (month) (day) (year) Finishing Date: _____ (month) (day) (year)

Please circle how you would like your certificate to read:

Springer to Katahdin

Katahdin to Springer

Hike completions reported prior to **December 31** may be listed in a future edition of ATC's member magazine, *A.T. Journeys*, and on ATC's website. If you do **not** want to be included in this listing, check here .

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Do not write below this line

Received: _____ Read: _____

Entered in database: _____ Key #: _____ ATC Photo #: _____

Certificate sent _____ Published: _____

