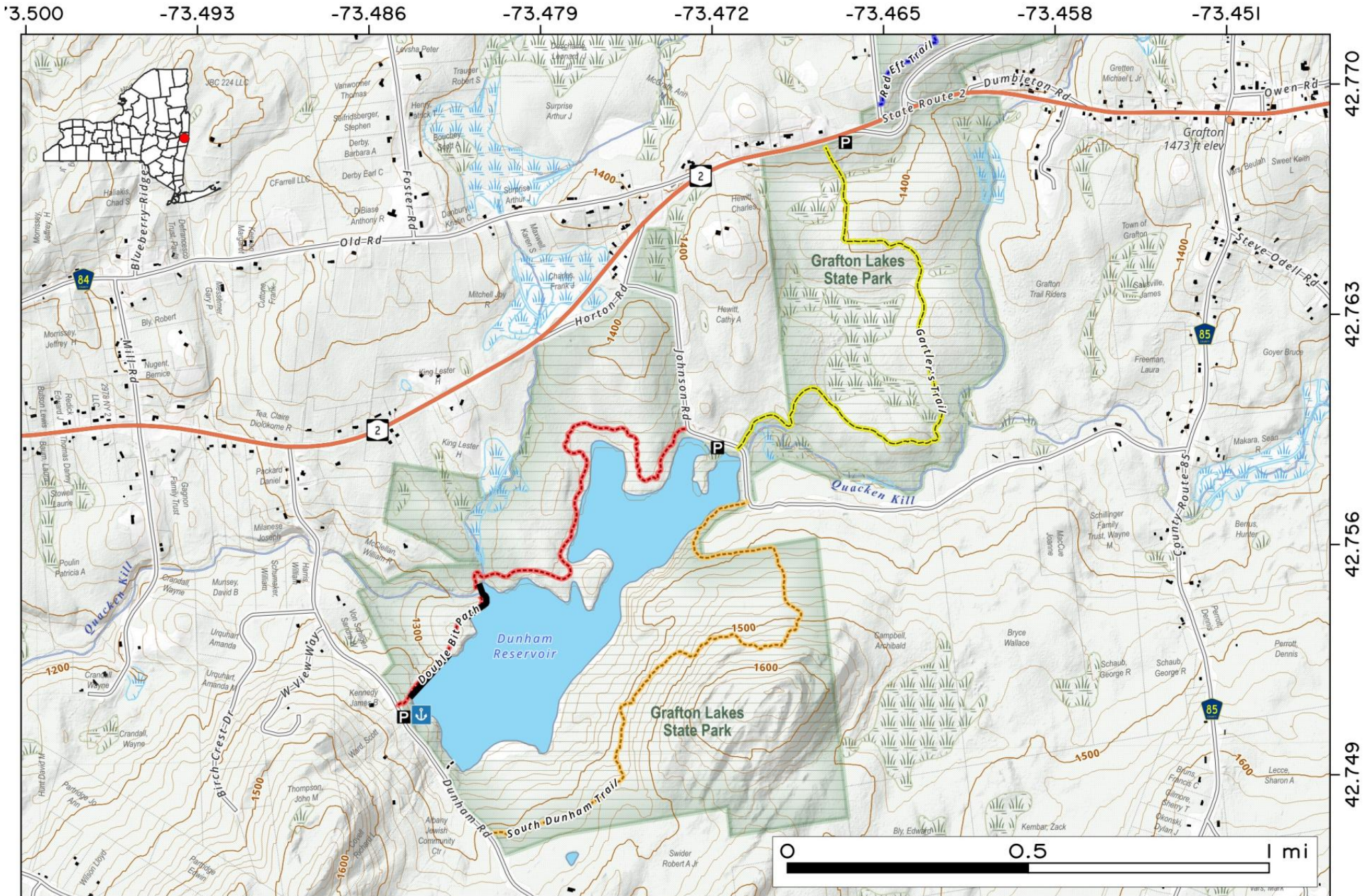


Dunham Lake is a recreational lake within Grafton Lakes State Park in Grafton, New York. Constructed in 1911 as a water source for the City of Troy, it now offers opportunities for quiet recreation, including kayaking, fishing, hiking, and nature watching. The future of this lake is currently a subject of local debate, with discussions surrounding the repair or removal of its aging dam.



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Dunham Reservoir at Grafton Lakes State Park is a 98-acre lake in Rensselaer County, New York, with 3.8 miles of shoreline and a maximum depth of 30 feet. Originally built as a water source for Troy in 1911, it's now used for recreation, including fishing, boating with electric motors only, and hiking. The reservoir supports various fish species, such as smallmouth bass, chain pickerel, and yellow perch. Its future is uncertain due to the deteriorating dam, with options ranging from rehabilitation to removal being considered.

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