

Scenic area **Sandy River Beach**

View Points

County Washington District: Englishman's Bay

Subdistricts Jonesport-Beals

DESKTOP ANALYSIS

Land Form	Score	
Elevation	2	
Slope	2	
Open Land	1	
Shoreline	4	
Features	7	Coastal islands, sand bars

Scenic Quality of Water

Duration	6	
Type	12	
Horizon	7	Views to open water, island provide som

FIELD ANALYSIS

Score		
Landscape Characte		
Land Use	5	Generally positive: camps in foregrou
Roadside	4	
Settlement	6	
Vegetation	7	
Effect	6	
Field Total	28	
Desk Total	41	
Grand Total	69	

Description of Scenic Area:

Sandy River Beach scenic area is located in the town of Jonesport on the eastern side of the peninsula, looking out at Englishman's Bay and Roque Island. The scenic area includes a small cluster of shorefront homes framing spectacular views of undeveloped coastal islands opening out on the Gulf of Maine. Sandy River Beach is subject to notable tidal variation; and a sand bar connecting small coastal islands to the mainland at low tide. The area is popular with kayakers and boaters arriving from access points in Jonesport. There are good public views from Route 187 where it parallels the water and small, gravel pull-outs that provide access to the shore.

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Map of Sandy River

Sandy River Beach

