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Guides



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end of the trail, it's just a short distance to another rail-trail which runs nearly 4 miles through the [Capoolong Creek Wildlife Management Area](#).

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The trail follows part of an old rail corridor once used as a spur for the Lehigh Valley Railroad, which was built in 1881. The line was mainly for passenger rail but goods such as graphite and milled grains were also transported through here. The old trail station at the northern end of the trail was converted into a lumber store.

If you're up for a longer hike or ride, from the southern



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**States:** New Jersey

**Counties:** Hunterdon

Length: 1.8miles

**Trail end points:** Lower Landsdown Rd.  
(Franklin Township) to W. Main/CR 513/SR 173  
(Clinton)

**Trail surfaces:** Concrete,Crushed  
Stone,Dirt,Gravel

**Trail category:** Rail-Trail

**Trail activities:** Bike,Fishing,Walking,Cross  
Country Skiing

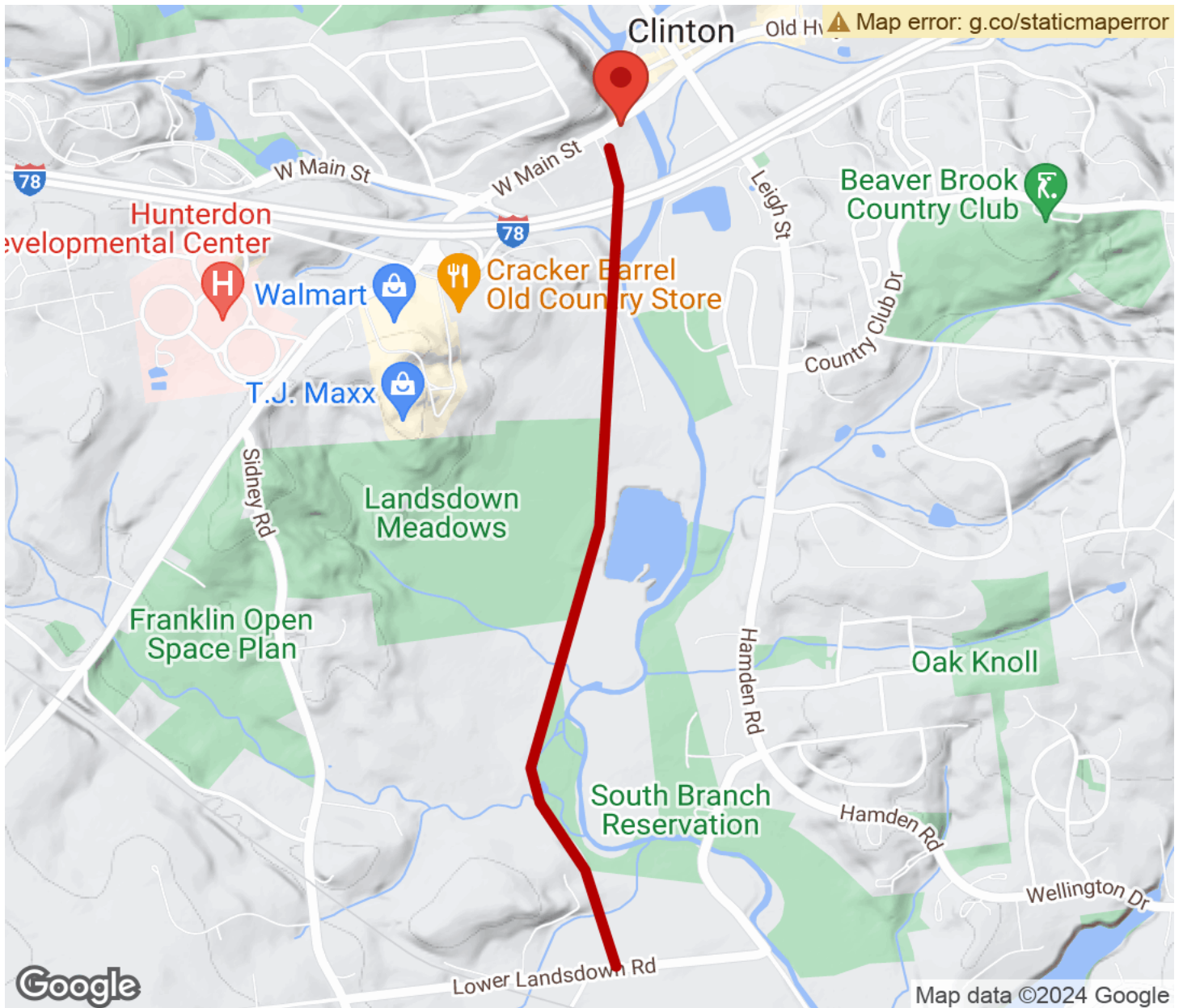
## Parking & Trail Access

There is no official trail parking in Clinton; use public parking. The trailhead is next to the lumber company. At the south end, park on Lower Landsdown Road. The park area is open from sunrise to sunset; no restroom facilities.



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Trailhead



Restroom



Parking



Water Fountain



Tunnel



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