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Guides



**California
Junction Trail**
Ohio



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Nature Preserve parking, accessible from US Route 52 to Park Road.

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States: Ohio

Counties: Hamilton

Length: 1miles

Trail end points: California Woods Nature Preserve to Loop

Trail surfaces: Ballast,Dirt,Woodchips

Trail category: Rail-Trail

Trail activities: Walking,Cross Country Skiing

Parking & Trail Access