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The Shoreline Trail in Erie County, New York, is 21.7 miles of flat, easy pathway that runs adjacent to Lake Erie, one of the country's Great Lakes, on its southern half and then along the Niagara River on its northern half. The trail traverses the west end of Buffalo and is located just south of the famed Niagara Falls and near the Canadian border.

## About the Route

The trail is paved throughout its entire length, making it wheelchair accessible. The large number of parking lots located near the trail make it one that can be hiked or biked in its entirety as well as in sections. Numerous

trailside parks also provide helpful amenities, such as restrooms, drinking water, and picnic areas. Although part of the route runs adjacent to I-190, fencing, and a wide grassy median keep the trail experience safe and pleasant.

## Connections

At the trail's northern end in Tonawanda, trail users can pick up two more trails, the [Two Mile Creek Greenway](#) and [Tonawanda Rails to Trails](#).

The Shoreline Trail is also part of the larger [Niagara River Greenway Shoreline Trail](#), which can be picked up at the South Grand Island Bridge, and travels all the way north to Lake Ontario.



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**States:** New York

**Counties:** Erie

Length: 21.7 miles

**Trail end points:** 38 Niagara St. (Tonawanda) to Buffalo Lakeside Commerce Park, 134-80 Ship

Canal Pkwy. (Buffalo)

**Trail surfaces:** Asphalt

**Trail category:** Rail-Trail

**Trail activities:** Bike, Inline

Skating, Walking, Wheelchair Accessible

## Parking & Trail Access

The Shoreline Trail runs between 38 Niagara St. (Tonawanda) and Buffalo Lakeside Commerce Park, 134-80 Ship Canal Pkwy. (Buffalo), where parking is available.

Parking is also available at:

- Veteran's Memorial Park, 777 Niagara St. (Tonawanda)
- Aqua Lane Park, 128 Aqua Ln. (Tonawanda)
- Freedom Park, 1170 Niagara St. (Buffalo)

Please see [TrailLink Map](#) for all parking options and detailed directions.



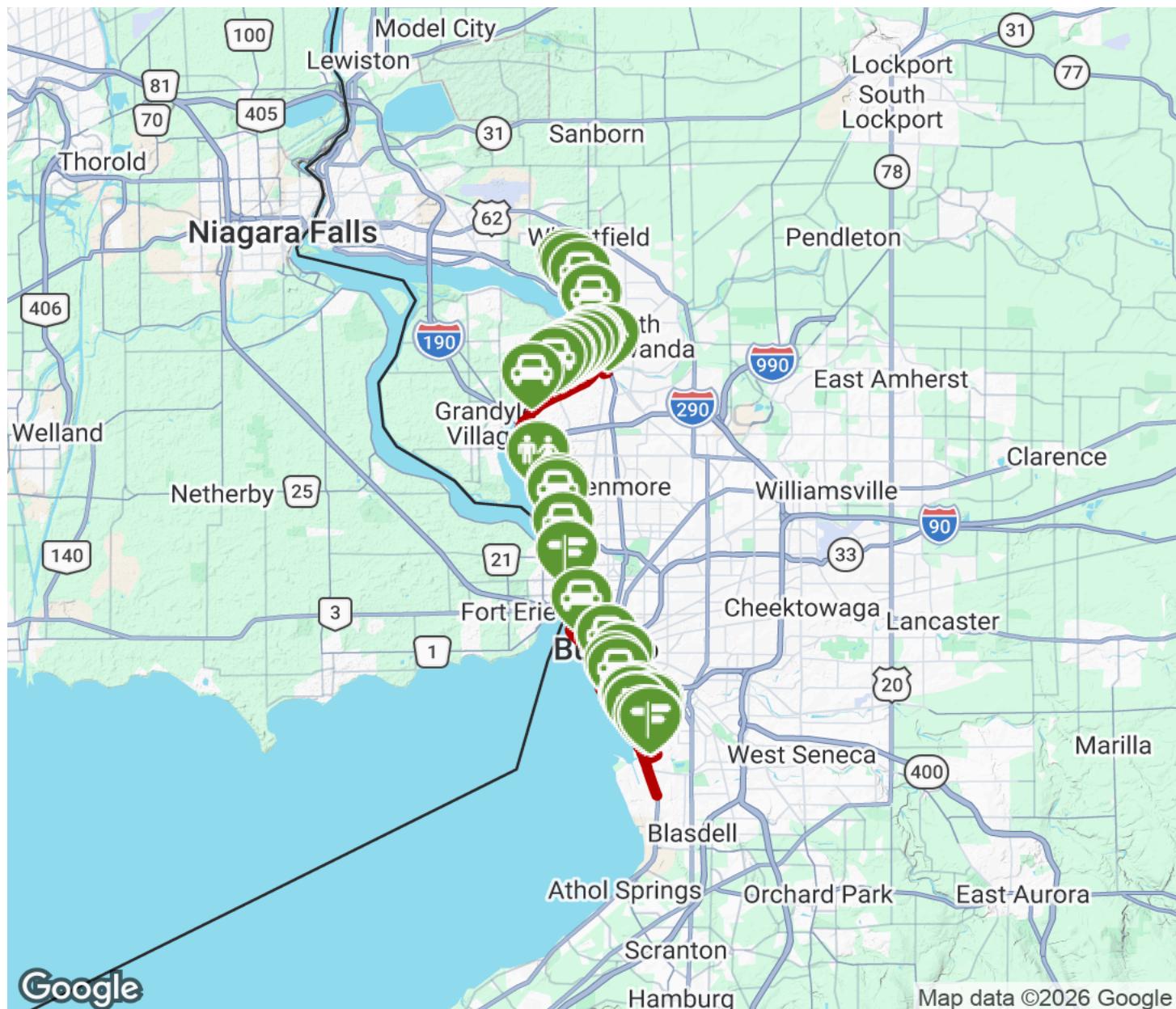
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Trailhead



Restroom



Parking



Water Fountain



Tunnel



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