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Railroad Trail**  
*West Virginia*



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The Southern Railroad trail occupies part of the former bed of the Harrisville Southern Railroad. The short line railroad was built to link Harrisville to the B&O line at Cornwallis, a total distance of 6 miles. The line operated between 1915 and 1929 but folded due to competition from road transport. Today, 0.8 miles of that is a hiking trail within the North Bend State Park, running between the River Run Campground and Jughandle Day Use Area.



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**States:** West Virginia

**Counties:** Ritchie

Length: 0.8miles

**Trail end points:** River Run Campground to  
Hughes River Dam

**Trail surfaces:** Dirt

**Trail category:** Rail-Trail

**Trail activities:** Walking

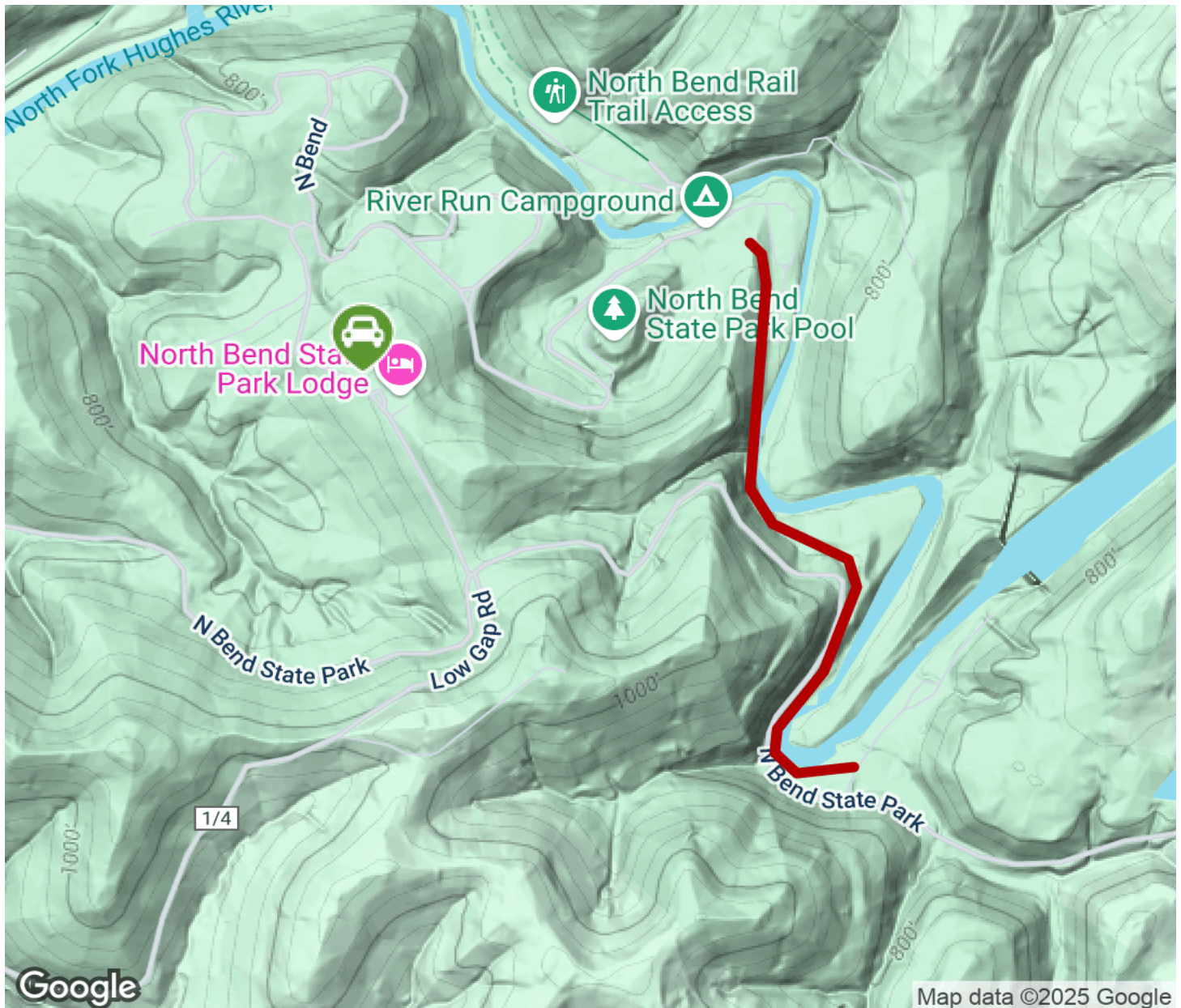
## Parking & Trail Access

The North Bend State Park is located at 202 N Bend Park Road, Cairo, WV.



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Trailhead



Restroom



Parking



Water Fountain



Tunnel



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