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At the northeast end of the trail, the trail intersects the [Mariposa Parkway Trail](#), which continues up into the heart of the subdivision and up towards the Mariposa Community Center. An excellent asset for a developing community, along with its companion trail the Mariposa Recreational Trail ensures that residents both current and future will have plenty of opportunity for recreation



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States: New Mexico

Counties: Sandoval

Length: 1.2miles

Trail end points: Castle Peak Loop NE to
Mariposa Parkway Trail

Trail surfaces: Asphalt

Trail category: Greenway/Non-RT

Trail activities: Bike, Inline Skating, Walking

Parking & Trail Access

No dedicated parking is available for this trail.



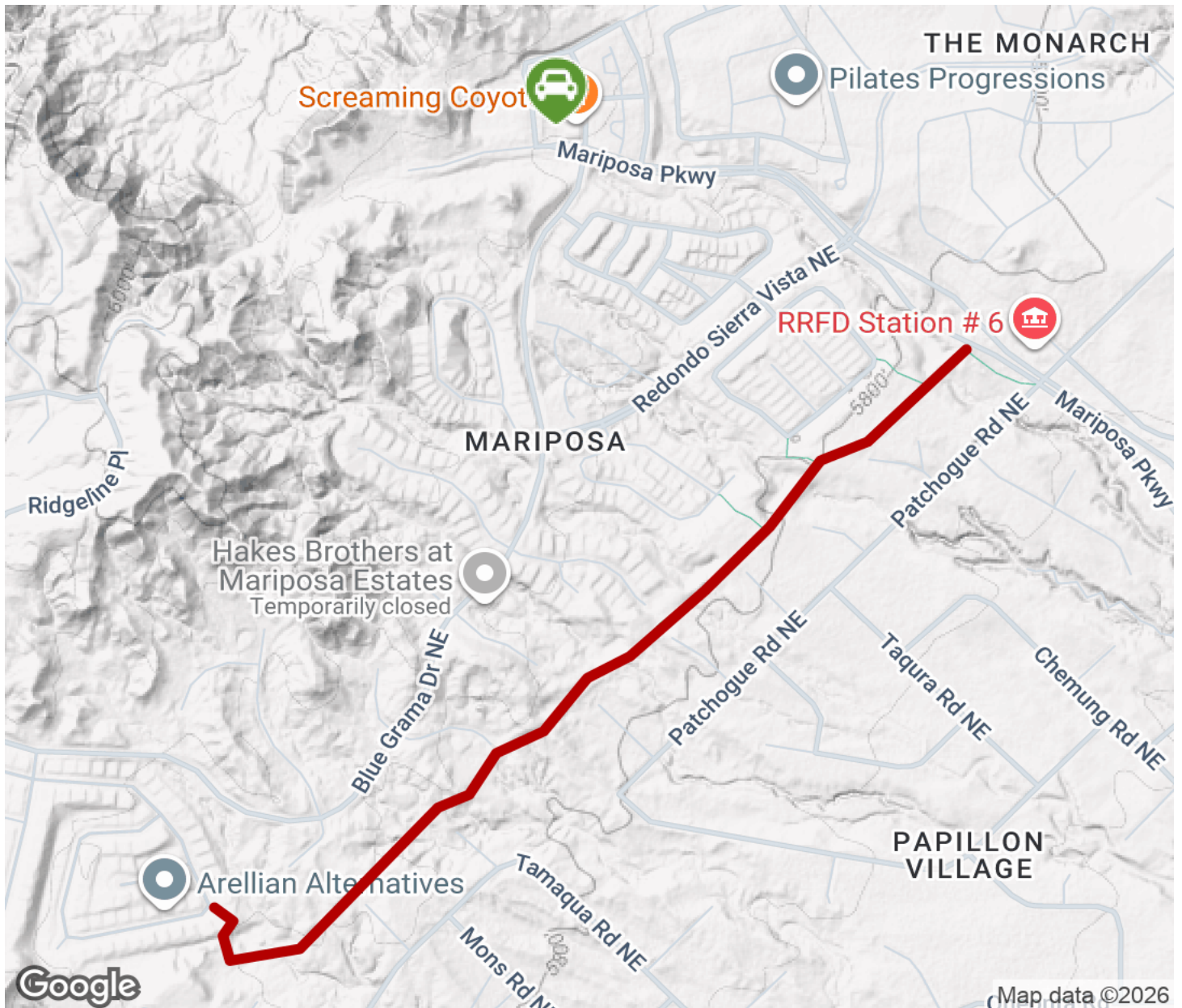
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Trailhead



Restroom



Parking



Water Fountain



Tunnel



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