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Recreation
Trail**
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The Dovetail Recreation Trail is a short community pathway that runs through developing neighborhoods in the eastern edge of the suburb of Coralville, just north of Iowa City. The concrete trail offers a flat and pleasant route for a walk, jog, or quick ride; the trail encircles the quiet natural space of the Dovetail Recreation Area, which offers athletic facilities and a tranquil fishing pond.

To the south, the trail links up with the [Oakdale Boulevard Trail](#) - a sidepath trail that helps tie many of Coralville's trails together - and in the north, the trail ends just a short distance from the eastern end of the [Muddy Creek Trail](#) and the unprogrammed open space of Auburn Hills Park. For residents of the nearby neighborhoods, it's hard to beat the convenience of the Dovetail Recreation Trail.



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States: Iowa

Counties: Johnson

Length: 1.3miles

Trail end points: E Dovetail Dr. to Auburn E Ln
& 1st Ave.

Trail surfaces: Concrete

Trail category: Greenway/Non-RT

Trail activities: Bike, Fishing, Inline
Skating, Walking

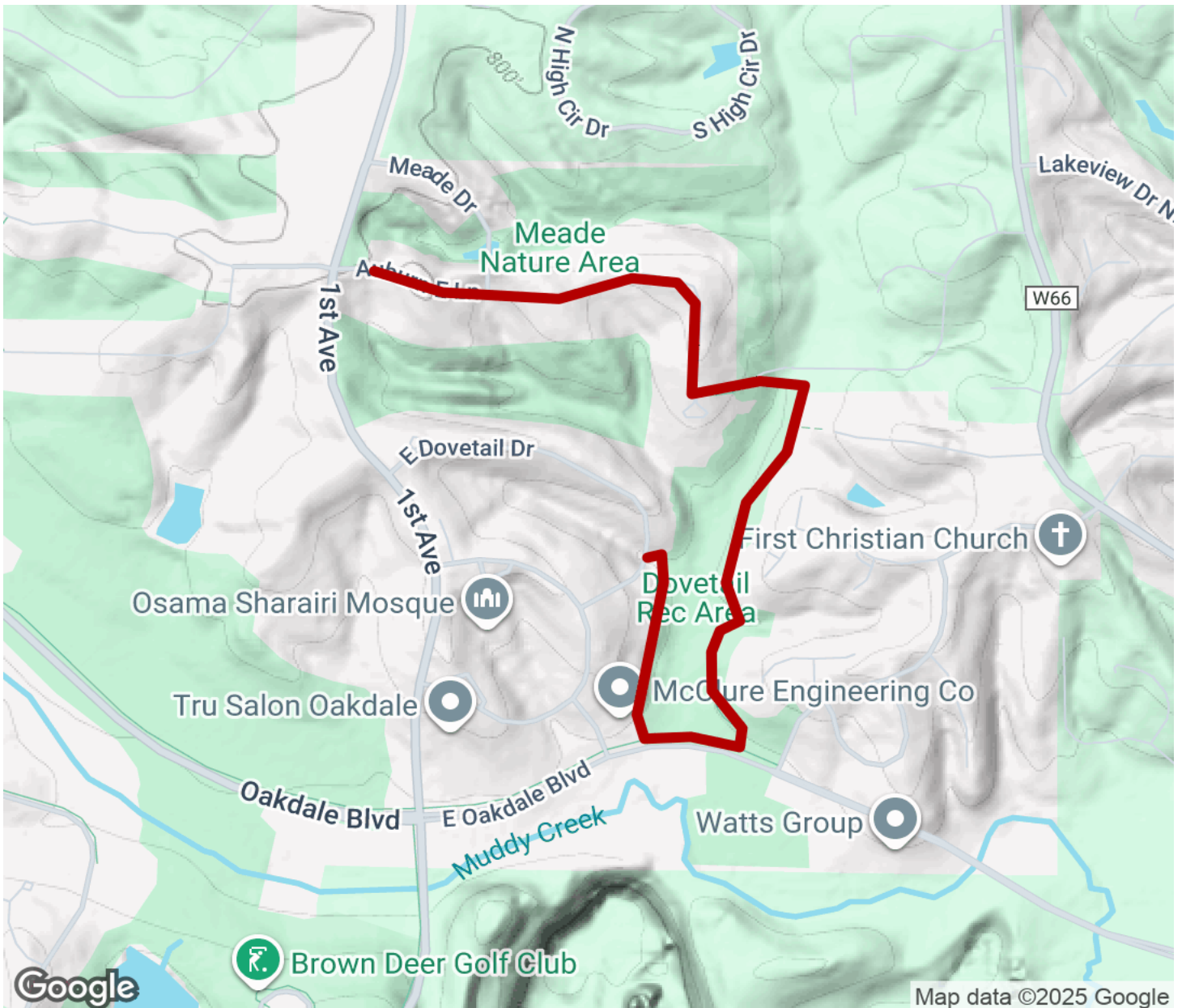
Parking & Trail Access

No dedicated trail parking is provided for this trail. Trail access is available via the Oakdale Boulevard Trail, just east of 1st Avenue.



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Trailhead



Restroom



Parking



Water Fountain



Tunnel



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