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With the disused railroad running through the center of town, the city of Greenwood saw an opportunity for more than just a run-of-the-mill rail trail. They recognized it as a chance to breathe new life into the heart of the city, creating a new focal point and space for people to rest, relax and gather. The Rail Spike Park is the result of thoughtful design, featuring a smooth asphalt rail trail enhanced with tidy landscaping, trailside lighting and furniture, and a permanent pavilion which hosts a weekly farmers' market among other events. The trail parallels Johnson Street and Yazoo Avenue.

The trail sits on the former right-of-way of the C&G Railroad, which the city [railbanked](#) in 2006 when the railroad chose to reroute its corridor out of the commercial district.



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States: Mississippi

Counties: Leflore

Length: 1.7miles

Trail end points: Lamar Street to Yazoo Avenue

Trail surfaces: Asphalt

Trail category: Rail-Trail

Trail activities: Bike, Wheelchair Accessible, Walking

Parking & Trail Access

Angle parking spaces are available along Johnson Street between Howard Street and the east end of the park. On the west end, there's a handful of spaces on Yazoo Avenue. The pavillion which is located on Main Street and Johnson Avenue also features bike racks.



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Trailhead



Restroom



Parking



Water Fountain



Tunnel



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