TrailLink

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Guides

Five Mile Trail

Ohio

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begins to parallel Five Mile Road. At State Road, the trail switches over from the west side of the street (and the Anderson Branch Library) to the east side, where it enters the campus of the Anderson Health Plex. The off-street segment of the trail ends near the building, and a signed on-street lane directs pedestrians and cyclists to a short, off-street segment and the trail's conclusion at the Anderson Center, the township's community center and events space.

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The trail continues shielded from the hum of traffic and the surrounding neighborhoods by the combination of trees and bushes, but opens up at Clough Pike, where it

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States: Ohio

Counties: Hamilton

Length: 2.5miles

Trail end points: Newtown Road to Anderson Center

Trail surfaces: Asphalt

Trail category: Greenway/Non-RT

Trail activities: Bike,Inline Skating,Walking,Wheelchair Accessible

Parking & Trail Access

At the north end of the trail, parking and restrooms can be found on Newtown Road beside (but separate from) the Heritage Universalist Unitarian Church parking lot (church's address is 2710 Newton Road). At the south end, find parking at the Anderson Center (7850 Five Mile Road).
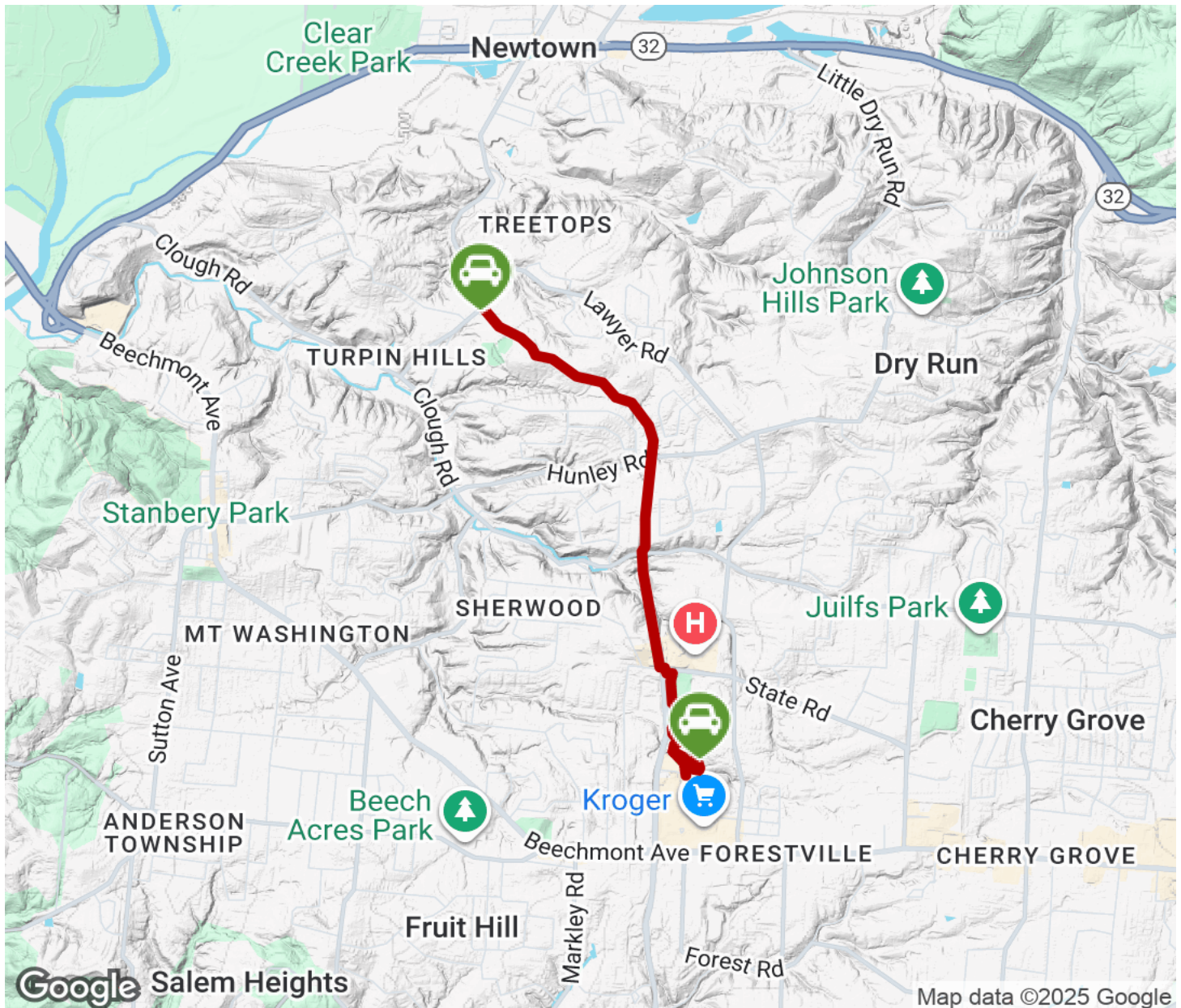
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Trailhead **Restroom** **Parking** **Water Fountain** **Tunnel**