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Guides



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Lake Trail
(MO)**
Missouri



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The trail traces the west shoreline of Longview Lake, beginning from Shelter 14 and winding south up to Shelter 9, providing access to all the shelters in between. It's a wide, flat trail surfaced with a crushed limestone aggregate that's easier on runners' joints than pavement (although there is concrete in parts). The trail is a good 6.5 miles from end-to-end, and at its south end provides access to Grandview's trails.



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States: Missouri

Counties: Jackson

Length: 6.5miles

Trail end points: Shelter 14 (Longview Lake Park) to Shelter 9 (O'Donnell Park)

Trail surfaces: Concrete, Crushed Stone

Trail category: Greenway/Non-RT

Trail activities: Bike, Walking, Wheelchair Accessible

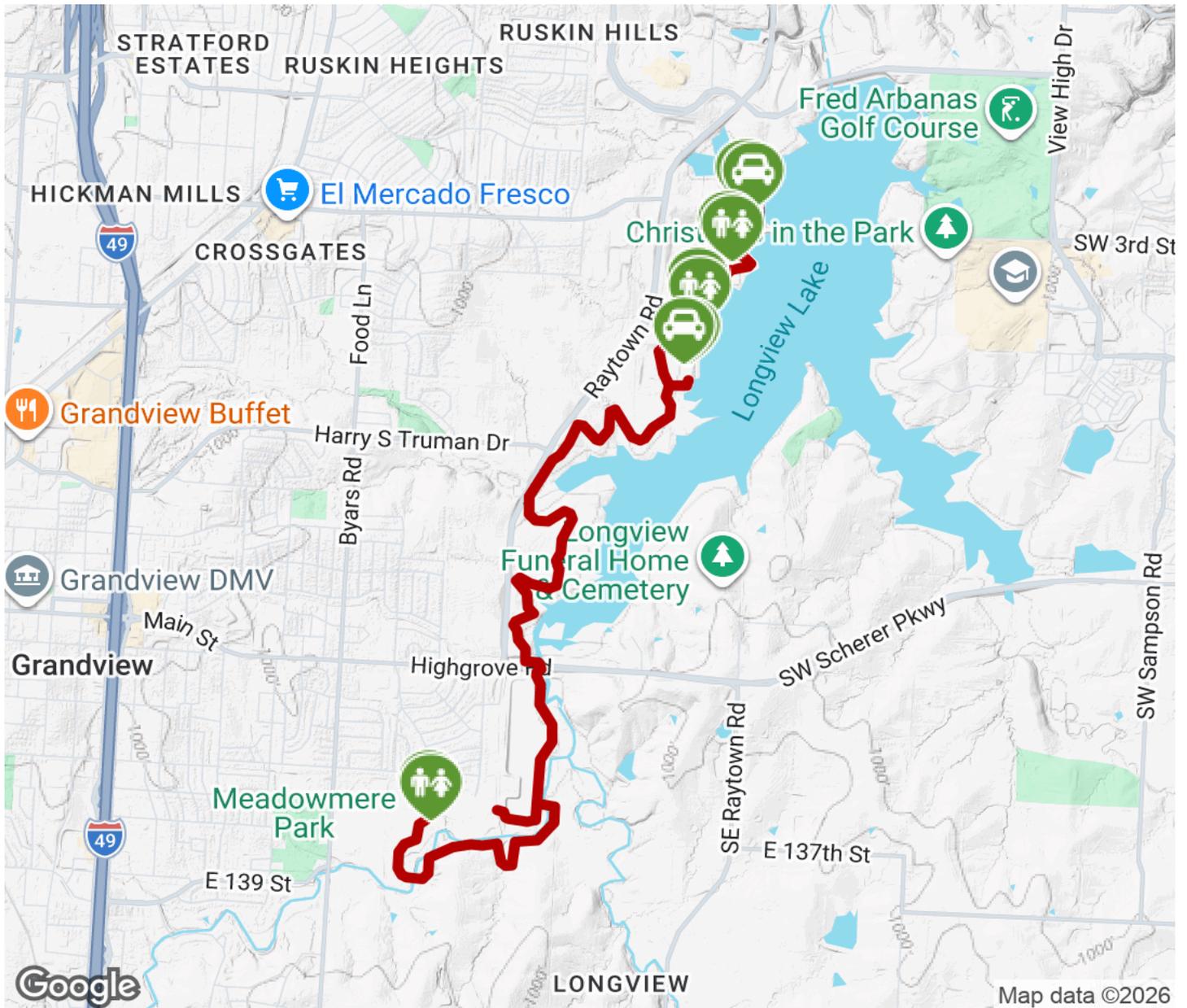
Parking & Trail Access

The main trailhead can be found at the north end of the trailhead, Shelter 14. (9898 Longview Rd, Kansas City, MO). Note that each shelter is accompanied by parking, so there are actually plenty of options (see map for details).



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Trailhead



Restroom



Parking



Water Fountain



Tunnel



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