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The trail is a 10-foot wide crushed stone surface suitable for all bicycles, walking, and horseback riding. It is adjacent to the Squannacook River State Forest and many hiking trails that access the Squannacook River. The last phase of the rail-trail was completed in the spring of 2024.



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**States:** Massachusetts

**Counties:** Middlesex

Length: 3.7miles

**Trail end points:** Depot St & Center St  
(Townsend) to Bertozzi Wildlife Management  
Area (Groton)

**Trail surfaces:** Crushed Stone

**Trail category:** Rail-Trail

**Trail activities:** Bike,Fishing,Horseback  
Riding,Mountain Biking,Walking,Wheelchair  
Accessible,Cross Country Skiing

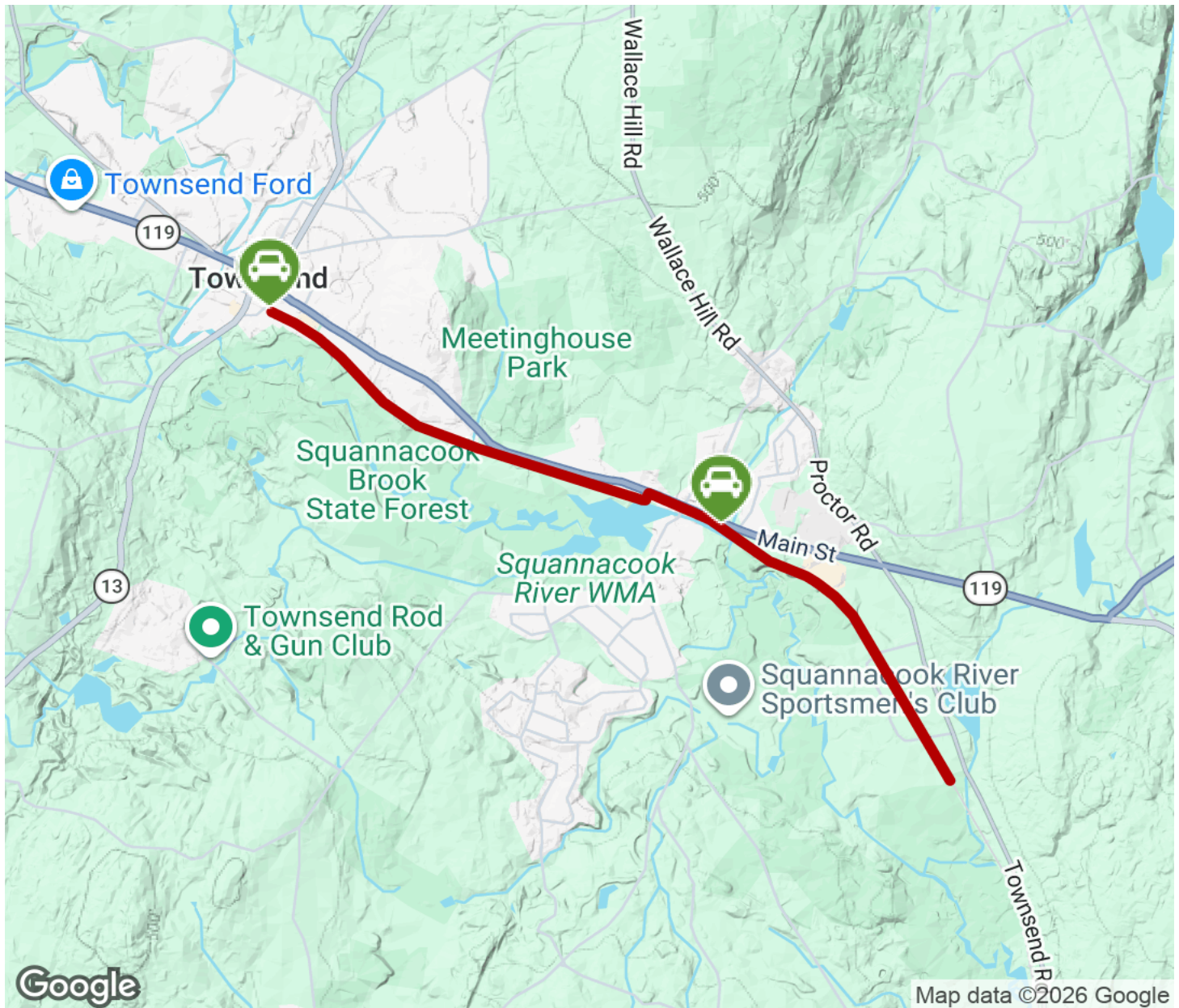
## Parking & Trail Access

Parking is available at the intersection of Depot Street and Center Street (1 Center St, Townsend).



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Trailhead



Restroom



Parking



Water Fountain



Tunnel



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