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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

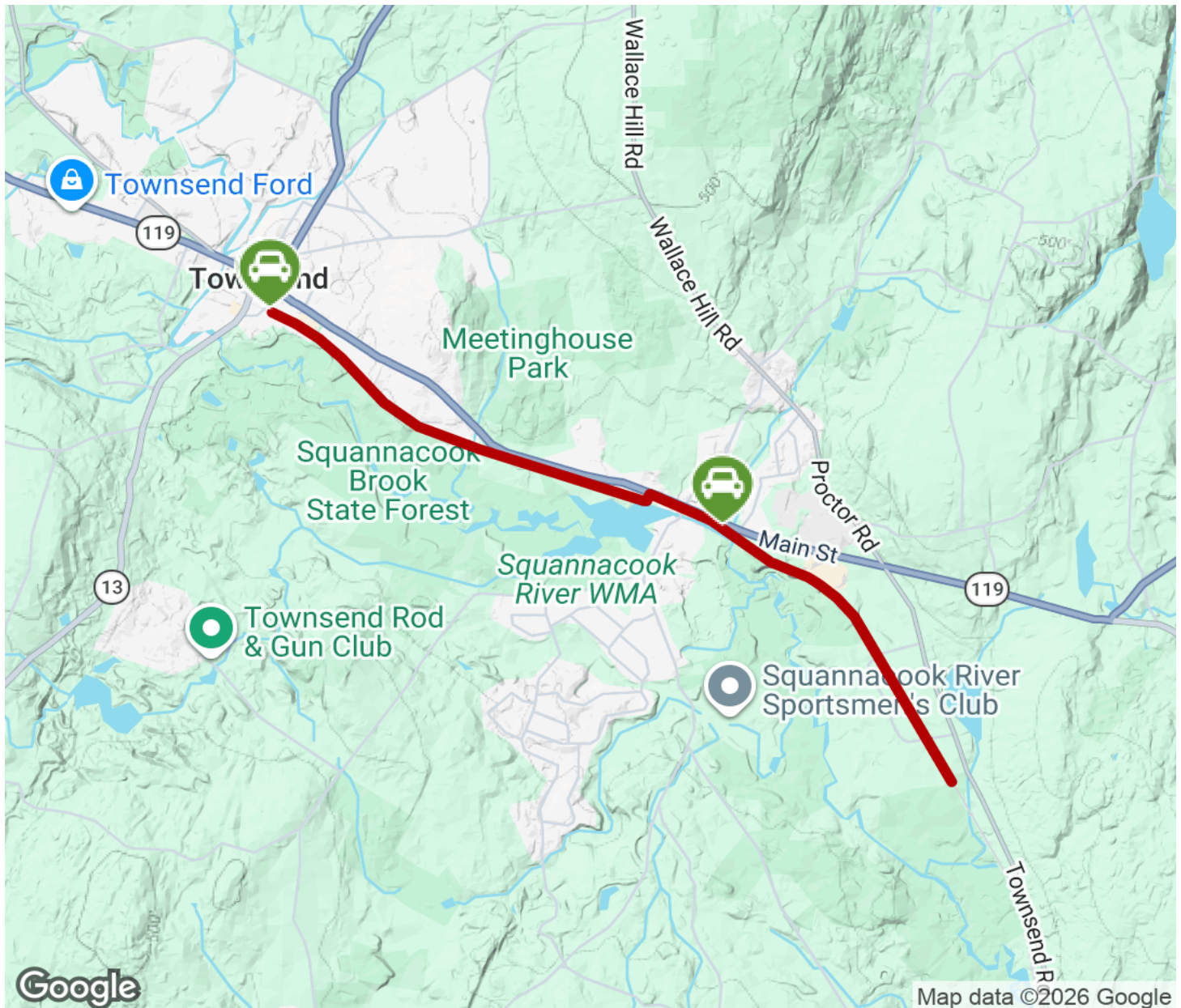
Parking & Trail Access

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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