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Guides



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Trail**  
*Michigan*



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The trail meets the [Baw Beese Trail](#) at Gauge Street, and then heads east along Gauge to Beck Street. From there it heads north along Beck Street, crossing a railroad, before entering a disused railroad corridor. This segment of trail diverges from Beck Street, and extends along the winding St Joseph River. The trail continues across Chicago Street / US 12 for a final 0.3 miles, finding its way back to the river at the former railroad bridge.

The Baw Beese Trail, at the south end of this trail, continues for more than 8 miles through Hillsdale to Baw



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**States:** Michigan

**Counties:** Hillsdale

Length: 1.4miles

**Trail end points:** Olds Street to W. Chicago Street/ US 12

**Trail surfaces:** Asphalt

**Trail category:** Rail-Trail

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

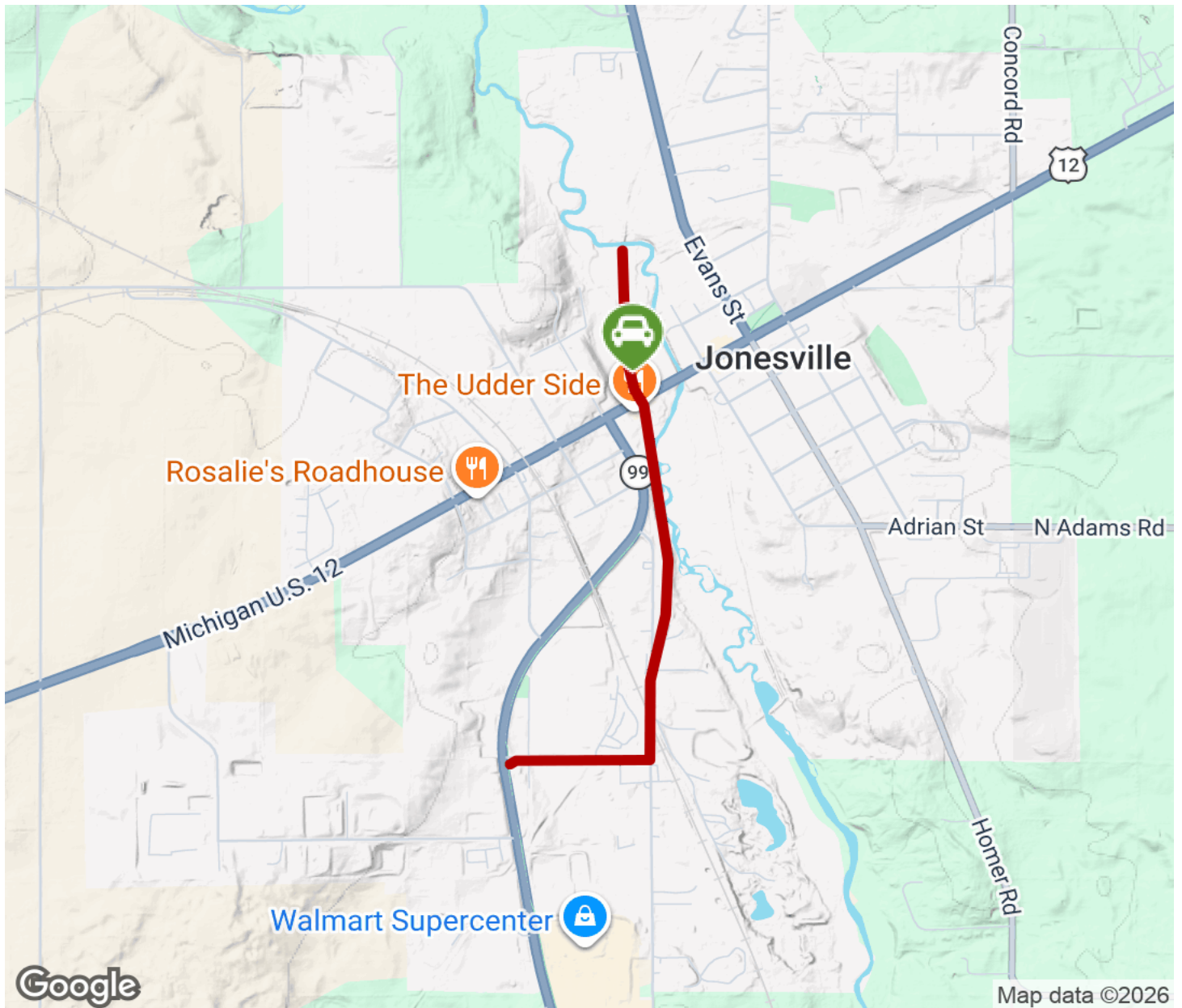
## Parking & Trail Access

There is a trailhead on the north side of Chicago Street/ SR 99 (116 W Chicago St, Jonesville).



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Trailhead



Restroom



Parking



Water Fountain



Tunnel



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