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Guides



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Be prepared to get wet feet, too, since you'll have to cross the creek in places. The first section of the trail is mostly wooded before the landscape opens to meadows, about halfway in, and ends at Robbers Roost, site of an old cabin.



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States: Colorado

Counties: Dolores

Length: 5.6miles

Trail end points: Ten Mile Springs to Robbers
Roost

Trail surfaces: Ballast

Trail category: Greenway/Non-RT

Trail activities: Fishing, Horseback
Riding, Walking, Cross Country Skiing

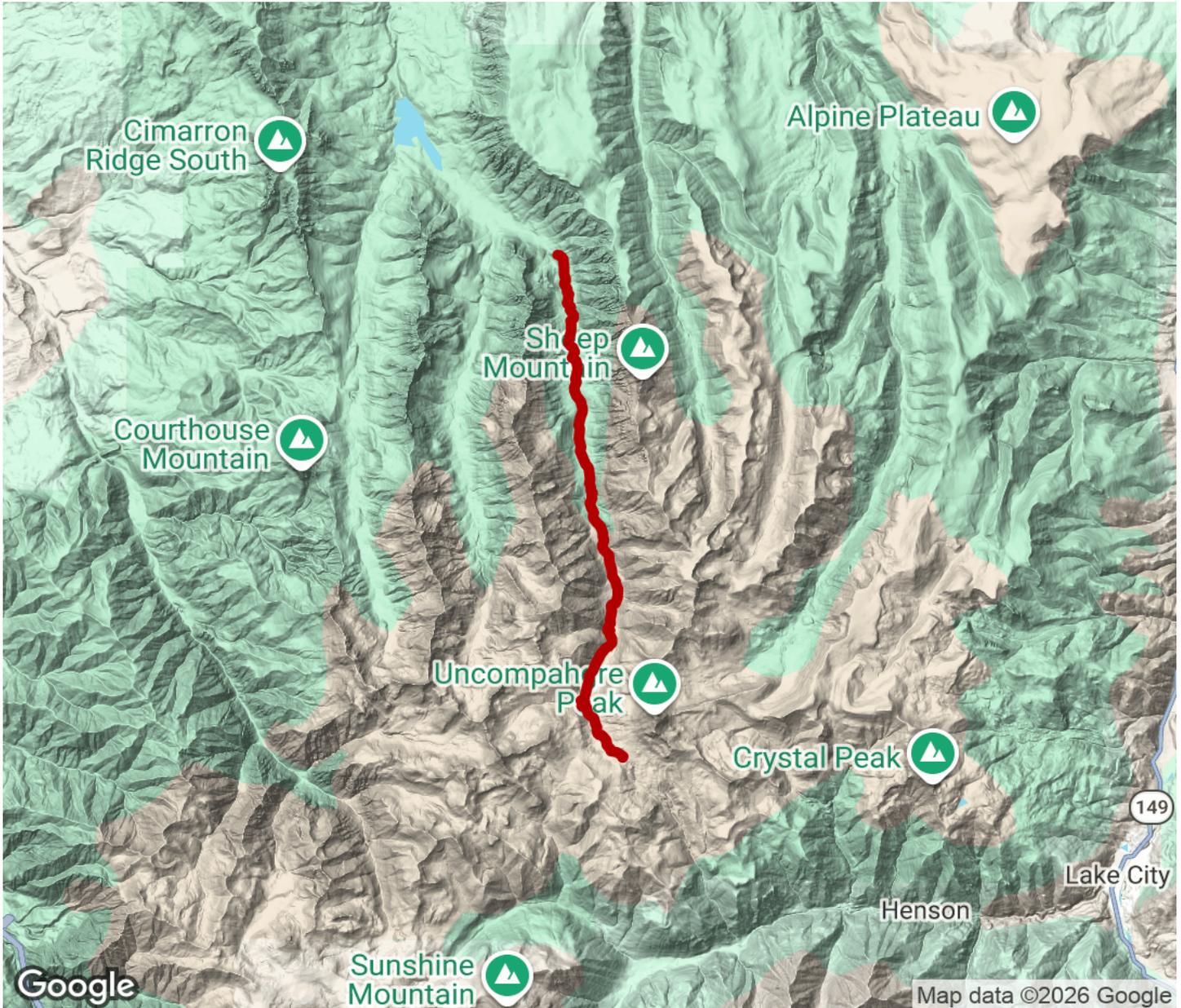
Parking & Trail Access

From Gunnison, take US 50 west for about 9 miles to State Route 149 south. Go 17 miles and turn left at Powderhorn on County Road 27. Go 1 mile south to the old Powderhorn Store then turn west (right) for 0.25 mile to the Powderhorn Cabins. Turn left on Ten Mile Springs Road. Continue for 10 miles to the trailhead. The road is rough enough toward the end that you may want 4-wheel drive or high clearance. Low-impact camping is allowed at the trailhead and anywhere along the trail.



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Trailhead



Restroom



Parking



Water Fountain



Tunnel



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