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For now, the Upper Falls Greenway provides a pleasant place for a walk or bike ride, with benches and kiosks lining the trail's brief route. At the current southern end, an overlook provides a scenic view of the Charles River. Farther north, a restored train station at Oak Street is home to a charming coffee shop where bike racks accommodate trail users, while a short spur along South



Meadow Brook provides direct access to additional retail destinations along Needham Street.

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States: Massachusetts Counties: Middlesex Length: 1miles Trail end points: Easy St. west of Needham St. to Charles River south of Oak St. Trail surfaces: Crushed Stone Trail category: Rail-Trail Trail activities: Bike, Walking

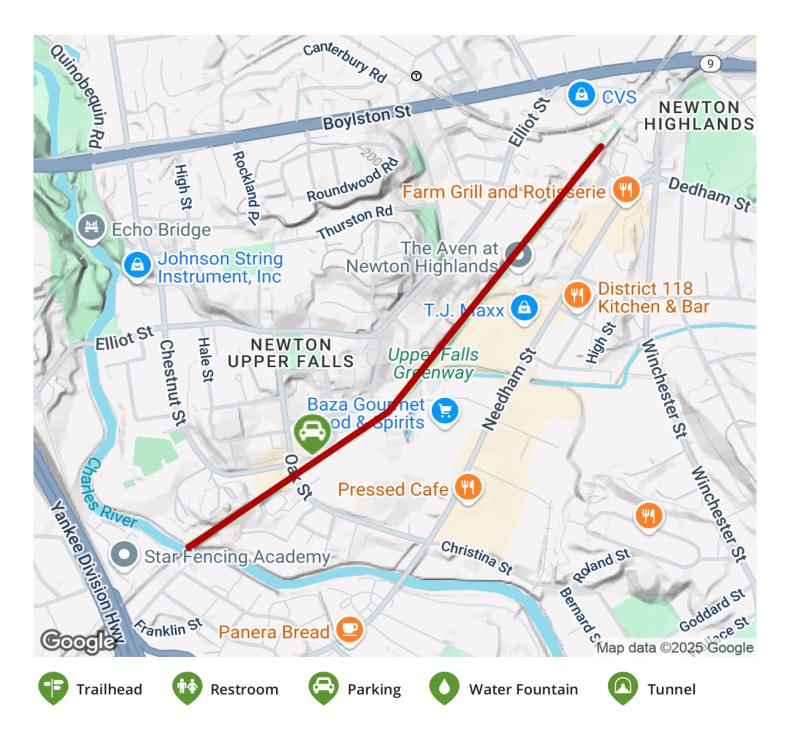
### **Parking & Trail Access**

The Upper Falls Greenway can be accessed from Easy Street, Elliot Street, Needham Street and Oak Street in Newton Upper Falls. Limited on-street parking is available on Chestnut Street adjacent to the Depot Coffee Shoppe. Be sure to obey any posted parking restrictions.



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