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States: Missouri

Counties: St. Charles

Length: 1.1miles

Trail end points: US 67 north of Machens Club Drive (West Alton) to Lincoln-Shields Recreation Area

Trail surfaces: Crushed Stone

Trail category: Rail-Trail

Trail activities: Fishing, Mountain Biking, Walking, Cross Country Skiing

Parking & Trail Access

From St. Louis take Highway 367 north, cross the Missouri River and then make a right on Spur Dike Access Road (by Fisca Service Station). Make an immediate left on the access road and go under Clark Bridge to the new Lincoln-Shields Recreation Area.



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Trailhead



Restroom



Parking



Water Fountain



Tunnel



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