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Guides



**West Ashley
Greenway**
South Carolina



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Island is the nation's largest producer of tomatoes. In fact, much of the fresh produce served in local restaurants hails from this rural community.

At the Wappoo Road crossing you can head north on narrow sidewalks for a quarter-mile, crossing over US 17/Savannah Highway to hop on the southern start of the 2.5-mile [West Ashley Bikeway](#).

The West Ashley Greenway forms a key component of the developing East Coast Greenway, which aims to one day provide a complete series of trails across the entire east coast of the United States. For now, the trail provides a great local recreation spot for Charleston's western neighborhoods, as well as a means for visitors to get outdoors and experience some of the area's natural beauty.

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On Johns Island, with the gravel and narrow bridge crossings, mountain bikes are a must. Here the broad wetlands flank the trail, presenting magnificent views and rewarding bird sightings. If your timing is right, you may catch sight of the tidal flow that carved these lacework channels. The agricultural heart of the region, Johns



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States: South Carolina

Counties: Charleston

Length: 8.2miles

Trail end points: Albemarle Rd. & Croghan

Spur to McLeod Mill Rd. nr. Main Rd./SR S 10-20

Trail surfaces: Asphalt,Gravel

Trail category: Rail-Trail

Trail activities: Bike,Inline Skating,Walking

Parking & Trail Access

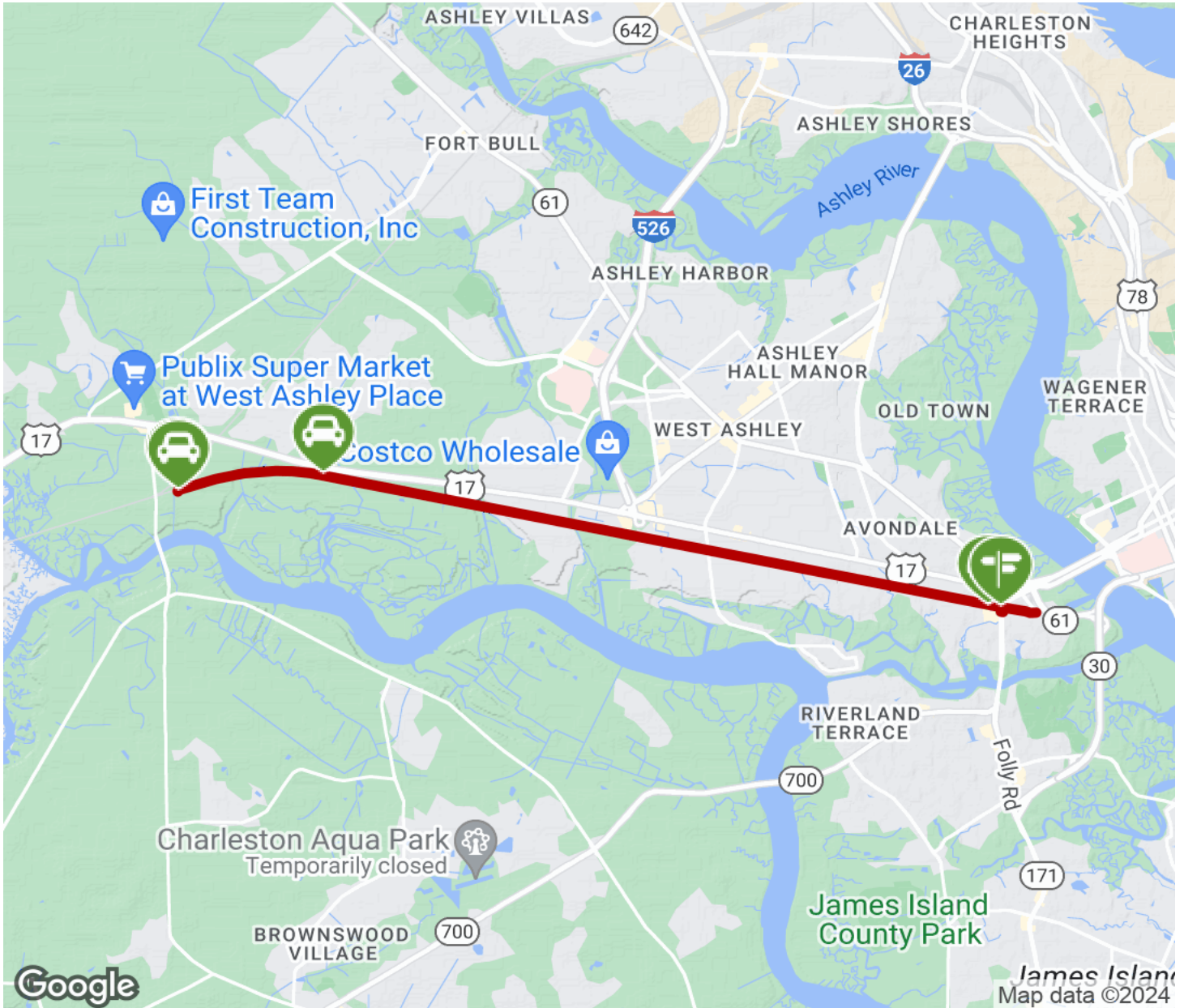
There are several parking options along the trail including at the western endpoint along McLeod Mill Rd, along Croghan Landing Dr, and near the eastern endpoint of the trail at 42 Windermere Blvd.

See [TrailLink map](#) for more detailed directions.



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Trailhead



Restroom



Parking



Water Fountain



Tunnel



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