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The trail offers access to one of the town's attractions, the D.C. Booth Historic Fish Hatchery, constructed in 1899 and providing an educational center, museum and picnic areas. The route is also beneficial for students as it runs adjacent to Black Hills State University, Spearfish High School and Spearfish Middle School.



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States: South Dakota

Counties: Lawrence

Length: 5.2miles

Trail end points: 3rd St to S 27th St & E
Colorado Blvd (Spearfish)

Trail surfaces: Concrete

Trail category: Rail-Trail

Trail activities: Bike, Inline

Skating, Walking, Wheelchair Accessible

Parking & Trail Access

Parking can be found off S. Canyon Street, just north of the D.C. Booth Historic Fish Hatchery (423 Hatchery Circle), and on the Black Hills State University campus.



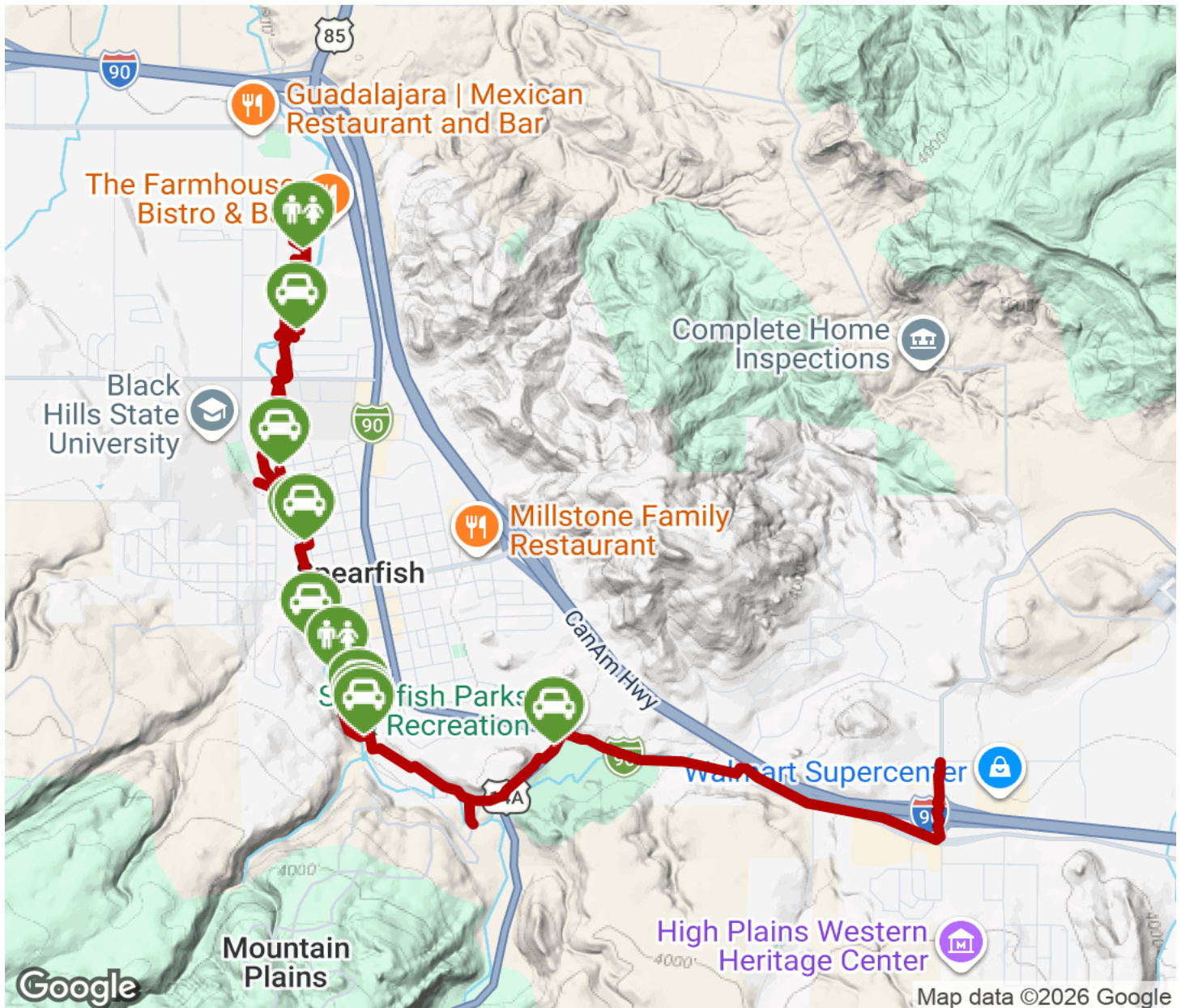
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- Trailhead
- Restroom
- Parking
- Water Fountain
- Tunnel