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Guides



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areas, and wildlife is abundant throughout the area.

The trail heads northwest from Amery along a crushed stone corridor. Most of the trail is enveloped by the surrounding tree line and the trail is largely flat as it heads towards Almena, the trail's eastern endpoint. In Almena, there are a few retail and dining options.

Connections

From the trail's western endpoint, trail users can continue along the [Stower Seven Lakes State Trail](#).

The Cattail State Trail runs for 18.2 miles along an old railroad corridor between the communities of Amery and Almena, passing through the village of Turtle Lake in between. The trail traverses forests, farms, wetlands, and remnants of prairie.

The Cattail State Trail is open year-round to motorized uses, including ATVs, snowmobiles, and UTVs (restrictions apply to the latter). Off-road motorcycles are allowed in Polk County only. The trail may be too rough and soft in places for both horseback riders and mountain bikes.

About the Route

The western trailhead at Amery has restrooms and picnic



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States: Wisconsin

Counties: Barron, Polk

Length: 18.2 miles

Trail end points: 130 Center St. E (Amery) to
Alama St. N (Almena)

Trail surfaces: Ballast, Dirt, Gravel

Trail category: Rail-Trail

Trail activities: ATV, Horseback

Riding, Mountain

Biking, Snowmobiling, Walking, Cross Country

Skiing

Parking & Trail Access

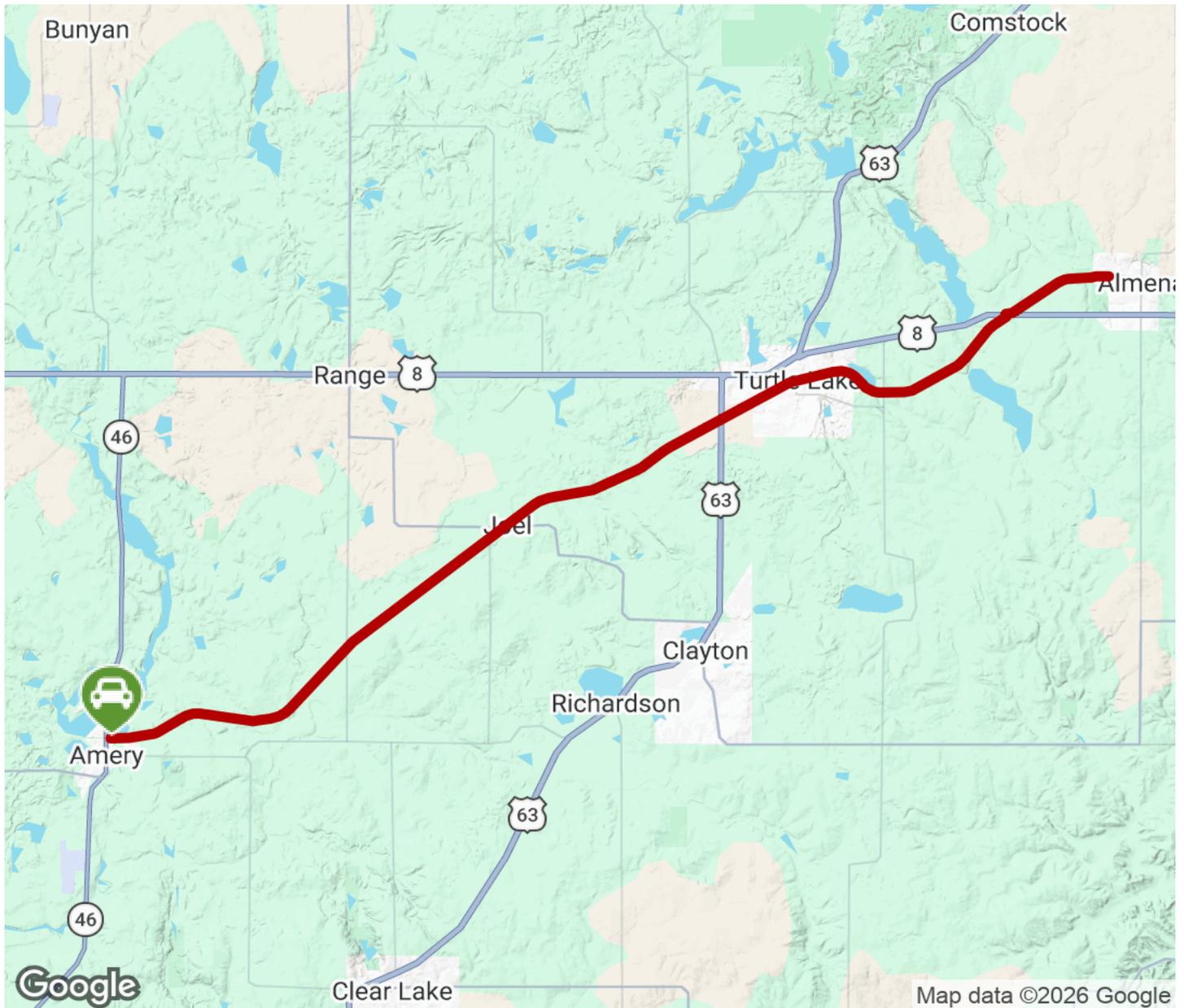
The Cattail State Trail runs between 130 Center St. E (Amery), where parking is available, and Alama St. N (Almena).

Please see [TrailLink Map](#) for detailed directions.



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Trailhead



Restroom



Parking



Water Fountain



Tunnel



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