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States: New Hampshire

Counties: Hillsborough

Length: 7.8miles

Trail end points: W. Mill Street (Hillsborough)
to Antrim Road (Bennington)

Trail surfaces: Crushed Stone,Dirt

Trail category: Rail-Trail

Trail activities: ATV,Fishing,Horseback
Riding,Mountain

Biking,Snowmobiling,Walking,Cross Country

Skiing

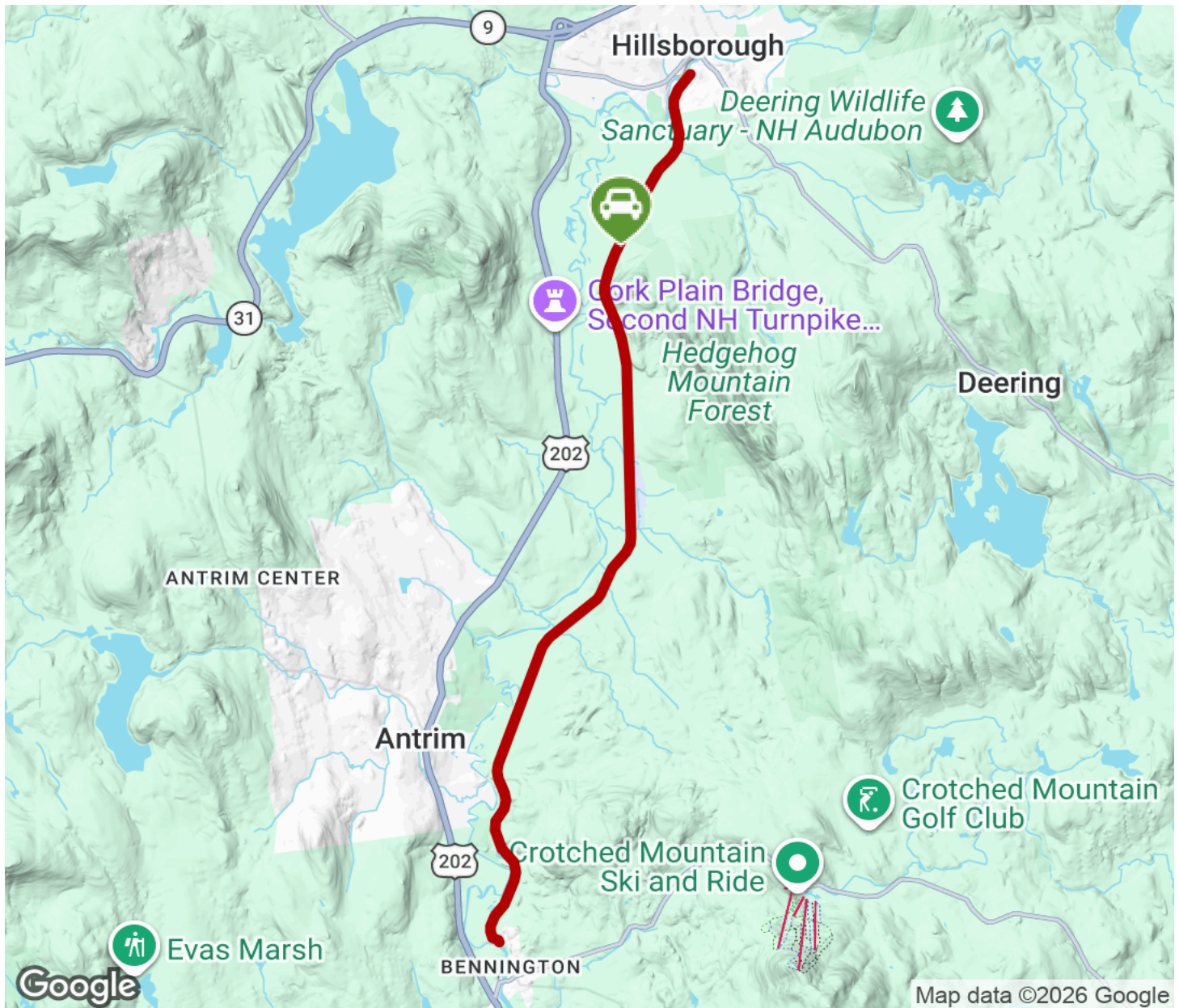
Parking & Trail Access

Parking is available in Deering at the Deering Fish and Game Club. Follow Route 149 towards Deering, take your first right off Route 149 and travel about 2 miles; take the first right after the road turns to dirt and look for the parking signs on the right.



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Trailhead



Restroom



Parking



Water Fountain



Tunnel



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