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WB&A Trail
Maryland



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Overview

The Washington, Baltimore & Annapolis (WB&A) Trail runs through Anne Arundel County and Prince George's County. Currently, the trail is open in sections, but these will be connected when the bridge over the Patuxent River opens in early 2025, creating a major link for both the 9-11 Memorial Trail and the East Coast Greenway.

About the Route

The northern section of the trail in Anne Arundel County

spans 5.7 miles between downtown Odenton and the Patuxent River. The trail passes through the suburban backyards of Odenton and Piney Orchard. From Strawberry Lake Way to the southern end of the Anne Arundel County section, the trail winds through wooded areas and the new Two Rivers residential community.

In Prince George's County, the WB&A Trail picks up on the other side of the Patuxent River and stretches 7.4 miles through Bowie to State Route 450 in Glenn Dale. The trail links the suburbs with the park and—like the southern portion of the Anne Arundel segment—passes through a heavily wooded corridor. This part of the trail features five bridge crossings, two tunnels, and two at-grade intersections. Along the way, trail users will find rest areas with bike racks and benches.

Connections

In the southern area of Odenton the WB&A trail connects with the [Lone Wolf Trail](#) and [Strawberry Lake Way Bicycle Path](#).

The WB&A Trail is part of the developing East Coast Greenway, a 3,000-mile route between Florida and Maine.

Trail History

The Washington, Baltimore & Annapolis Trail occupies the former Washington, Baltimore & Annapolis Electric Railway corridor—hence its name—for its entire route. The railroad operated electric commuter trains between its three namesake cities from 1908 to 1935. Since its closure, portions of the original corridor have been converted to roads, light-rail lines, and rail trails (as in this case).



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States: Maryland

Counties: Anne Arundel, Prince Georges

Length: 13.1 miles

Trail end points: Piney Orchard Pkwy.
(Odenton) to 20706 Washington, Baltimore and
Annapolis Trail (Lanham)

Trail surfaces: Asphalt

Trail category: Rail-Trail

Trail activities: Bike, Inline
Skating, Wheelchair Accessible, Horseback
Riding, Walking, Cross Country Skiing

Parking & Trail Access

The WB&A trail runs between Piney Orchard Pkwy. (Odenton) and 20706 Washington, Baltimore, and Annapolis Trail (Lanham).

Parking is available at:

- GORC Park, 940 Strawberry Lake Way (Odenton)
- Glen Dale Splash Park, 11901 Glenn Dale Blvd. (Glen Dale)

Please see [TrailLink Map](#) for all parking options and detailed directions.



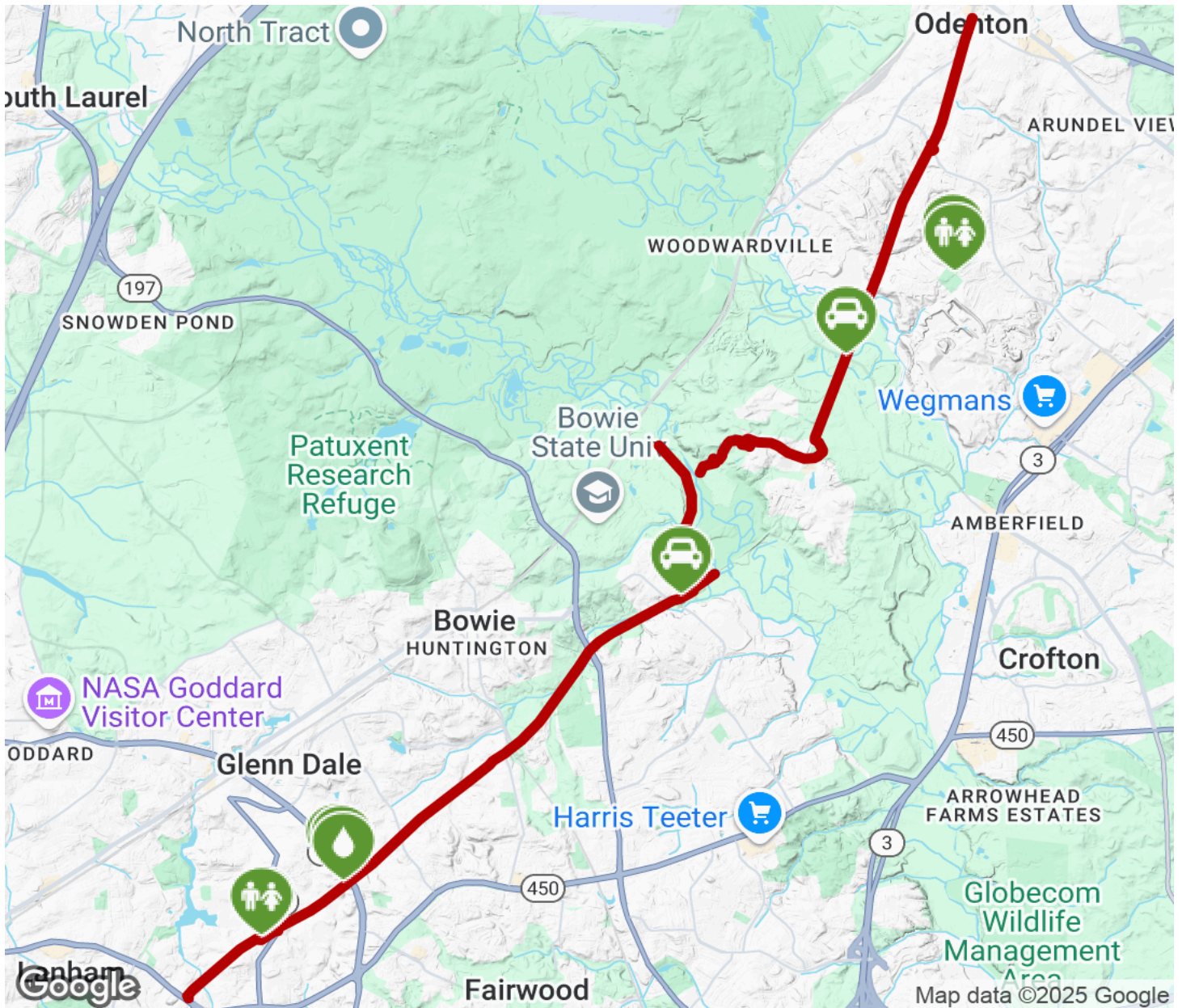
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Restroom



Parking



Water Fountain



Tunnel



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