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About the Route

The southern end of the Tigard, on Southwest Fanno Creek Drive, just north of Southwest Bonita Road. (As there's no parking here, trail users can also begin their

journey 0.5 miles north at the Tigard Public Library, which has a large parking lot.) There are a few sharp turns and some short steep hills as the narrow trail winds its way to the library. To the left is the Colony Creek subdivision; to the right, is the lush greenery along Fanno Creek.

Throughout Tigard, the trail runs through a system of parks, natural areas, and greenways. Heading north from the library, the trail enters Fanno Creek Park, where there is parking, drinking fountains, restrooms, and wildlife viewing. There's a well-marked road crossing at Southwest Main Street, which comes just 1 mile after the library; then the trail continues under Pacific Highway/OR 99 W and reaches Southwest Grant Avenue in 1 block. This starts a 0.3-mile on-road section that follows Southwest Grant Avenue west, then turns north onto Southwest Johnson Street to reach Woodard Park. The park offers vault toilets, drinking water, playground equipment, and a covered picnic shelter.

After crossing Southwest Tiedman Road, the Fanno Creek Trail continues into Dirksen Nature Park with its sports fields, wildlife viewing areas, restrooms, drinking water, picnic shelters, and playgrounds. There's a large parking lot west of the trail just before it crosses Southwest Tigard Street and dips into a more heavily wooded area.

At the next road crossing, Southwest North Dakota Street (in 0.2 miles), take a right to travel on-road 200 feet before rejoining the trail on the north side of the street. The trail continues to wind behind neighborhoods and through parklands with a good amount of shade cover approaching the halfway point where the trail goes underneath Southwest Scholls Ferry Road. (Note: There is the potential for flooding in this area after heavy rains.)

In 1.8 miles, there's a major road crossing where Southwest Denney Street encounters the on- and off-ramp traffic for OR 217; there are traffic signals, but it's a very busy area. After the crossing, turn right to follow the broad sidewalk along Denney



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States: Oregon

Counties: Washington

Length: 9.2miles

Trail end points: SW Bonita Rd. (Tigard) to
Oleson Rd. (Portland)

Trail surfaces: Asphalt

Trail category: Rail-Trail

Trail activities: Bike,Inline

Skating,Wheelchair Accessible,Walking,Cross
Country Skiing

Parking & Trail Access

The Fanno Creek Trail runs between SW Bonita Rd. (Tigard) and Oleson Rd. (Portland).

Parking is available at:

- Tigard Public Library, 13500 SW Hall Blvd. (Tigard)
- Dirksen Nature Park, 10562 SW Tigard St. (Tigard)
- Vista Brook Park, 6697 SW 88th Ave. (Portland)

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



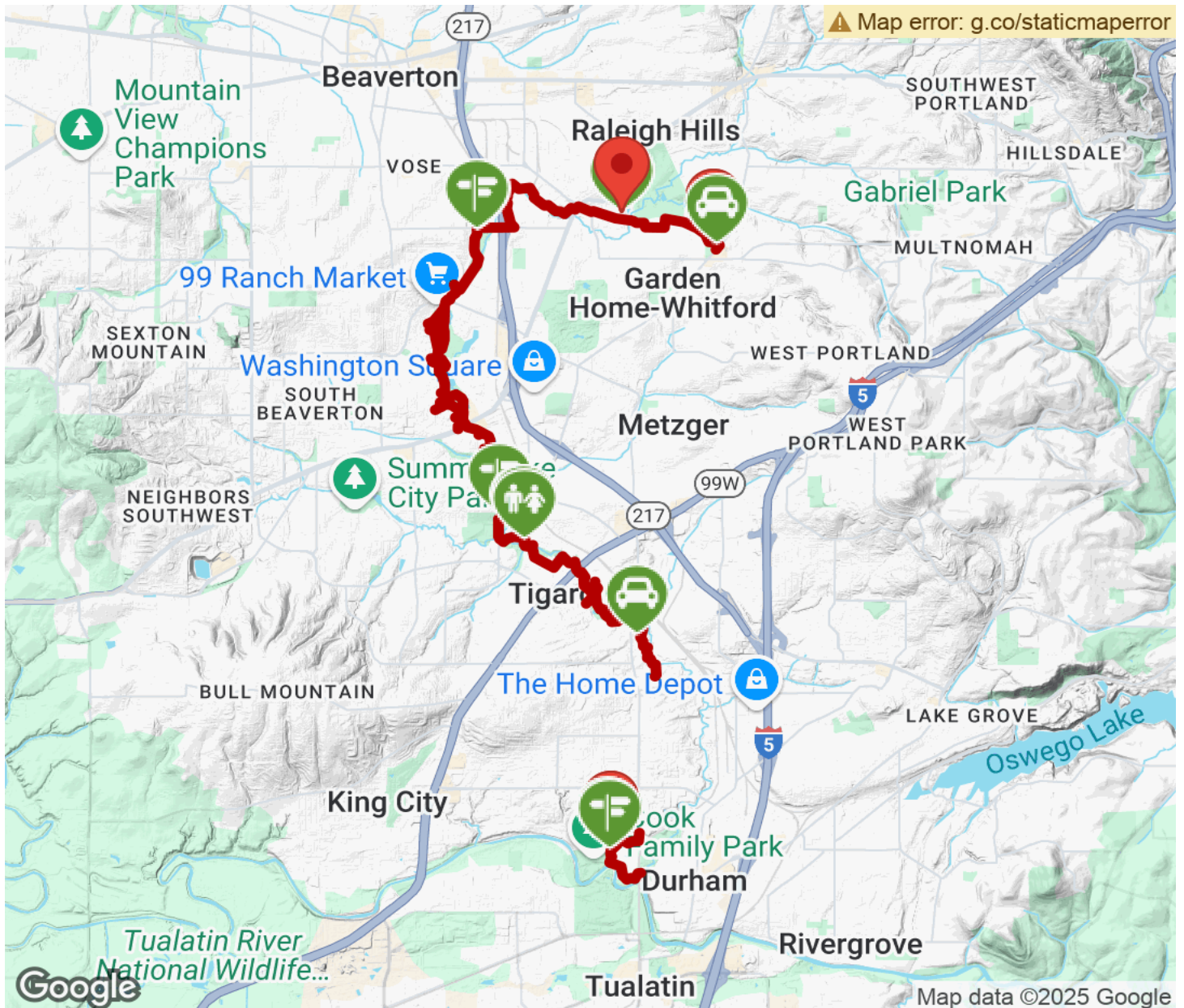
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Trailhead



Restroom



Parking



Water Fountain



Tunnel



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