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Guides



**Creekside
Trail**
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About the Route

The trail's western endpoint is located in the popular Eastwood Metropark, which presents endless opportunities for recreation, including boating, fishing, hiking, paddling, and more. As the trail heads south, it passes the busy Airway Rd. where trail users can see the shiny silver hangars of the National Museum of the U.S. Air Force.

Soon after, the trail takes a drastic turn at the T-junction, the trail continues due east. After around 5 miles, the route crosses I-675 via a very impressive 465-ft restored railroad overpass and then shortly after, the trail passes Fifth Third Gateway Park.

The trail crosses Beavercreek Station, which features the September 11th Memorial of Miami Valley. The nearby E.J. Nutter Park offers baseball diamonds, restrooms, water, parking, and concession stands (open only during games).

As the trail continues towards its eastern endpoint in Xenia, the trail passes the Beavercreek Community Park, William Maxwell Rest Area, and Sol Arnovitz Park. Xenia, where the trail reaches its eastern endpoint, there is a replica railroad depot and museum dedicated to the town's railroad history as well as restrooms and water fountains.

Connections

At the trail's western endpoint in Dayton, it connects to the [Mad River Trail](#).

On the eastern side of Dayton, the trail intersects with the [Iron Horse Trail](#).

In Xenia, the Creekside Trail connects to the [Xenia-Jamestown Connector](#), [Little Miami Scenic Trail](#), [Prairie Grass Trail](#), [Towler Road Spur](#), and the [James Ranch Connecting Spur](#).

The Creekside Trail is part of the Great American Rail Trail, a 3,700-mile route from Washington to Washington D.C.



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States: Ohio

Counties: Greene, Montgomery

Length: 15.8 miles

Trail end points: Eastwood Metropark, 4347
Springfield St (Dayton) to Xenia Station, 150 S
Miami Ave (Xenia)

Trail surfaces: Asphalt, Concrete

Trail category: Rail-Trail

Trail activities: Bike, Inline

Skating, Walking, Wheelchair Accessible, Cross
Country Skiing

Parking & Trail Access

The Creekside Trail runs between Eastwood Metropark, 4347 Springfield St (Dayton), and Xenia Station, 150 S Miami Ave (Xenia), with parking at either end.

Parking is also available at:

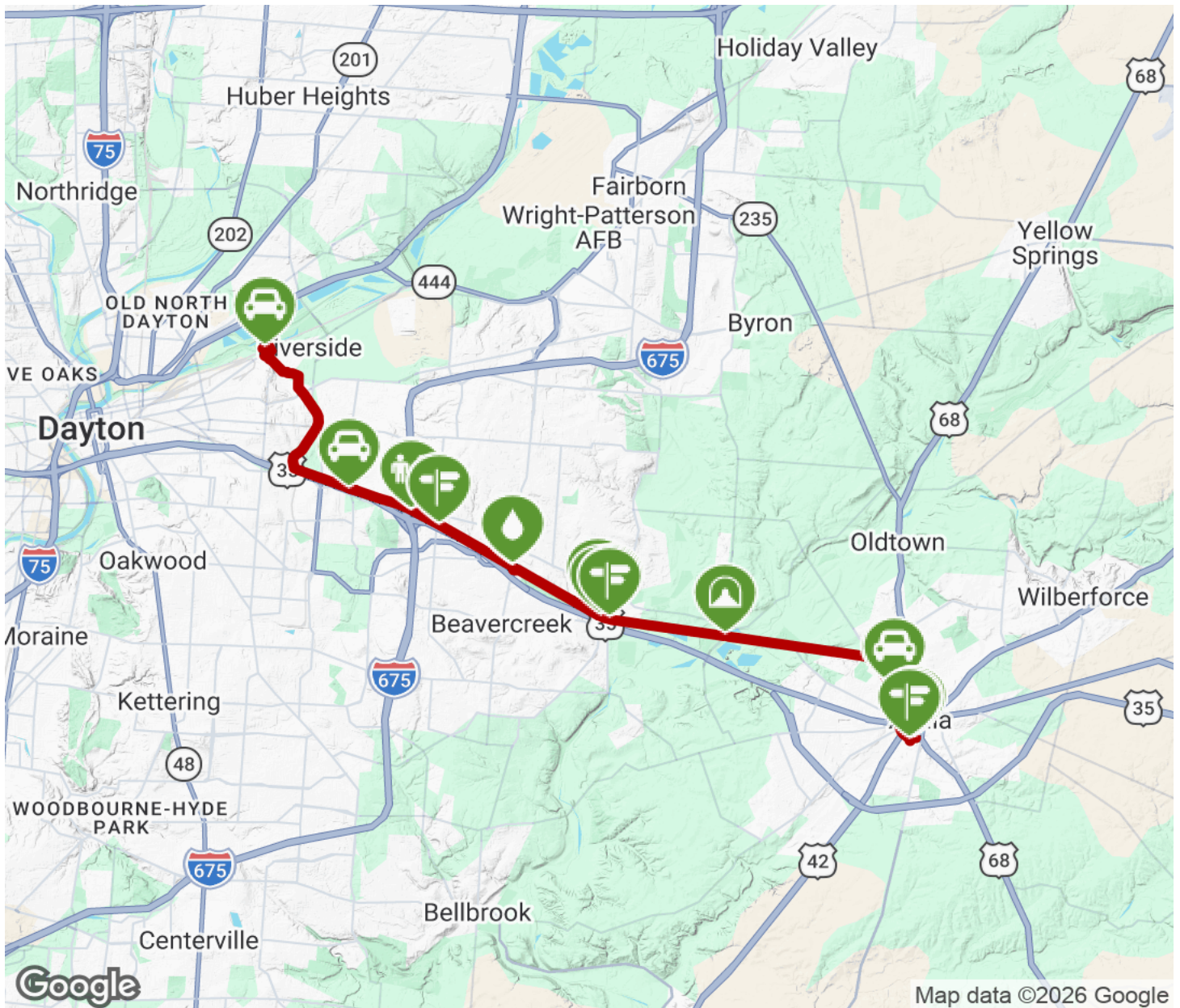
- 1 Creekside Trail (Beavercreek)
- E.J. Nutter Park, 865 Factory Rd (Beavercreek)
- Xenia Rotary Disc Golf Course, 436 Towler Rd (Xenia)

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



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Trailhead



Restroom



Parking



Water Fountain



Tunnel



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