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The full 25-mile rail-trail is open for non-motorized multiple use, including mountain biking, walking, and horseback riding. In winter, the trail is groomed for cross-country skiing and snowshoeing. The experience includes scenic views along Curlew Lake and the Kettle River, two former railroad bridges, and a short tunnel cut into the rocky hillside.

Two sections of the trail have an improved surface: a 5.5-mile section along Curlew Lake in Republic and a 3.1-mile section running along the Kettle River between the town

of Curlew and the tunnel (on the way north to Danville). These sections have a finely crushed stone surface that is smooth and hard-packed, offering an experience similar to pavement and suitable for use with road bikes, inline skates, and wheelchairs.

From the southern end of the trail, you can connect to the [Golden Tiger Pathway](#), which heads 5.5 miles southwest into Republic and is open to ATVs in addition to non-motorized uses.



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States: Washington

Counties: Ferry

Length: 25miles

Trail end points: USA/Canada Border

(Danville) to Golden Tiger Pathway (Republic)

Trail surfaces: Ballast,Crushed Stone

Trail category: Rail-Trail

Trail activities: Bike,Fishing,Horseback

Riding,Mountain Biking,Inline

Skating,Walking,Wheelchair Accessible,Cross
Country Skiing

Parking & Trail Access

There are parking lots (unpaved) available at several trailheads (from south to north): Herron Creek Road, Miyoko Point Road, Blacks Beach Road, Kiwanis Road (located at the north end of Curlew Lake and considered the main trailhead), and North Curlew (near the town of Curlew). Visit the [TrailLink map](#) for all options and detailed directions.



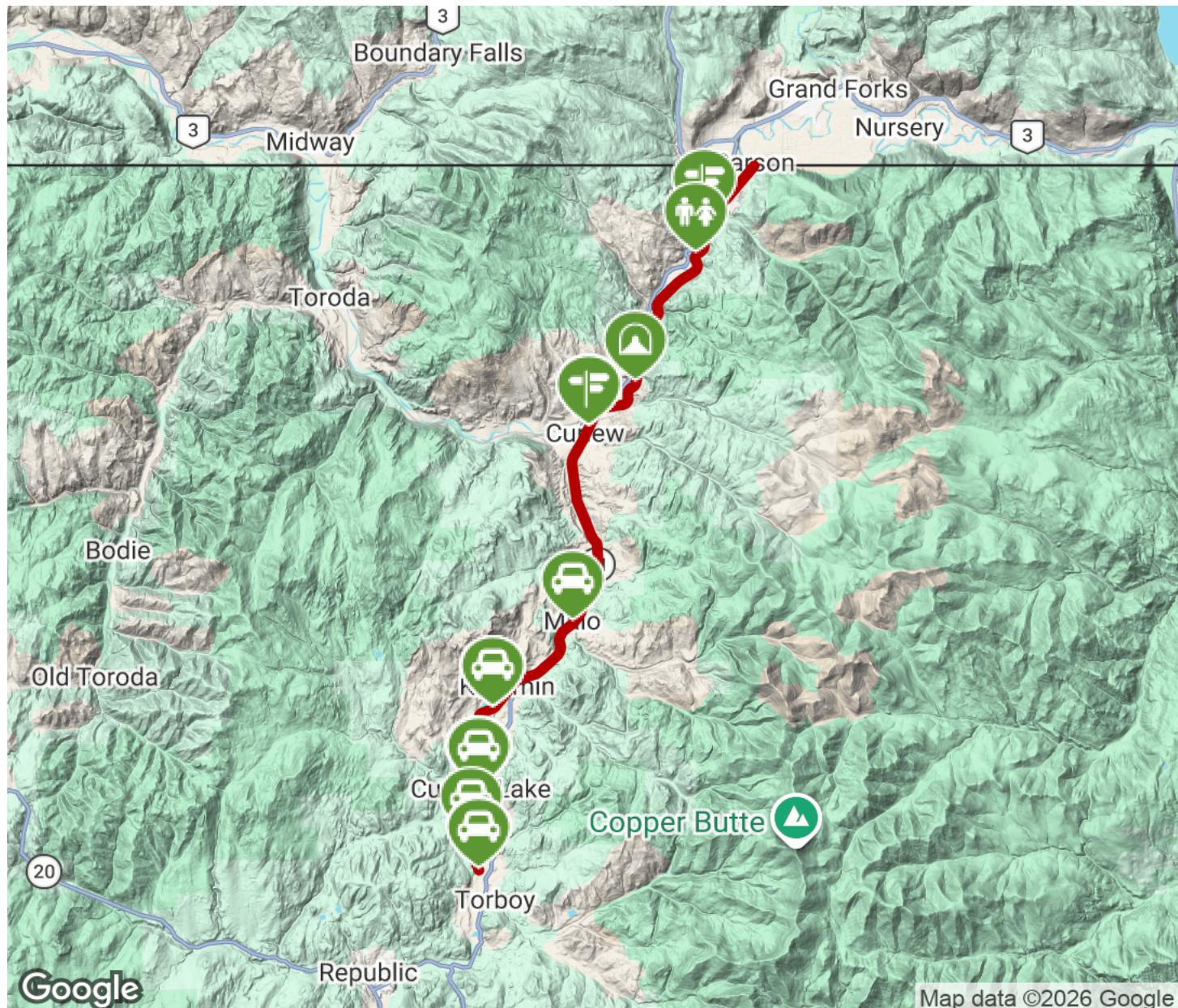
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Trailhead



Restroom



Parking



Water Fountain



Tunnel



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