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Located just south of Salem in western Oregon, the mile-long trail offers a scenic escape through wetlands and woodlands. Interpretive signs along the way tell you about the abundant wildlife. The trail ends at an observation point overlooking a pond, which provides a great place to watch for great blue herons, egrets, and other birds.



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States: Oregon

Counties: Marion

Length: 1miles

Trail end points: Wintel Road parking area to
Wood Duck Pond observation point

Trail surfaces: Boardwalk

Trail category: Greenway/Non-RT

Trail activities: Walking

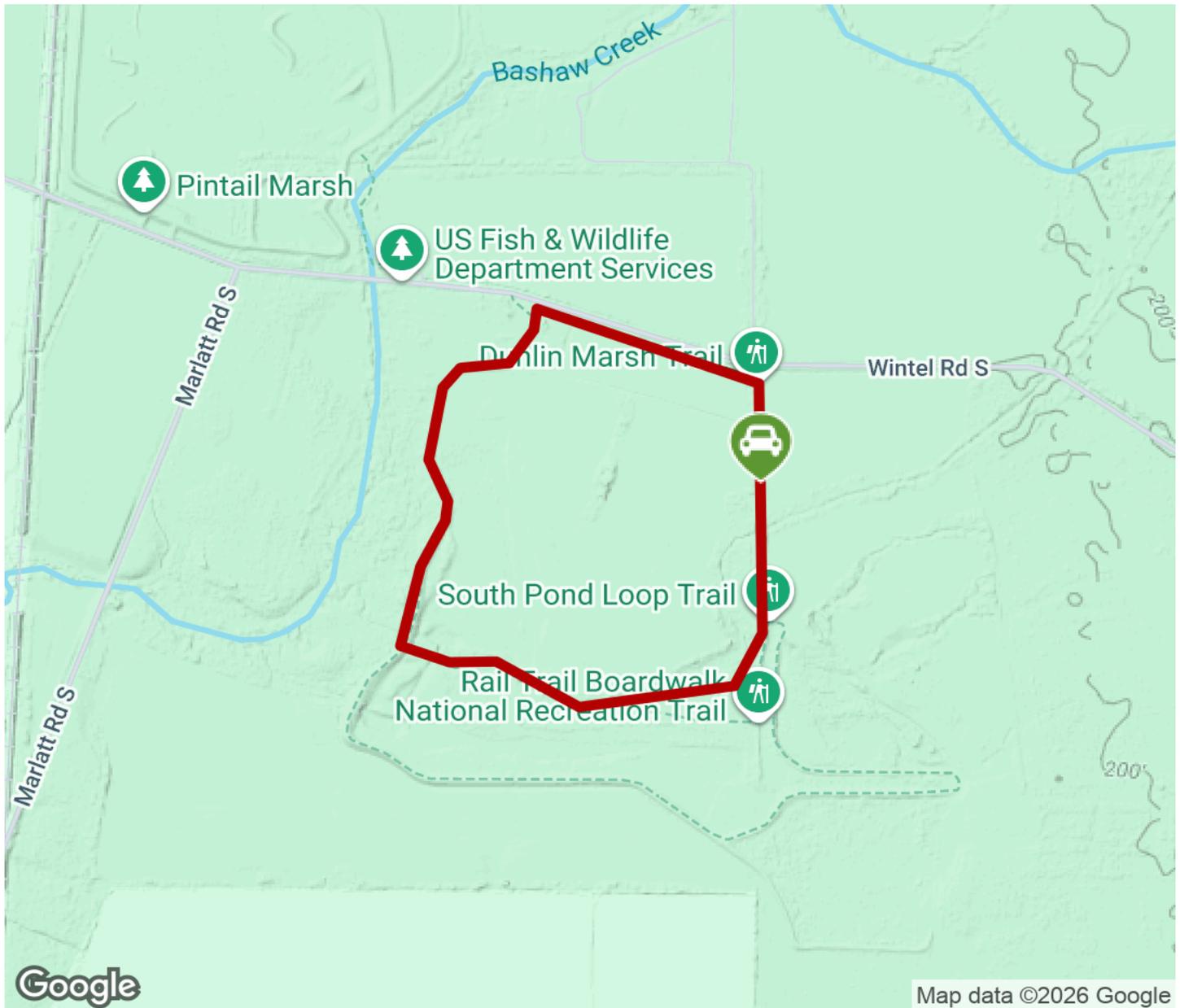
Parking & Trail Access

Ankeny National Wildlife Refuge is located at 2301 Wintel Road in Jefferson. The trail begins on the south side of Wintel Road, not far from the Wintel Road parking area.



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Trailhead



Restroom



Parking



Water Fountain



Tunnel



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