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Guides   



**McClintock
Trail**
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[Recreation Trail](#)

McClintock Trail is part of the Erie-To-Pittsburgh Trail; please see the link in the Explore Related Content box for more information.

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Just south of the park, a 1.8-mile section on Waitz Road, a dirt road with a few steep slopes in Cornplanter Township, provides access to the historic McClintock Well #1.

The southern section of the McClintock Trail was completed in September 2013, moving bicyclists and other trail users off busy State Route 8. This segment is a smooth, flat asphalt trail that aligns with an active class three railroad; the train is slow moving at approximately 15 MPH. This segment of the trail takes users from McClintock Well #1 to Oil City, where users can pick up the trail route through Oil City to the [Samuel Justus](#)



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States: Pennsylvania

Counties: Venango

Length: 9.4 miles

Trail end points: Oil Creek State Park to

Samuel Justus Trail

Trail surfaces: Asphalt

Trail category: Rail-Trail

Trail activities: Bike, Mountain Biking, Inline Skating, Walking

Parking & Trail Access

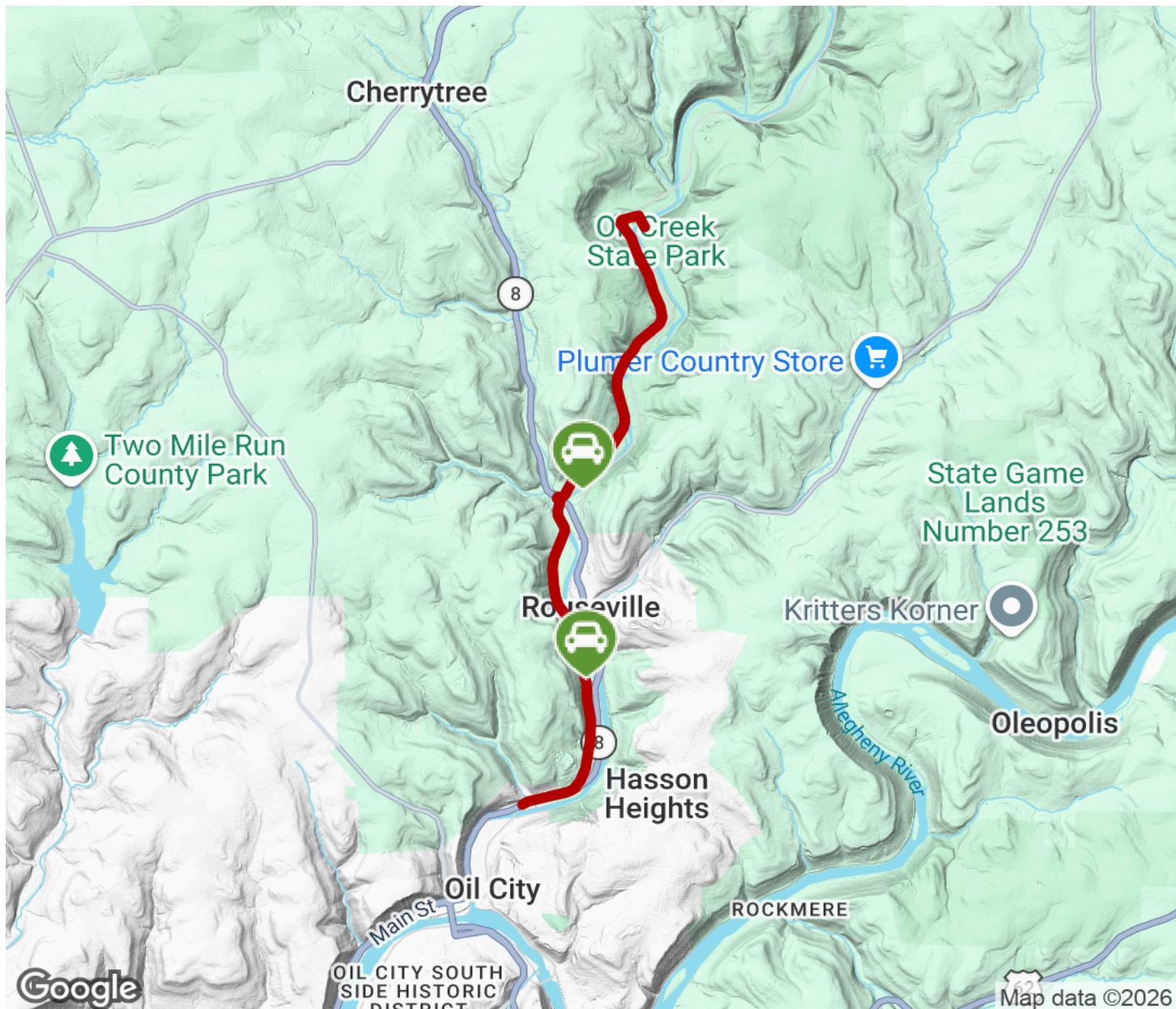
On the north end of the trail, there is a small trailhead at McClintock Well #1 on Waitz Road, as well as a large trailhead on Old Bankson Road, approximately 800 feet off State Route 8.

If you are getting on the trail from the southern end, there is no designated parking area.



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-  Trailhead
-  Restroom
-  Parking
-  Water Fountain
-  Tunnel