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Guides



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Waterfowl and fish can be spotted in the canal, and fishing is permitted. One highlight along the route is the Paseo Vista Recreation Area in Chandler, a 64-acre park atop a former landfill that offers a large archery facility, playground, and disc golf.

Connections

From the Consolidate Canal Path's northern endpoint, trail users can continue west on the [Tempe Canal Path](#) or north on the [Southern Canal Path](#).

In Gilbert, trail users can pick up the [Western Canal Path](#).

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About the Route

The gentle-grade Consolidated Canal Path connects Chandler (where it is also known as the Paseo Trail), Gilbert (known here as the Heritage Trail), and Mesa as it winds through neighborhoods, farms, and parks.



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States: Arizona

Counties: Maricopa

Length: 18.9miles

Trail end points: Southern Canal Path (Mesa)
to Hunt Hwy. (Chandler)

Trail surfaces: Concrete,Gravel

Trail category: Canal

Trail activities: Bike,Fishing,Horseback
Riding,Inline Skating,Walking,Wheelchair
Accessible

Parking & Trail Access

The Consolidated Canal Path runs between Southern Canal Path (Mesa) and Hunt Hwy. (Chandler).

Parking is available at:

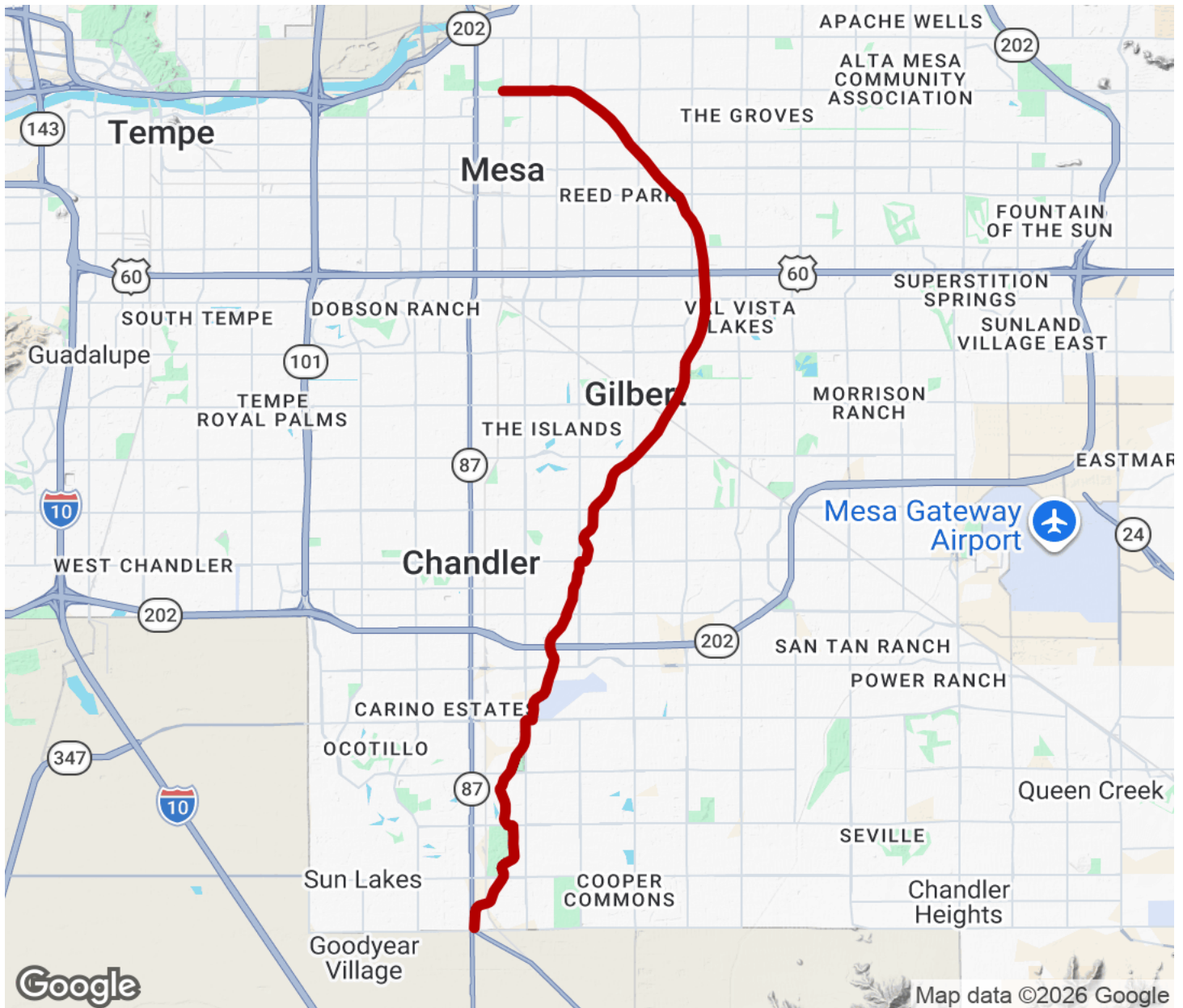
- Paseo Vista Recreation Area, 3850 S. McQueen Rd. (Chandler)
- Tibshraeny Family Park, 270 N. Cottonwood St. (Chandler)
- Harmony Park, 1434 S. 32nd St. (Mesa)

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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