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Guides   



**Big Cove
Creek
Greenway**
Alabama



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The trail ends at the Hays Nature Preserve, a sprawling city park offering miles of trails through swamps and wooded areas. To extend your journey through the park, hop on the [Flint River Greenway](#).

Mid-trail, travelers can also pick up the [Little Cove Road Greenway](#) to go 5 miles northeast to the Flint River and



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States: Alabama

Counties: Madison

Length: 2.8miles

Trail end points: Cranfield Rd., Huntsville to Flint River Greenway

Trail surfaces: Asphalt,Concrete

Trail category: Greenway/Non-RT

Trail activities: Bike,Inline

Skating,Walking,Wheelchair Accessible

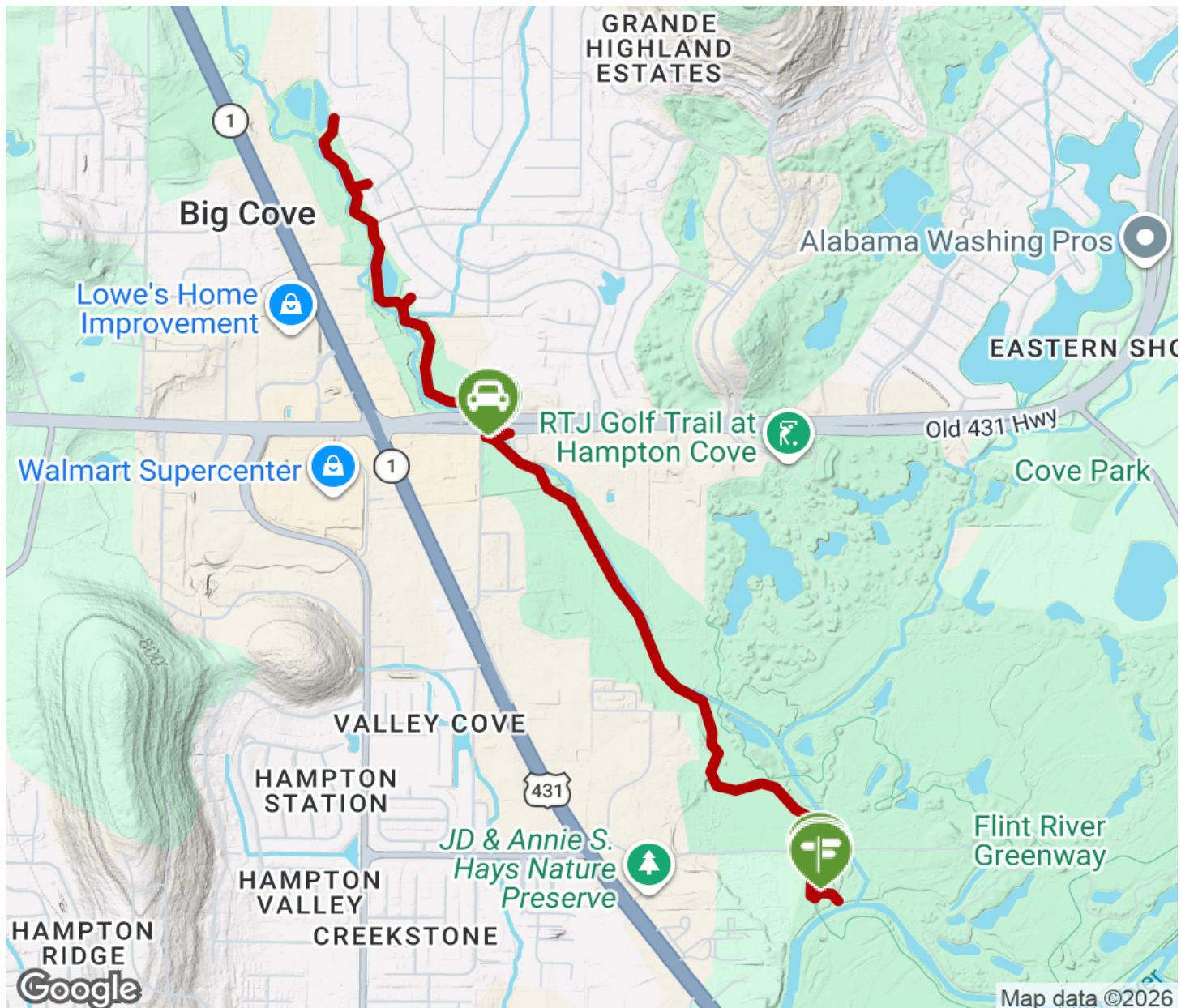
Parking & Trail Access

A parking lot and trailhead is available at Old Highway 431 and Wade Road. Additional parking can be found in the Hays Nature Preserve. You can also park in the lots at the Hampton Cove Center, a shopping complex at the corner of Highway 431 and Old Highway 431.



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Trailhead



Restroom



Parking



Water Fountain



Tunnel



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