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The hike involves a few short switchbacks, but you'll be rewarded with a beautiful view of the lake at the end of your journey, and benches along the trail offer places to rest. To further explore the area, you can continue on the Squires Lake Loop for just shy of a mile. Other trails through the park also offer outstanding vistas, but are more challenging.



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States: Washington

Counties: Whatcom

Length: 0.4miles

Trail end points: Old Highway 99 to Squires Lake

Trail surfaces: Dirt,Gravel

Trail category: Rail-Trail

Trail activities: Fishing,Walking

Parking & Trail Access

From I-5, take Exit 242 and drive east three-fourths of a mile to the parking area and trailhead for Squires Lake Park.



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Trailhead



Restroom



Parking



Water Fountain



Tunnel



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