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Guides



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*North Carolina*



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From the western end, the trail begins off the parking lot for the Marketplace Mall. From there, you will soon pass through Washington Park, a 75-acre recreational area with athletic fields, picnic pavilions, a dog park and a playground.

Once out of the park, you will reach S Broad Street; follow it north on the sidewalk, then go east on W Salem Avenue around the traffic circle to connect to the trail again.

Or, to avoid the traffic circle: just before you reach S Broad Street, take the fork to the right under the street; cross the large wooden bridge and follow the sidewalk to the left for

approximately 200 feet, then make another left before the traffic circle. This will take you back under the street and past the tennis courts.

If you go north at the traffic circle, you can also hop on the [Winston-Salem Strollway](#), a 1.2-mile rail-trail that parallels Old Salem Road into downtown.

Stay on the greenway and you'll travel between Winston-Salem University and Civitan Park and through Reynolds Park with its 18-hole golf course.

The trail's eastern end is at Salem Lake, the city's second largest source of water and a popular place for boating and fishing. Take the [7-mile loop](#) around the lake for outstanding views of the water.



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**States:** North Carolina

**Counties:** Forsyth

Length: 5.2miles

**Trail end points:** Marketplace Mall (off Peters Creek Parkway) to Salem Lake Trail

**Trail surfaces:** Asphalt, Boardwalk, Concrete

**Trail category:** Greenway/Non-RT

**Trail activities:** Bike, Inline

Skating, Walking, Wheelchair Accessible

## Parking & Trail Access

There are numerous places to park along the route and the city's public transit system (WSTA) provides access via a few bus stops.

Parking locations include Marketplace Mall (off Peter's Creek Pkwy), Washington Park (1490 S Broad Street), at Central Park (intersection of S Main St & E Salem Ave), Reynolds Park (2450 Reynolds Park Rd), and Salem Lake Park (1001 Salem Lake Rd).

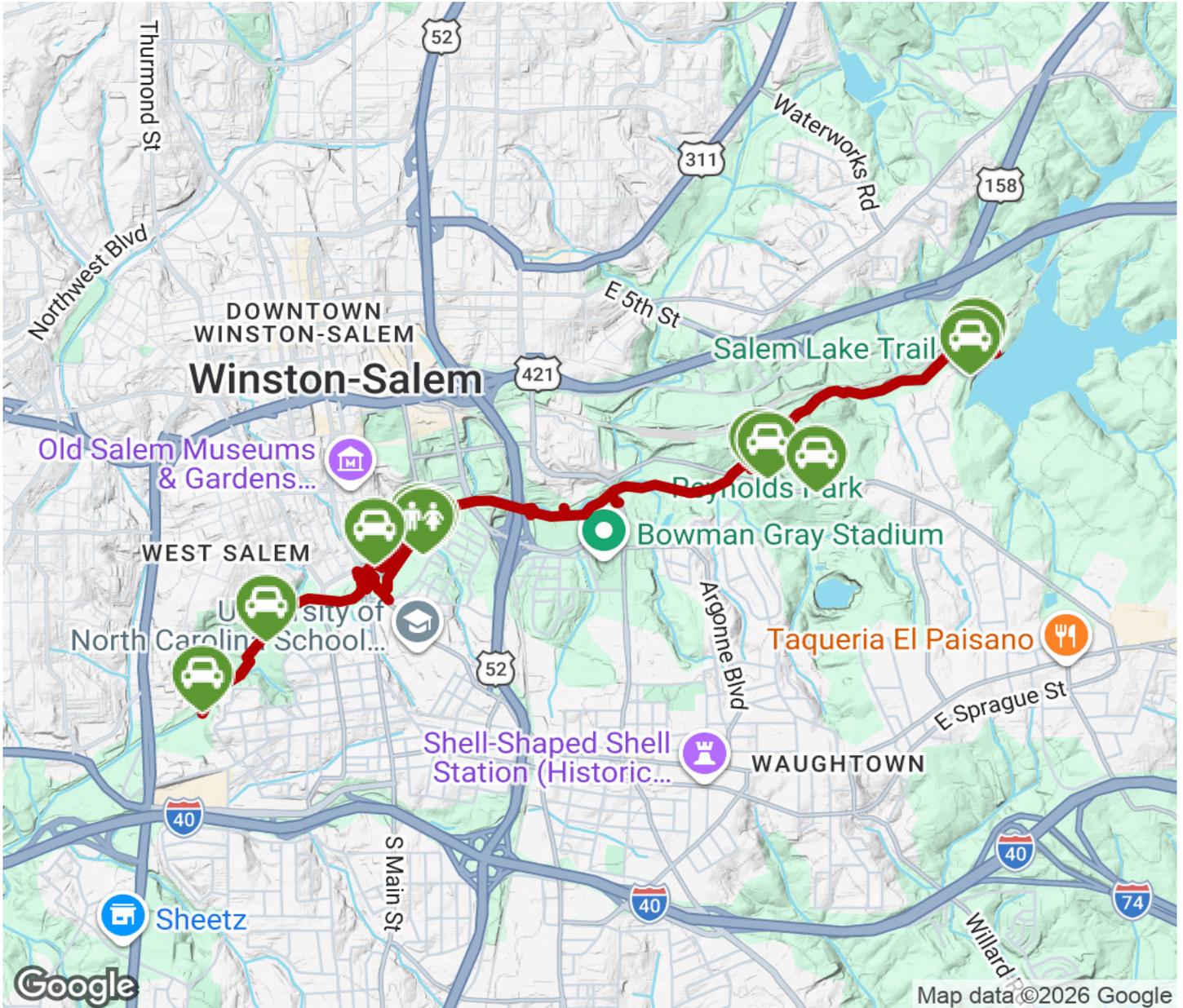
There are bus stops at Marketplace Mall and at Central Park (intersection of S Main St & E Salem Ave).

Visit the [TrailLink map](#) for all locations, transit options, and detailed directions.



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Trailhead



Restroom



Parking



Water Fountain



Tunnel



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