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Guides



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Nimitz Way links Tilden Regional Park and Wildcat Canyon Regional Park via the ridge between Wildcat Creek and the San Pablo Reservoir on the northern outskirts of Berkeley. The paved 4-mile trail utilizes an access road to a missile base that was decommissioned in the 1970s.

The trail is not very steep, with a typical grade of 3 percent for most of the trail. Along the way, enjoy scenic views of the reservoir, the San Francisco Bay and Mount Diablo. You may even see a hawk, golden eagle or other raptor. From the trail's western end, hikers, cyclists and horses alike can continue even farther west on the unpaved San Pablo Ridge Trail and Mezue Trail.



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**States:** California

**Counties:** Contra Costa

Length: 4.1miles

**Trail end points:** Wildcat Canyon Rd. in Tilden Regional Park to San Pablo Ridge Trail/Mezue Trail in Wildcat Canyon Regional Park

**Trail surfaces:** Asphalt

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

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

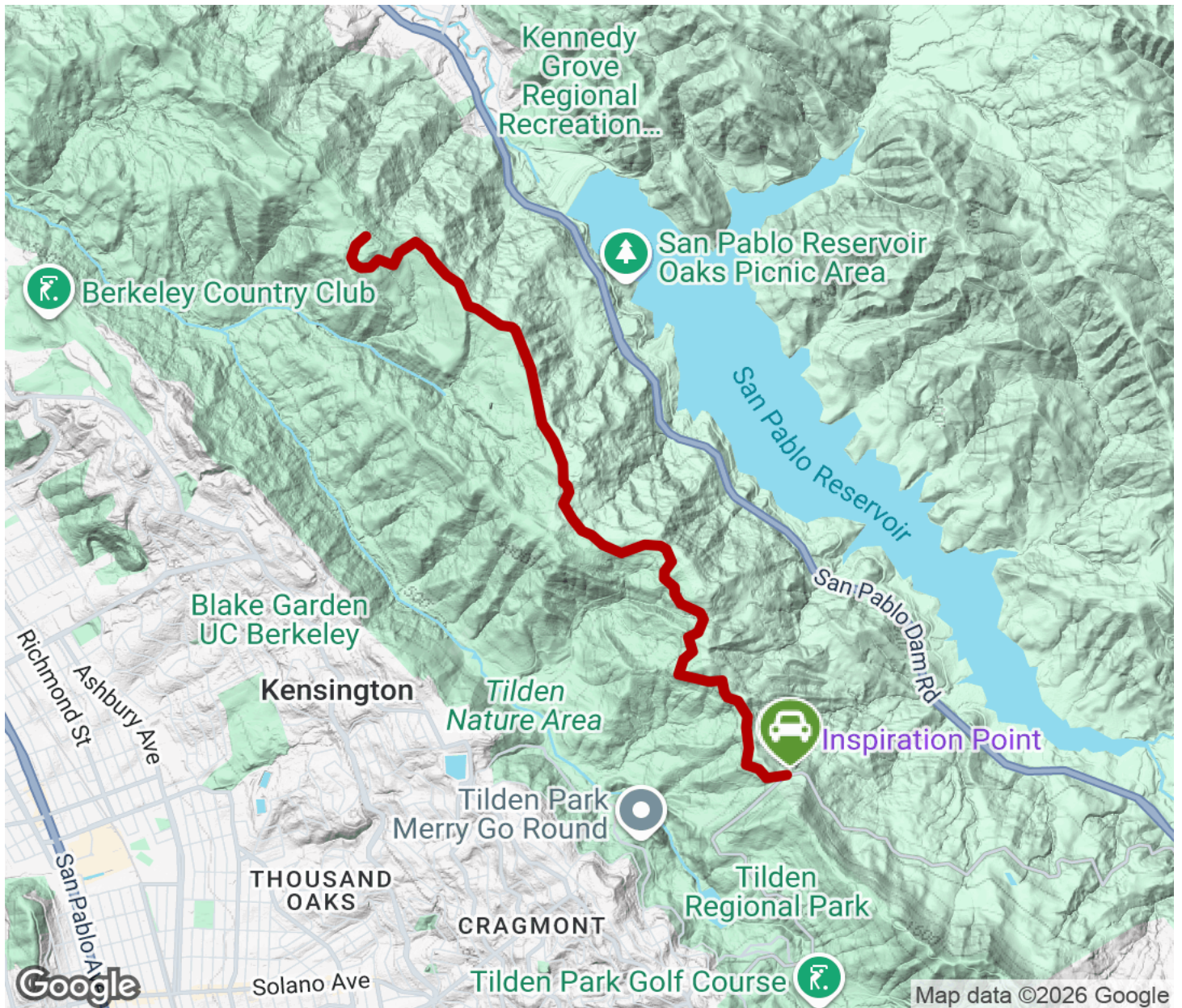
## Parking & Trail Access

Parking for Nimitz Way can be found at the Inspiration Point lot off Wildcat Canyon Road in Tilden Regional Park. There are restrooms here, but no drinking water.



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Trailhead



Restroom



Parking



Water Fountain



Tunnel



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