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## About the Route

The North Bay Trail's southern end begins in downtown St. Petersburg with an easy connection to the scenic 50-mile [Fred Marquis Pinellas Trail](#) at Bay Shore Drive SE. From there, the trail heads north along Tampa Bay, offering enjoyable views of the water, busy marinas, palm trees and beaches.

The trail turns inland at Coffeepot Bayou, which is lined

with beautiful waterfront homes in the Old Northeast neighborhood. A busy commercial area follows as the trail closely parallels 1st Street NE. After crossing a pedestrian bridge at 79th Avenue NE, the trail turns back east and head up to 83rd Avenue North.

Along the way, the long list of recreational amenities that the trail provides access to is exceptional. From south to north, you'll be in the vicinity of:

- Progress Energy Park (180 2nd Avenue SE)
- Demens Landing Park (Bayshore Drive and 1st Avenue SE)
- South Straub Park (200 Bayshore Drive NE)
- North Straub Park (300 Bayshore Drive NE)
- Vinoy Park (701 Bayshore Drive NE)
- North Shore Park (9th Avenue NE and North Shore Drive NE)
- Gizella Kopsick Arboretum (901 North Shore Drive)
- Flora Wylie Park (13th Avenue NE and North Shore Drive NE)
- Coffee Pot Bayou Park (3200 1st Street NE)
- Rio Vista Park (1st Street and 79th Avenue NE)

## Connections

The North Bay Trail is part of the [Pinellas Trail Loop](#), an eventual 75-mile loop running throughout the county. The [Duke Energy Trail](#) on the east side of the peninsula and the [Fred Marquis Pinellas Trail](#) contribute to the loop as well.



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**States:** Florida

**Counties:** Pinellas

Length: 6.3miles

**Trail end points:** Macoma Dr NE (St. Petersburg) to Fred Marquis Pinellas Trail/Demens Landing Park at 1st Ave SE & Bayshore Dr NE

**Trail surfaces:** Asphalt, Concrete

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

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

## Parking & Trail Access

North Bay Trail runs between Macoma Dr NE (St. Petersburg) and Fred Marquis Pinellas Trail/Demens Landing Park at the intersection of 1st Ave SE & Bayshore Dr NE.

For those driving, parking lots can be found in many of the parks adjacent to the trail, including:

- Flora Wylie Park (1400 N Shore Dr NE, St. Petersburg)
- Demens Landing Park, just east of the trail's southern endpoint

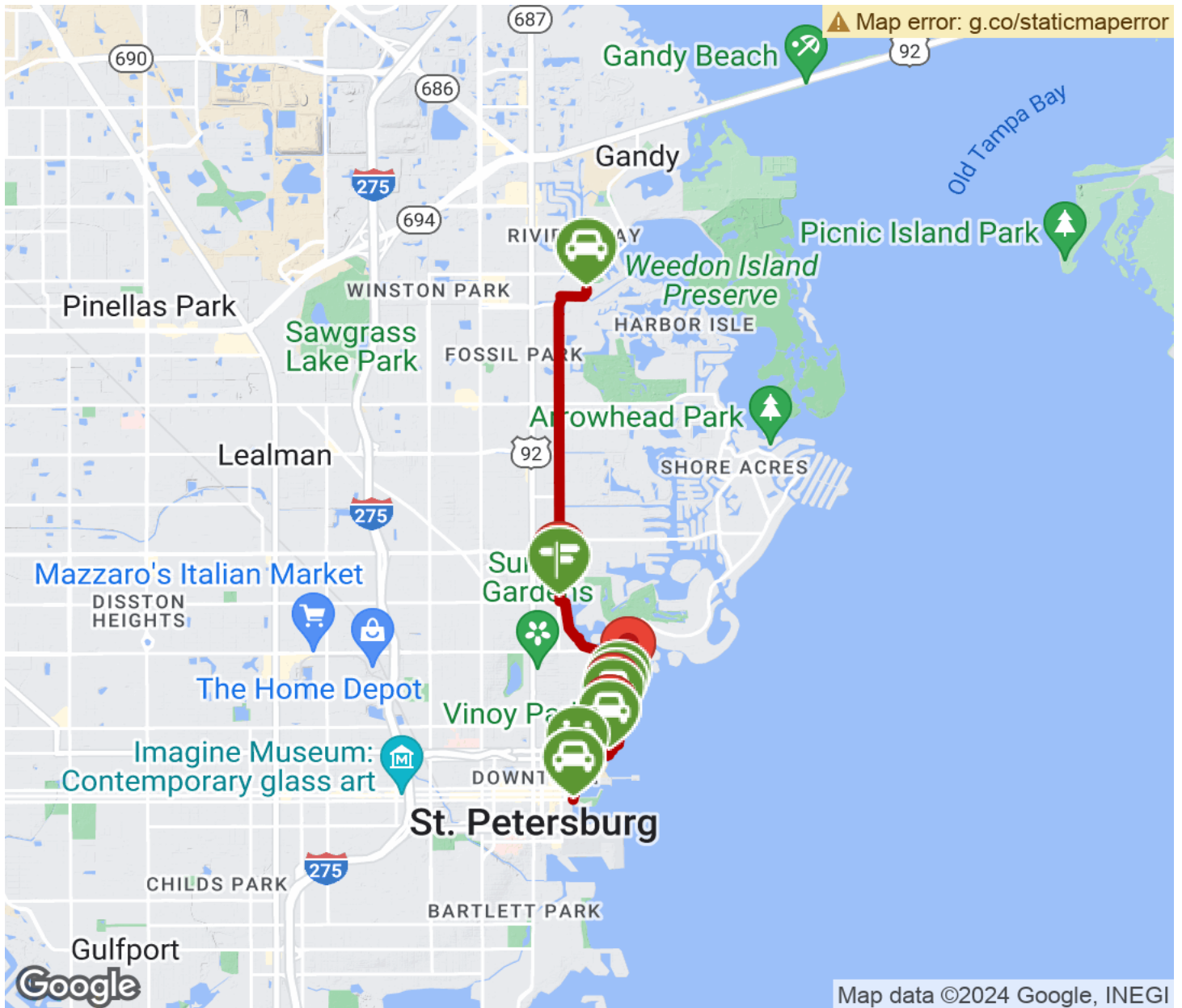
The Pinellas Suncoast Transit Authority (PSTA) bus system, trolley service, and East Lake Shuttle provide access to the trail.

View the [TrailLink map](#) for all options and detailed directions.



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Trailhead



Restroom



Parking



Water Fountain



Tunnel



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