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Guides



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River Trail**
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The North Minnesota River Trail also provides important connections to two other trails: the 13-mile [Red Jacket Trail](#) near its southern end, and the 39-mile [Sakatah Singing Hills State Trail](#) at its northern end.



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States: Minnesota

Counties: Blue Earth

Length: 4.8miles

Trail end points: US 14 and N. Riverfront Dr. to Sibley Parkway

Trail surfaces: Asphalt

Trail category: Greenway/Non-RT

Trail activities: Bike, Inline Skating, Walking

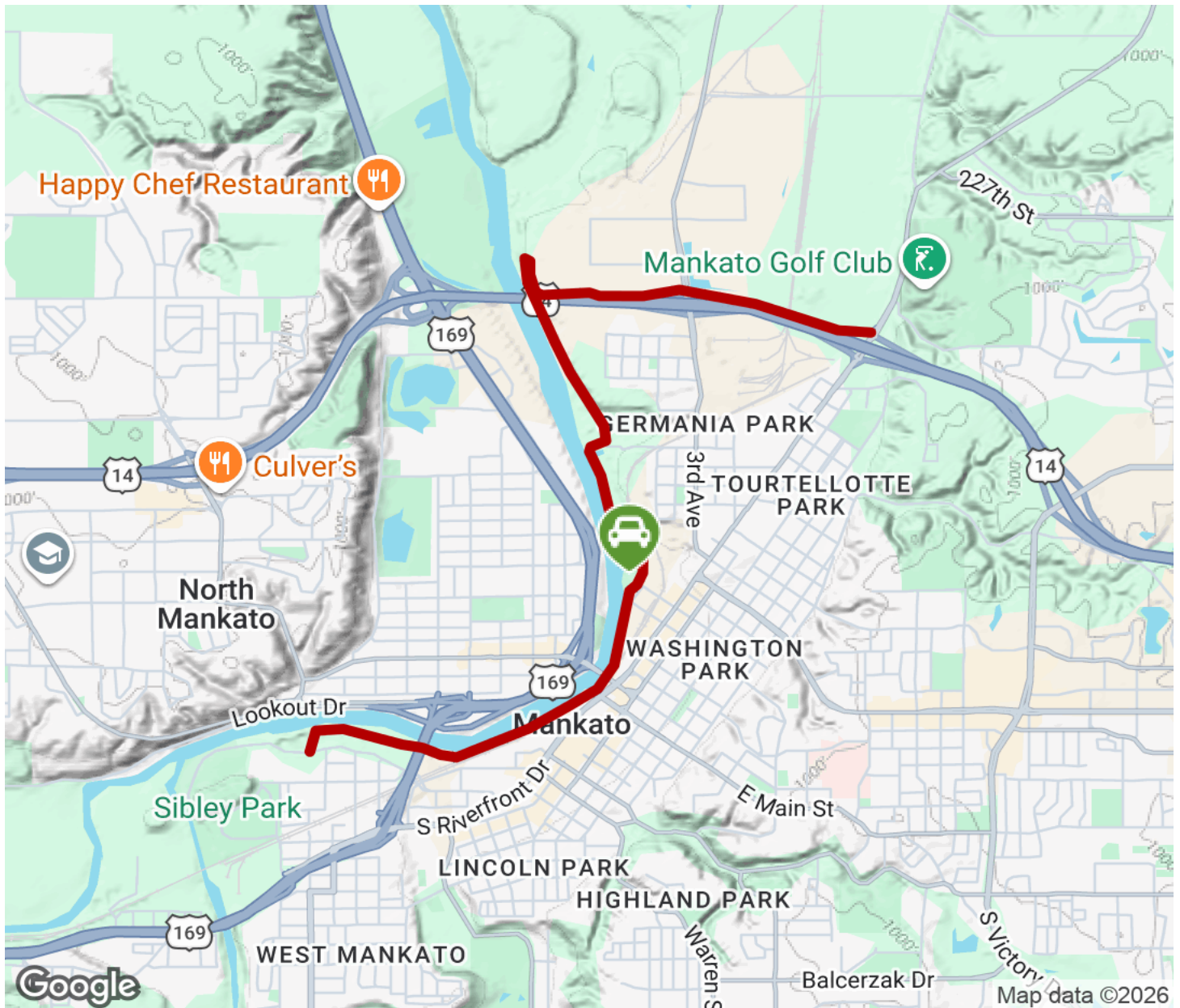
Parking & Trail Access

About mid-trail, is Riverfront Park, which offers parking lots off W. Elm Street and W. Rock Street. A spur off the trail's southern end leads to Sibley Park (900 Mound Avenue), where parking can also be found.



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Trailhead



Restroom



Parking



Water Fountain



Tunnel



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