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Guides



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The waterway is 5 miles long; explore its southern end on the other side of Main Street along the [Ohlone Loop Trail](#). Or, continue on a neighboring marsh along the [Watsonville Slough Trail](#).



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**States:** California

**Counties:** Santa Cruz

Length: 2.5miles

**Trail end points:** Main St. and Ohlone Pkwy. to  
Pennsylvania Dr. and Winding Way

**Trail surfaces:** Asphalt

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

**Trail activities:** Bike, Inline

Skating, Walking, Wheelchair Accessible

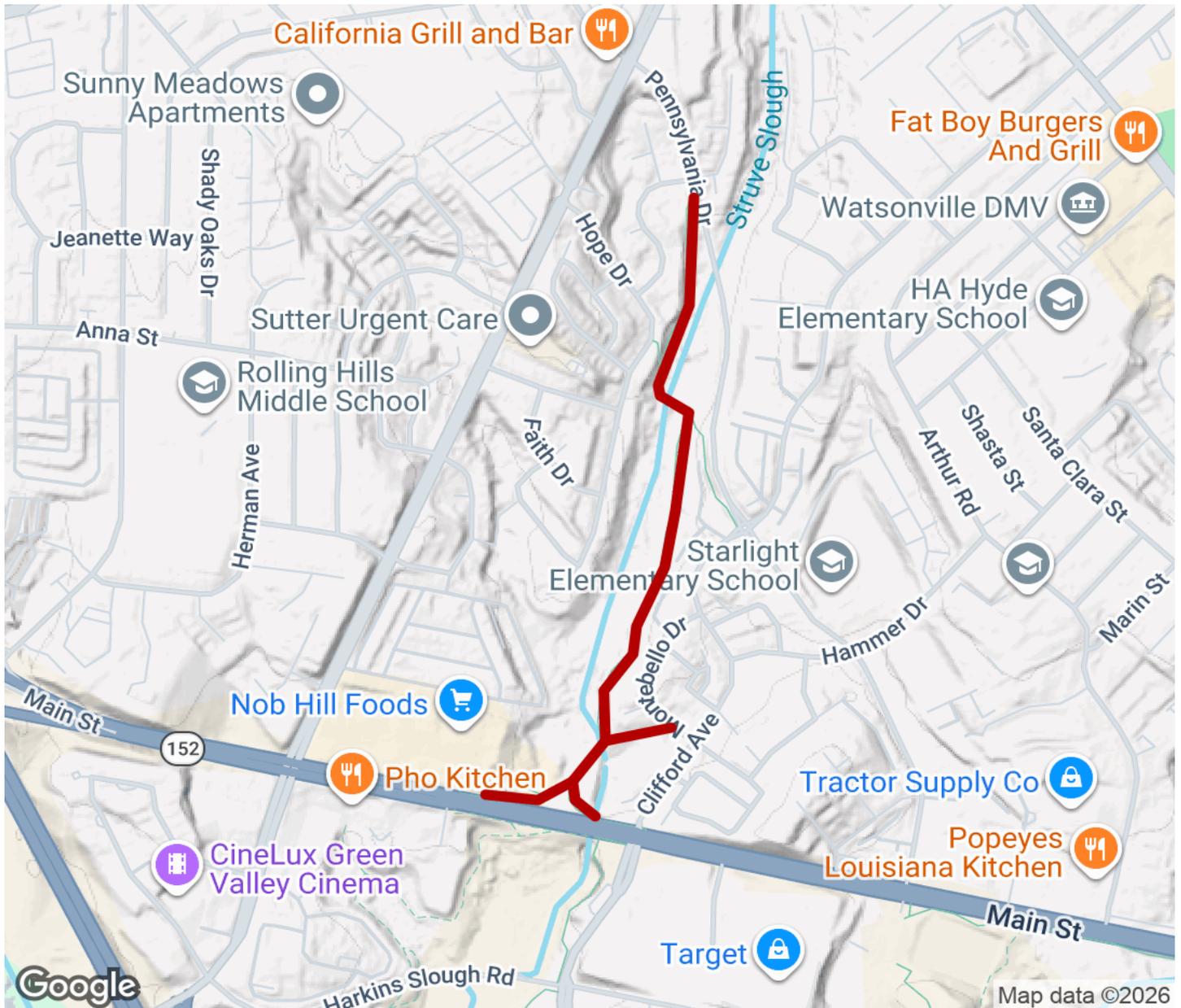
## Parking & Trail Access

Parking can be found at the south end of the trail at the Watsonville Square shopping center, located along Main Street and Green Valley Road.



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Trailhead



Restroom



Parking



Water Fountain



Tunnel



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