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Guides



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Lake Union
Loop**
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At the northwestern corner of the lake, the trail crosses the Fremont Bridge to connect to the [Burke-Gilman Trail](#), which will take you across the northern end of the lake. Trail users can complete the 6-mile loop around the lake by crossing University Bridge and traveling south on-road along Fairview Avenue.



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States: Washington

Counties: King

Length: 3.6miles

Trail end points: Burke-Gilman Trail at
Fremont Ave. N to Fairview Ave. E

Trail surfaces: Asphalt

Trail category: Greenway/Non-RT

Trail activities: Bike, Inline

Skating, Walking, Wheelchair Accessible

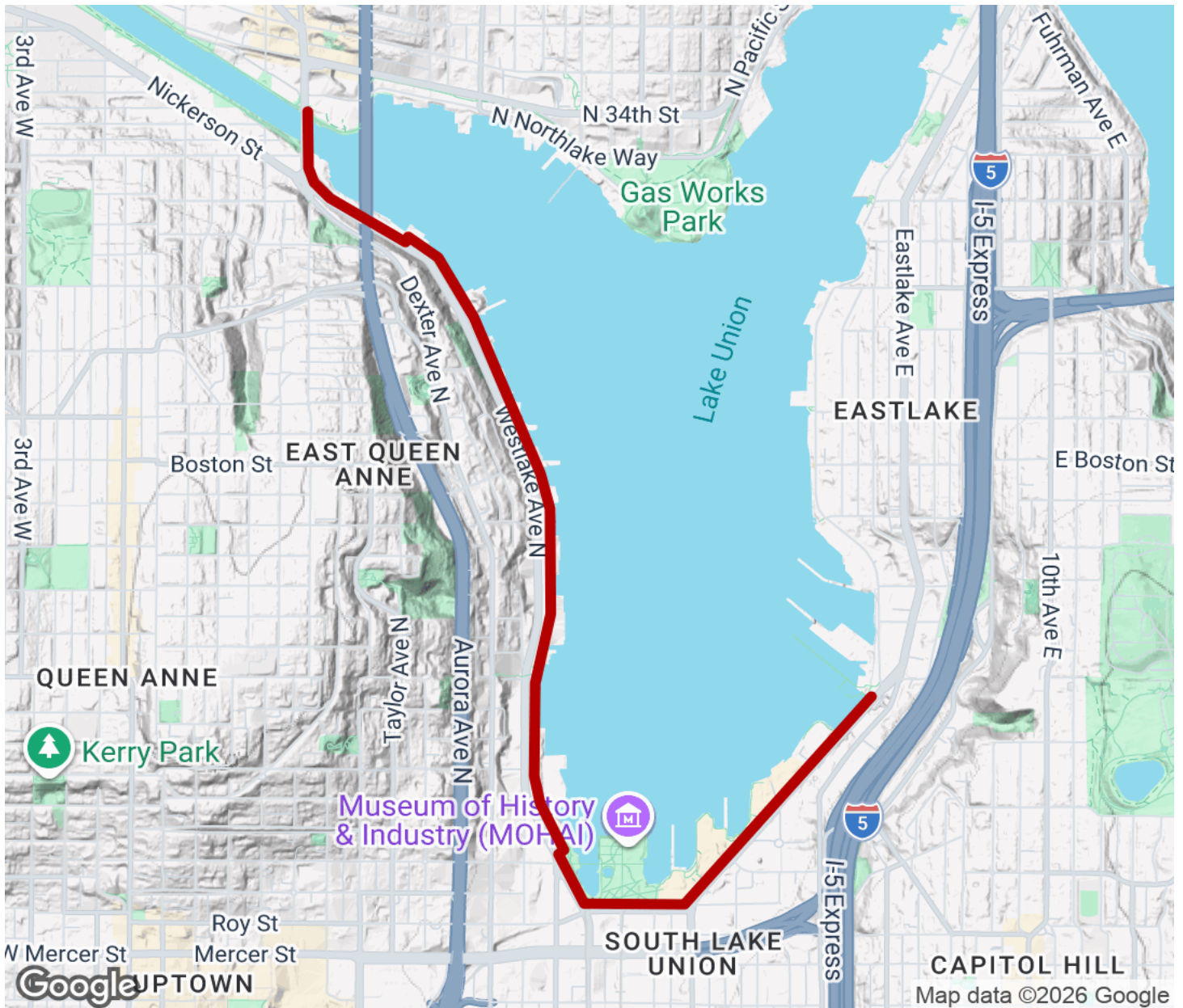
Parking & Trail Access

Parking can be found at Lake Union Park (860 Terry Ave N.) at the southern end of the lake, as well as at Gas Works Park (2101 N. Northlake Way) on the northern end.



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Trailhead



Restroom



Parking



Water Fountain



Tunnel



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