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Guides



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The Spanish Moss Trail (sometimes referred to as the Beaufort Rail Trail or the Magnolia Line Trail) follows the former Port Royal



at Allison Road and heads south through tree-lined neighborhoods to end at US 21/Ribaut Road in Port Royal. Subsequent phases have extended the trail north from Depot Road through the town of Burton, to Roseida Road, and later, up to Clarendon Road. As of 2022, the completed segments of trail total just over ten miles.

The Spanish Moss Trail (sometimes referred to as the Beaufort Rail Trail or the Magnolia Line Trail) follows the former Port Royal Railroad that was constructed in 1870. The planned sixteen-mile scenic pathway will one day run through Beaufort County between Port Royal and Yemassee.

In November 2012, the first mile was completed, from Depot Road to Allison Road in Beaufort, the second-oldest city in South Carolina. It runs through a beautiful marsh and by several historical buildings, including the Beaufort Depot, built in 1901, which sits off Hermitage Road at the trail's northern end.

A year later, 2 more miles of trail were added. The extension seamlessly connects with the inaugural section



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States: South Carolina

Counties: Beaufort

Length: 10.2miles

Trail end points: Clarendon Rd./ US 21 (Burton)
to Ribaut Rd./US 21 (Port Royal)

Trail surfaces: Concrete

Trail category: Rail-Trail

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

Parking & Trail Access

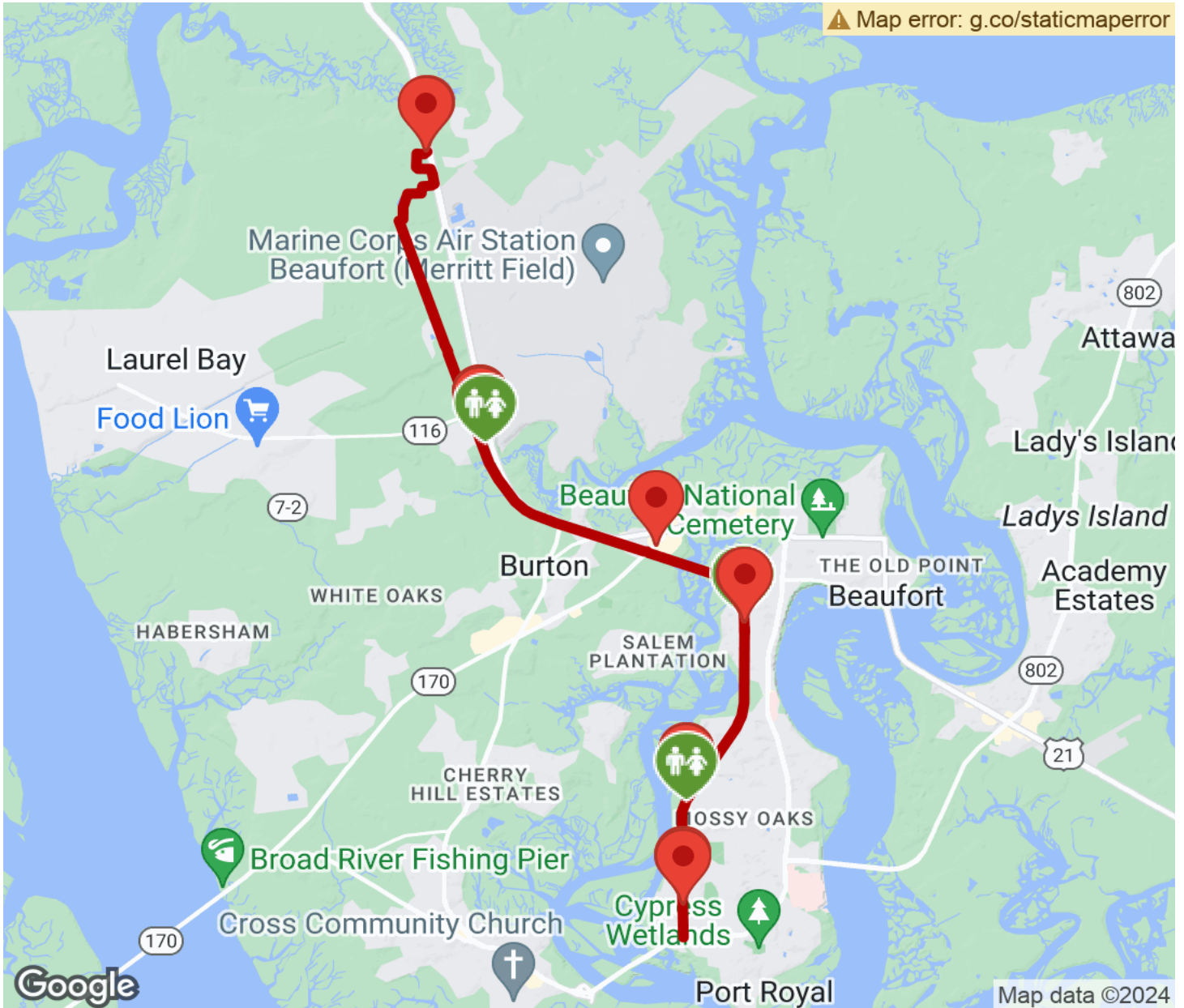
Six parking areas are available along the Spanish Moss Trail (listed below from north to south), and each provides accessible parking:

- Clarendon Road Trailhead at Clarendon Road and Trask Parkway/US 21 (32.4934, -80.7426)
- Roseida Road Trailhead at Roseida Road, 500 feet west of US 21 (32.4530, -80.7342)
- Beaufort Plaza at 11 Robert Smalls Pkwy. (32.4391, -80.7041)
- Depot Road Trailhead at Depot Road and Middleton Street (32.4275, -80.6922)
- Broome Lane Trailhead at 2824 Broome Lane (32.4030, -80.7013)
- Westvine Drive Trailhead at Westvine Drive, 250 feet east of Battery Park Drive (32.3883, -80.7020)



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Trailhead



Restroom



Parking



Water Fountain



Tunnel



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