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Trail**
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About a half-mile southeast from the trail is a unique attraction: Carter Fields, a large blue heron rookery. As many as 70 pairs of herons make nests there each May and June.



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States: Massachusetts

Counties: Essex

Length: 0.9miles

Trail end points: Barker Road, Boxford to
Bradford Street and Barker Road, North
Andover

Trail surfaces: Dirt, Grass

Trail category: Greenway/Non-RT

Trail activities: Horseback Riding, Mountain
Biking, Walking

Parking & Trail Access

Parking is available at Carter Fields, about a half-mile southeast of the Bradford Street and Barker Road intersection in North Andover, where the trail begins.



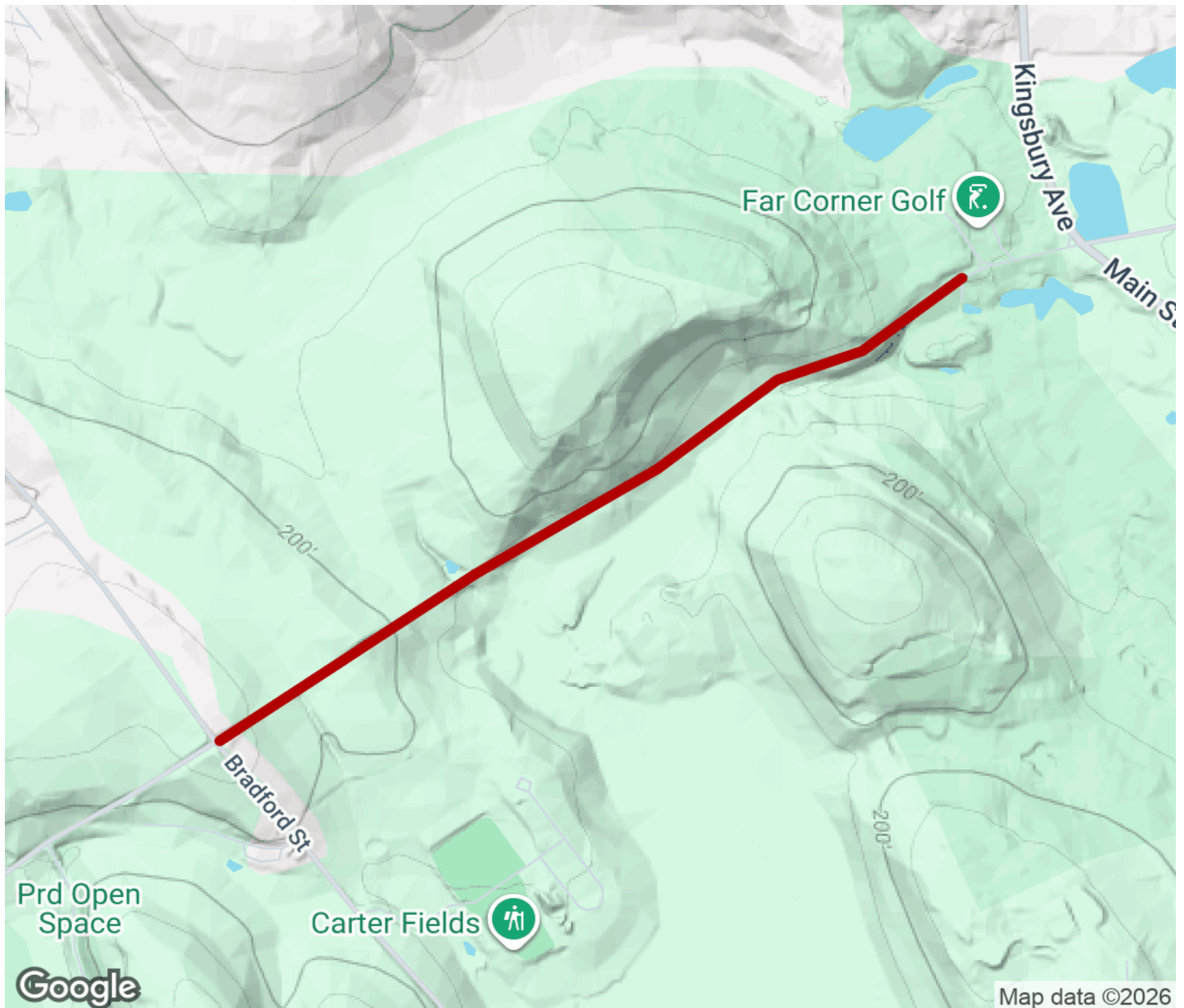
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Trailhead



Restroom



Parking



Water Fountain



Tunnel



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