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States: Illinois

Counties: Lake

Length: 5.9miles

Trail end points: W. Grand Ave./SR 132 to
Chain O' Lakes Bike Path at W. Rollins Rd.

Trail surfaces: Crushed Stone

Trail category: Greenway/Non-RT

Trail activities: Bike, Fishing, Walking, Cross
Country Skiing

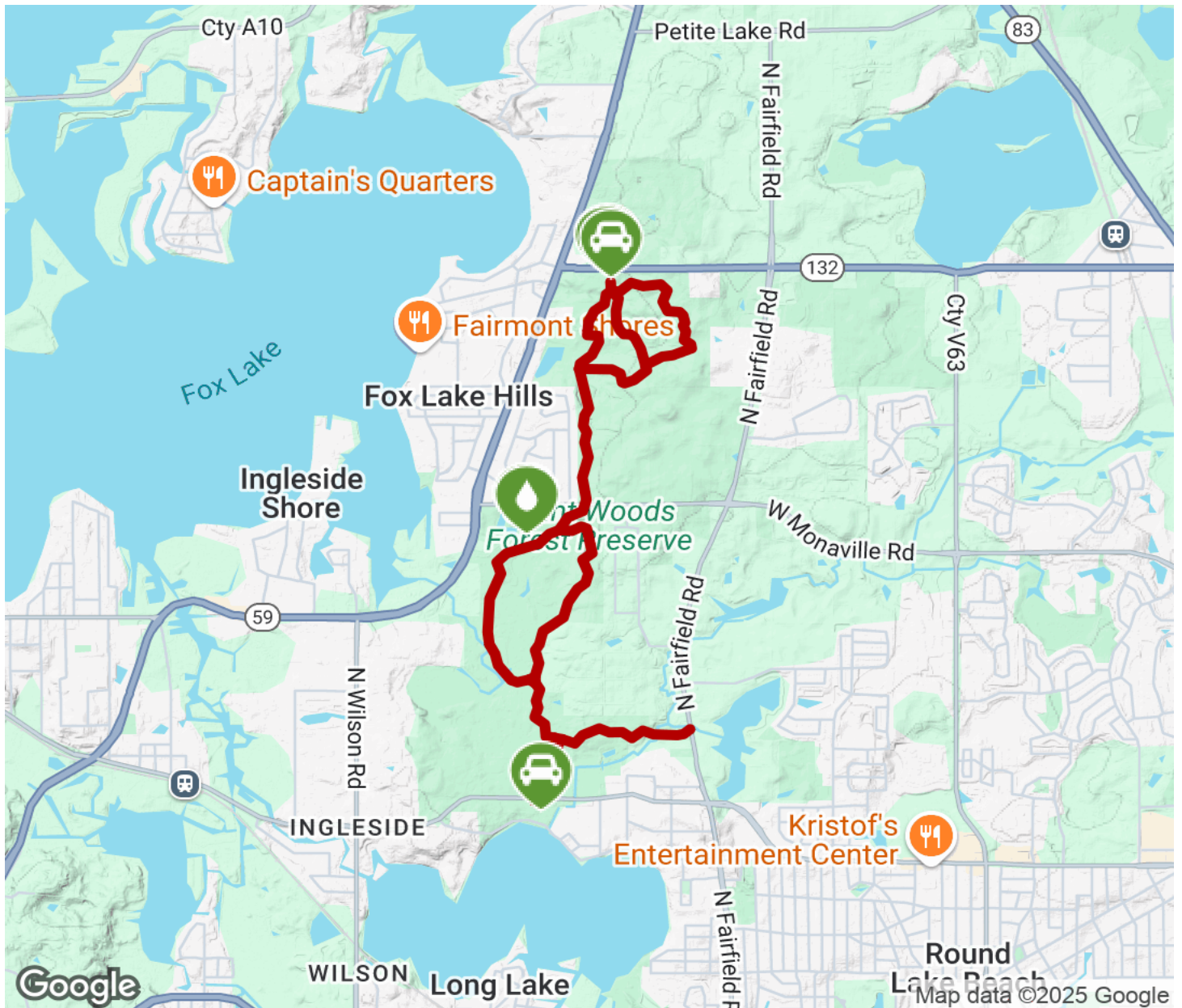
Parking & Trail Access

Grant Woods Forest Preserve is located in Lake Villa, bordered by State Route 59 on the west and by Fairfield Road on the east. Within the preserve, there is parking in three areas (north to south): on the south side of Grand Avenue (SR 132), on the south side of Monaville Road, and south of W. Rollins Road.



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Trailhead



Restroom



Parking



Water Fountain



Tunnel



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