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You can cross the river on a pedestrian bridge at Sportsman Park to reach the mixed-use community of Snake River Landing or stay on the east side of the river to reach South Tourist Park, where camping is available. Sportsman Park offers a gazebo and picnic tables to stop and take in the river views and has a Japanese-style

garden to explore.

On its northern end, the 1-mile Freeman Loop circles Freeman Park, which features the Idaho State Vietnam Veterans Memorial, a playground, an osprey nest platform, disc golf, picnic shelters, restrooms, and water fountains.

South of the Temple Loop is the 1.4-mile Memorial Loop, from south of the West Broadway Street Bridge to Pancheri Drive. On the west side of the river are an overlook, a monument, and a bridge replica. On the east side is Sportsman Park, containing a gazebo, picnic tables, and a Japanese friendship garden.

South of US 20, you'll begin the 2.3-mile Temple Loop, the most heavily used trail section. Crossing the river to head counterclockwise on this loop, you'll soon approach Johns Hole Boat Ramp. Farther down is a diversion dam overlook, complete with a constructed 20-foot waterfall and wheelchair-accessible walkway.

The experience at its north end is more serene as the trail winds through patches of trees and open areas. Going south, the trail borders residential neighborhoods and then commercial areas beginning mid-trail. There will also be some light industrial activity along the last leg of the trail.



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States: Idaho

Counties: Bonneville

Length: 11.4 miles

Trail end points: Idaho State University
Campus (Idaho Falls) to Ryder Park Road (Idaho
Falls)

Trail surfaces: Asphalt

Trail category: Greenway/Non-RT

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

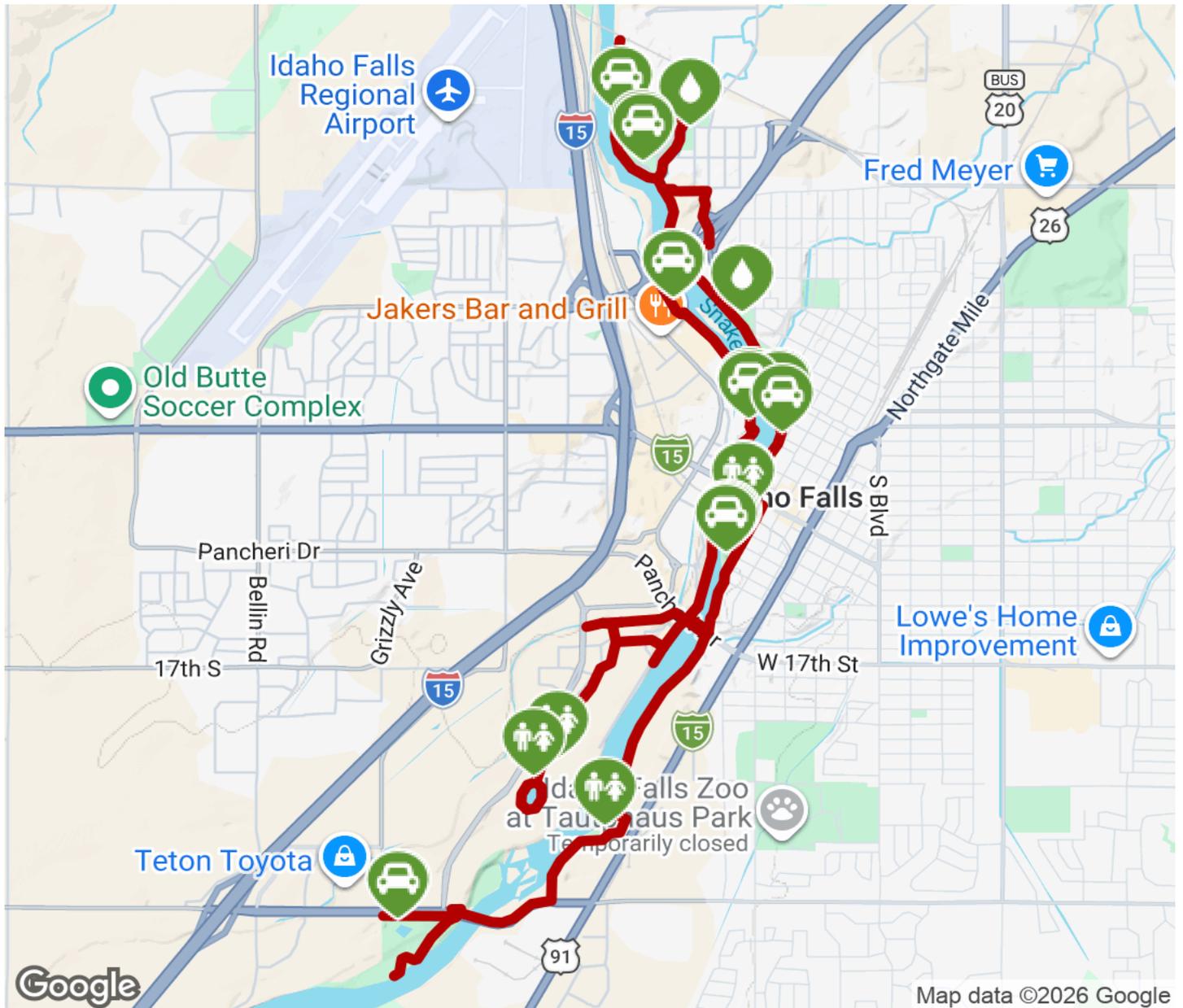
Parking & Trail Access

Parking and restrooms are available at the north end of the trail in Freeman Park (located on Science Center Drive).



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Restroom



Parking



Water Fountain



Tunnel



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