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Guides



**Delaware
River Trail**
Pennsylvania



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Penn's Landing Dog Park. This section of the trail loosely parallels Christopher Columbus Boulevard. Many of the piers along the way have restaurants and other fun attractions.

A highlight is the Spruce Street Harbor Park in Penn's Landing, which has a lively atmosphere and entertainment options in the summer. The Independence Seaport Museum is also accessible from the trail and offers interactive exhibits about American shipbuilding and the development of the U.S. Navy.

Connections

The Delaware River Trail connects with the [Ulysses Wiggins Waterfront Promenade](#).

The trail is also part of the developing Circuit Trails network.

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About the Route

The northern short section of the trail leaves off from Richmond St. and E Lehigh Ave. and heads south to the intersection of Spring Garden Street and Delaware Avenue

The trail is comprised of two disconnected sections with the larger of the two leaving off in the south from the Pier 70 and heading north to Ben Franklin Bridge near the



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States: Pennsylvania

Counties: Philadelphia

Length: 2.6miles

Trail end points: Richmond St. (Philadelphia)
to Pier 70 Blvd. (Philadelphia)

Trail surfaces: Asphalt,Brick

Trail category: Greenway/Non-RT

Trail activities: Bike,Inline

Skating,Walking,Wheelchair Accessible

Parking & Trail Access

The Delaware River Trail runs between Richmond St. (Philadelphia) and Pier 70 Blvd. (Philadelphia), where parking is available. There is a brief gap in the middle of the trail.

Parking is also available at:

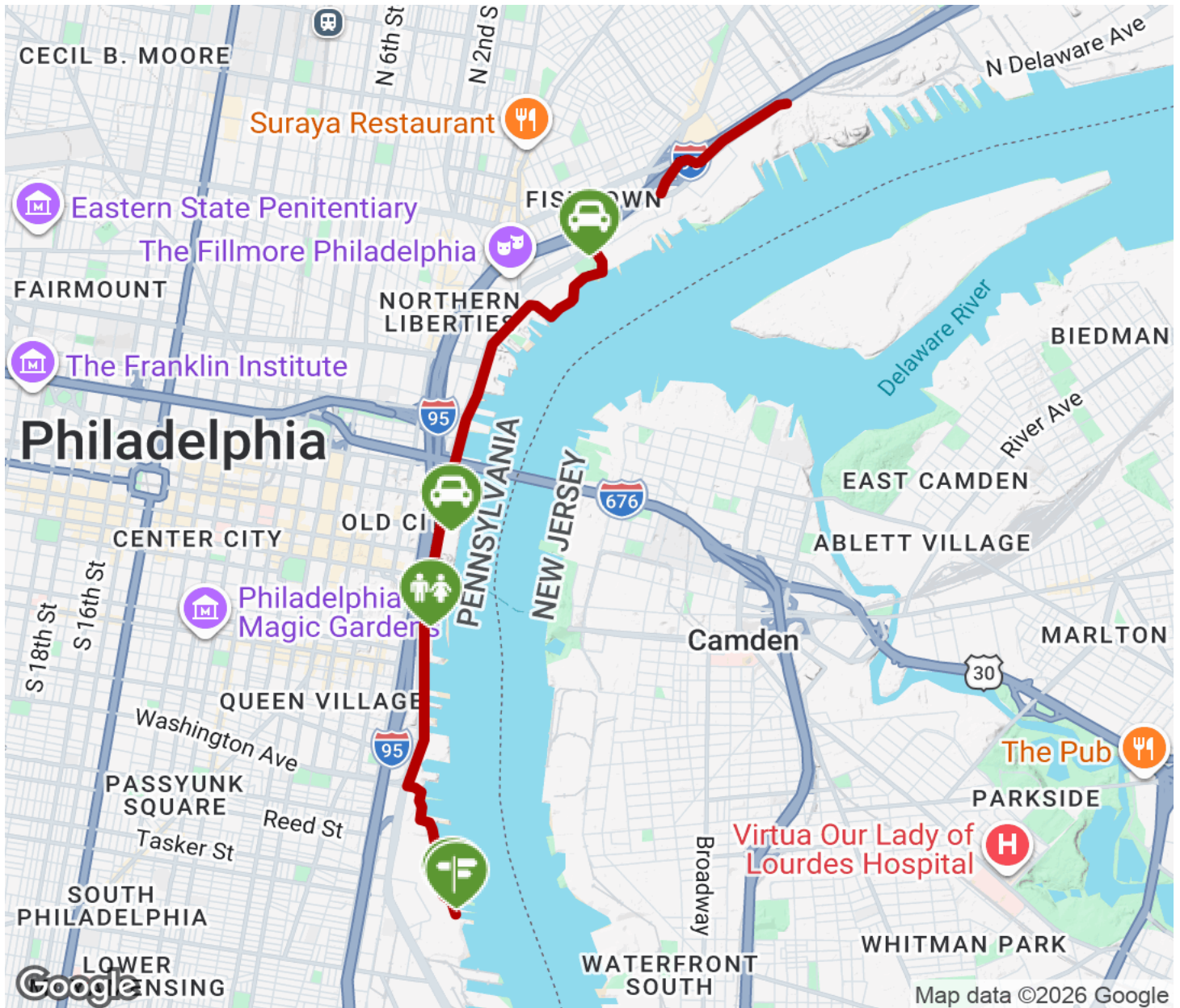
- Penn's Landing Dog Park, 1 N Delaware Ave. (Philadelphia)

The best way to access the trail is by using public transit. SEPTA's Market-Frankford Line provides convenient access. Please see [TrailLink Map](#) for all parking options and detailed directions.



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Trailhead



Restroom



Parking



Water Fountain



Tunnel



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