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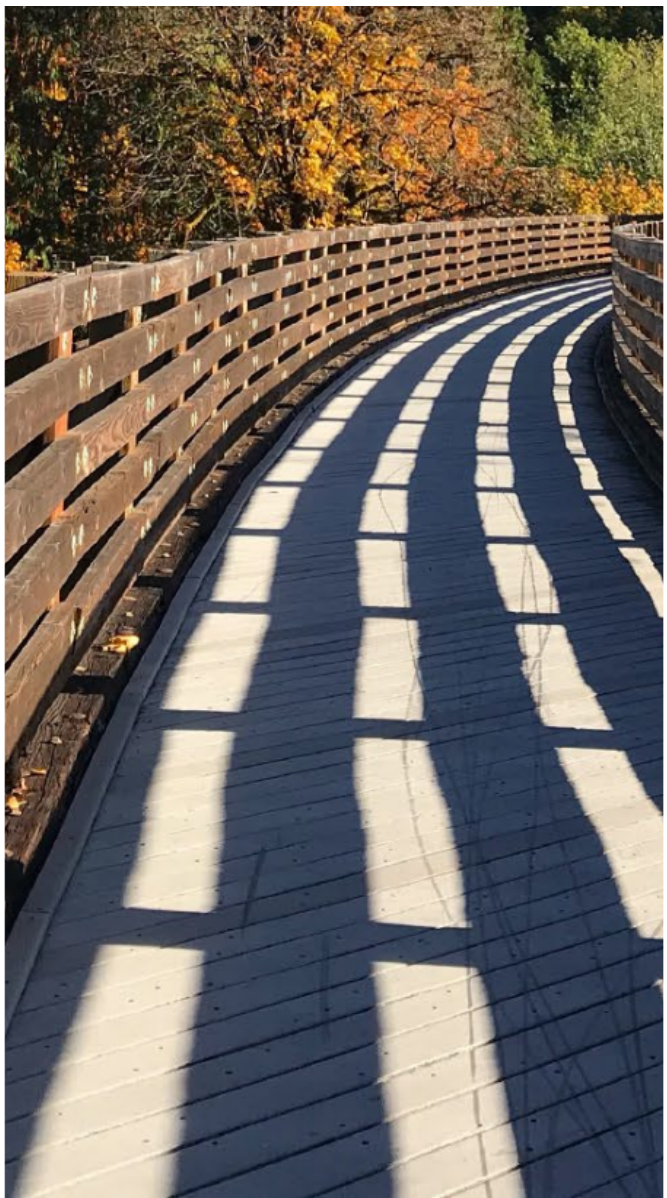

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About the Route

The trail, a combination of off-road asphalt, concrete, and gravel paths, and sidewalks, weaves through residential neighborhoods, mixed forests of hardwoods and pine, parks and natural areas. It connects to amenities including shopping areas and schools. It's open to non-motorized usage, and birding is an exciting activity on the trail, particularly around the Piedmont Environmental Center at the trail's southern end. The paved portions of the trail may be accessible for those using mobility devices and those interested in inline skating.

The northern segment lies entirely in Greensboro, stretching from Lake Brandt Rd & Old Battleground Rd by the Atlantic & Yadkin Greenway to Fox Chase Road. Follow Fox Chase Road to the Fleming Terrace Road roundabout, where the trail picks back up. The trail meanders south with woods on either side for a majority of the route. There are a few road crossings and the trail passes Leonard Recreation Center, where there are restrooms and parking.

There is a very short gap between the intersection of Nora Rd & Friendly Ave and where Nora Road curves east. Use the quiet neighborhood Nora Road, but proceed with appropriate caution. Continuing south, the greenway runs along several streets and passes stores, residences, businesses, and schools. The southern end of this section is at the intersection of Market St & Swing Rd. There are plans to construct sidewalks on Swing Street to bridge the gap, but trail users will still be required to share the road with vehicles along Burnt Poplar.

The trail picks back up a short distance south-west, at Burnt Poplar Road and continues south as it parallels the East Fork Deep River and the western edge of the High Point Lake. There is a short on-road section along Sunnyvale Drive. Just before the southern end on Penny Road, right on High Point Lake, the trail connects to the High Point Greenway.

Connections

At its northern terminus, the trail links up with the Atlantic & Yadkin Greenway.

Just northern of the trail's southern end on Penny Road, it connects to the High Point Greenway.

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States: North Carolina
Counties: Guilford
Length: 14.5miles
Trail end points: Lake Brandt Rd & Old Battleground Rd by Atlantic & Yadkin Greenway (Greensboro) to Penny Rd on High Point Lake (High Point)
Trail surfaces: Asphalt,Concrete,Gravel
Trail category: Greenway/Non-RT
Trail activities: Bike,Inline Skating,Fishing,Wheelchair

Parking & Trail Access

The Bicentennial Greenway runs between the intersection of Lake Brandt Rd & Old Battleground Rd by the Atlantic & Yadkin Greenway (Greensboro) and Penny Rd on High Point Lake (High Point) with a few gaps.

Parking is available at:

- Leonard Recreation Center, 6324 Ballinger Rd (Greensboro)
- Piedmont Environmental Center, 1220 Penny Rd (High Point)

Visit the TrailLink map for all parking options and detailed direction.

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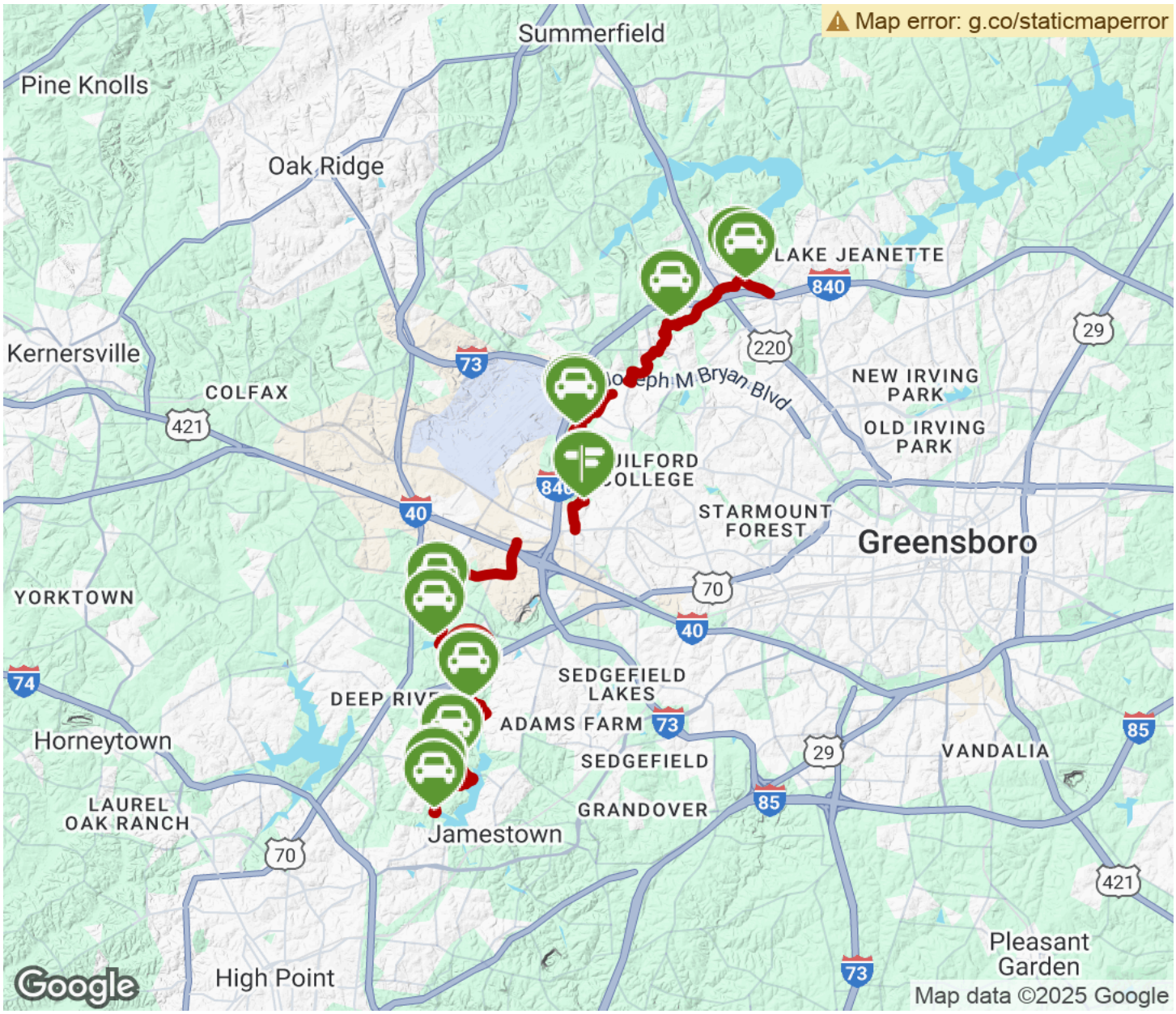

Trailhead Restroom Parking Water Fountain Tunnel

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