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## **Doodle Rail** Trail

South Carolina



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**States:** South Carolina **Counties:** Pickens Length: 8.5miles

Trail end points: Rail Road Street off Hampton

Ave (Pickens) to Main Street (Easley)

Trail surfaces: Asphalt
Trail category: Rail-Trail
Trail activities: Bike, Inline

Skating, Wheelchair Accessible, Walking

## Parking & Trail Access

A trailhead is provided at each end of the trail with parking and portable toilets.

In Pickens, the trailhead is located at State 8 and East Cedar Rock Road, just a block from downtown. It sits where the Pickens Depot once stood and, in the future, may include an information center, railroad museum, and plaza.

In Easley, the trailhead is located at Fleetwood Drive, about a half mile from downtown. Future plans call for the trailhead to include a park and picnic area.



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