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Guides



**Sorenson's  
Way**  
*Delaware*



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western side of the road via a former railroad corridor - on the eastern side of the road, the main trail follows the inactive railroad tracks for a short rail-with-trail segment as the trail enters the county's Swift Bicentennial Park.

Certainly not a destination trail, Sorenson's Way nevertheless offers a useful community pathway, connecting residents with their local public library and parks.

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The trail's southern end picks up across from the entrance to the local athletic club and continues north along the roadside - while not the most scenic stretch of trail, it gets the job done. A short spur across from Evanson Road provides access to residences on the



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**States:** Delaware

**Counties:** New Castle

Length: 1.4miles

**Trail end points:** Valley Rd. & Fitness Way to  
Old Lancaster Pike (Swift Bicentennial Park)

**Trail surfaces:** Asphalt, Concrete

**Trail category:** Rail-Trail

**Trail activities:** Bike, Wheelchair  
Accessible, Walking

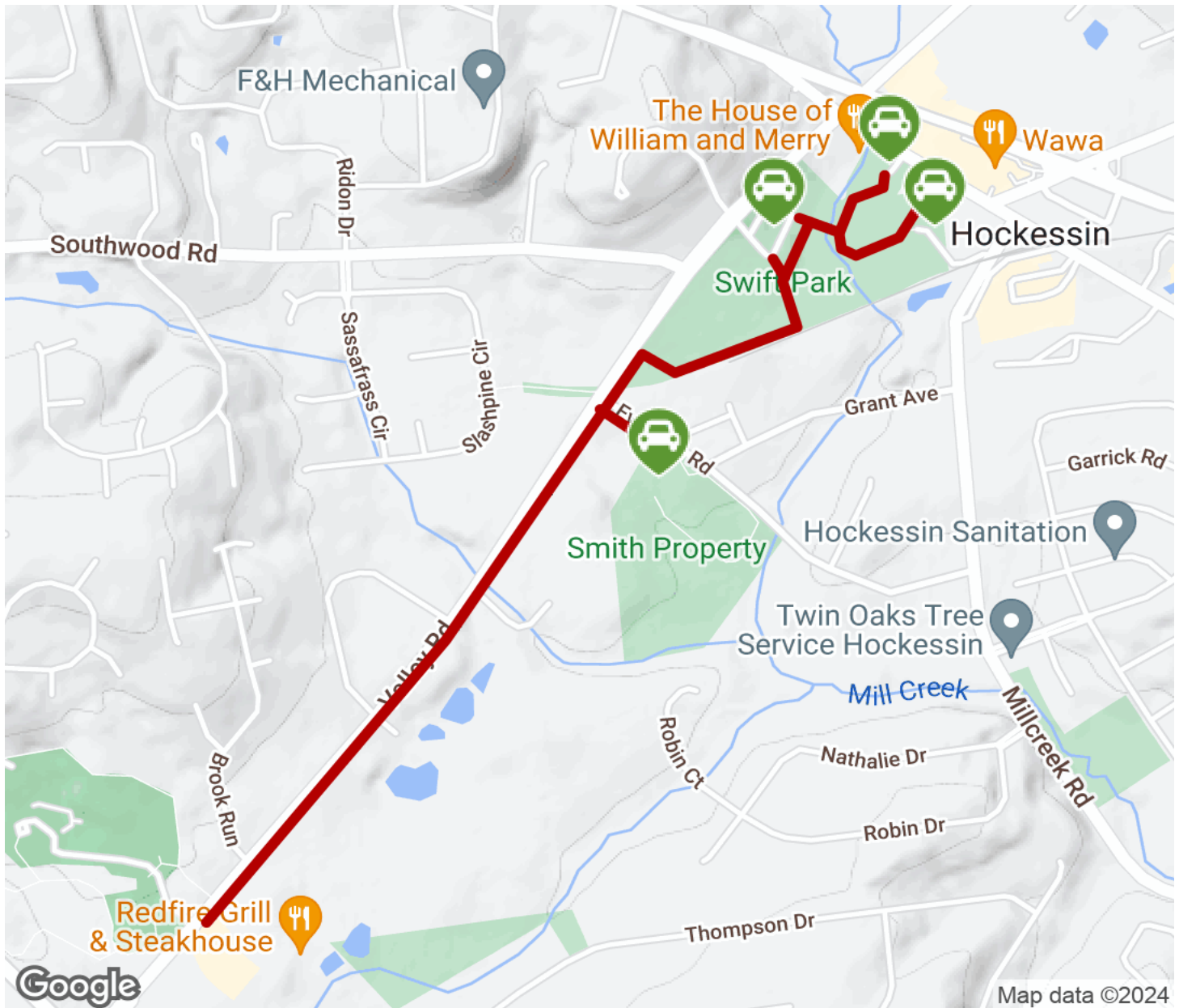
## Parking & Trail Access

Parking is available at Swift Park off of Old Lancaster Pike, and at the Hockessin Public Library at 1023 Valley Road - be sure to follow the posted parking signs to park in the right area.



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Trailhead



Restroom



Parking



Water Fountain



Tunnel



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