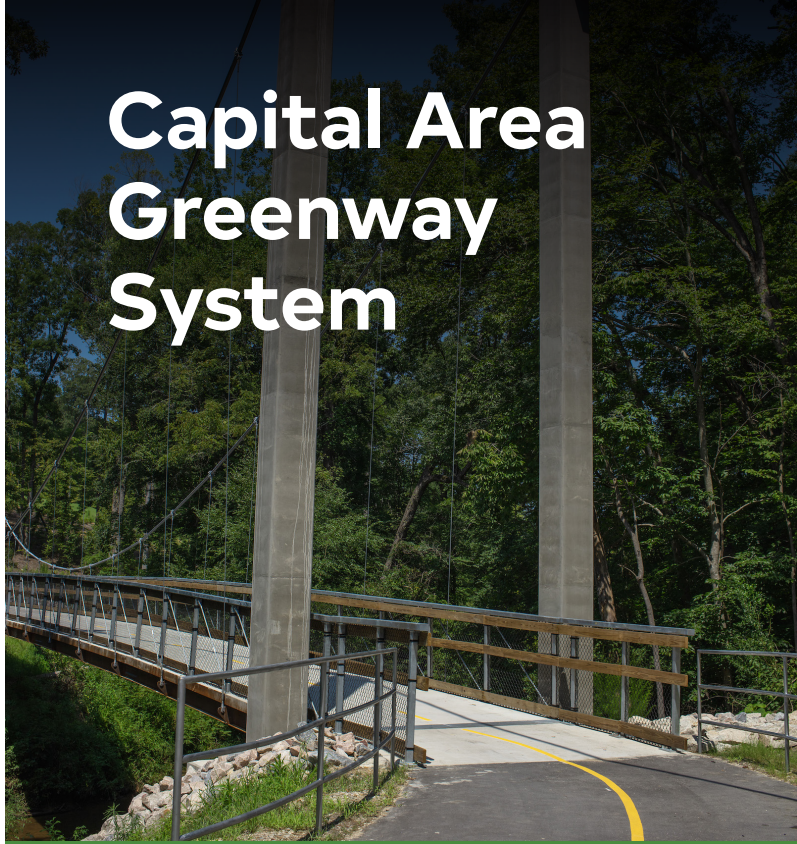


### Welcome to Raleigh Parks!

Raleigh Parks offers fun, recreation, and beautiful outdoor spaces. From parks and trails to unique programs, there is something for everyone. Whether you're a lifelong resident, new to town, or just visiting, we hope you explore everything we have to offer. See you on the trails and in the parks!



## Capital Area Greenway System

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The Capital Area Greenway System began in the 1970s as a way to manage stormwater and protect flood-prone areas. From the start, it helped protect Raleigh's waterways and provided recreation opportunities.

Today, the system includes linear parks and trails along rivers, creeks, utility and railroad corridors, and roadways. These trails connect people to parks, cultural and historic sites, and major destinations while preserving natural areas. Most trails are 10-foot-wide paved paths for walking, jogging, biking, skating, or commuting.

The greenway system includes 120 miles of protected open space corridors following the Neuse River, Crabtree Creek, Walnut Creek, and many others. Whether you're spotting wildlife, getting active, or commuting, we hope you enjoy exploring this connected trail network!



### Safety Tips

- Stay alert and be mindful of surroundings
- Wear safety equipment (helmets, pads, etc.)
- Use of headphones is discouraged
- Bring a companion when possible
- Hide belongings, lock your car, and take your keys
- Be mindful of your speed (speed limit is 10 mph)

### Trail Etiquette

- Show courtesy to other users
- Approach others cautiously and give an audible call when passing
- Pass on the left, stay to the right
- Yield when entering or crossing trails

### Important Numbers

In case of an emergency call 911  
Police non-emergency 919-996-3335  
Greenway Maintenance 919-996-4115  
Greenway Volunteer Program 919-996-1118  
Greenway Planning 919-996-3285  
For additional maps 919-996-3285

### Rules

- Hours:** Dawn to dusk
- Speed Limit:** 10 mph
- Prohibited:** Alcohol, fires, motorized vehicles, horses, smoking, wildlife harm
- Camping:** Must have a permit
- Pet Rules:** Leash required (max 6 feet); clean up waste
- Helmets:** Required for trail users under 16 on bikes, skates, or scooters
- Swimming:** Prohibited in city lakes
- Weapons:** Restricted except per NCGS 14-415.23
- Plant and Property:** Do not remove or damage



The City of Raleigh acknowledges that Indigenous peoples and nations, including the Coharie, Cherokee, Haliwa-Saponi, Lumbee, Meherrin, Occaneechi, Sappony, and Waccamaw-Siouan have stewarded through generations the lands and waterways of what is now the state of North Carolina. We honor and respect the enduring relationship that exists between these peoples and nations and this land.

Trail (Grid ID)	Mile-age	Surface	Features and Amenities	Description	Parking Areas
Abbotts Creek Trail (N-9)	2.9	Paved	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Great Blue Heron habitat</li><li>Connects to Falls River Shopping Center</li><li>Connects to North Wake Landfill District Park, Neuse River Trail, Simms Branch Trail, and Durant Nature Preserve</li></ul>	Follows Abbotts Creek from the Neuse River Trail to Simms Branch Trail near the intersection of Durant Rd and Cub Trl. The trail is connected by sidewalk along two sections of Falls River Ave and along Durant Rd.	3, 6, 84
Baileywick Trail (G-9)	0.6	Paved	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Connects to Baileywick Park and Baileywick Elementary School</li></ul>	Connects from Strickland Rd to Baileywick Rd by passing through Baileywick Park.	73
Beaver Dam Trail (F-19)	0.8	Unpaved	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Connects to Hymettus Woods Park and Windemere Beaver Dam Park</li></ul>	A natural surface trail located adjacent to Beaver Dam Creek between Wade Ave and Devonshire Dr that passes through Windemere Beaver Dam Park. The trail is connected by a sidewalk along Dixie Trl.	-
Birch Ridge Connector (N-23)	0.3		<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Connects to Walnut Creek Softball Complex</li></ul>	A wide sidewalk that connects Poole Rd to the Walnut Creek Softball Complex (Walnut Creek North Park).	-
Centennial Bikeway Connector (G-23)	2.3	Paved	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Connects to North Carolina Farmers Market and NC State University Centennial Campus</li><li>Connects to Walnut Creek Trail</li></ul>	A multi-purpose path adjacent to Centennial Pkwy on the NC State University Centennial Campus.	-
Crabtree Creek Trail (C-16, L-19, Q-230)	18	Paved & Unpaved	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Connects to the Crabtree Valley Mall</li><li>Connects to Anderson Point Park, Lockwood Park, Kiwanis Park, Historic Lassiter Mill and North Hills Park</li><li>Connects to William B. Umstead State Park</li><li>Connects to Neuse River Trail, Mine Creek Trail and House Creek Trail</li><li>Suspension bridge over Crabtree Creek with scenic view</li></ul>	Follows Crabtree Creek northwest from the Neuse River Trail beginning at Anderson Point Park (0.0 miles); to Kiwanis Park (8.3 miles); to Historic Lassiter Mill (10.0 miles); to North Hills Park (11.5 miles); to Mine Creek Trail (11.6 miles); to House Creek Trail (12.5 miles); to Crabtree Valley Mall (12.6 miles); to Lindsay Dr (14.5 miles); to Duraleigh Rd (15.5 miles) to Wulliam B. Umstead State Park (18 miles) . The trail is connected by sidewalks at N. Raleigh Blvd, Oxford Rd, Lassiter Mill Rd, Northampton St, Hertford St, Duraleigh Dr. Section of unpaved natural trail between Hertford St following Crabtree Creek to the west.	20, 21, 23, 41, 46, 47, 48, 50, 68, 99, 105
East Fork Mine Creek Trail (I-12)	2.5	Paved	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Connects to Shelley Lake to the south via Mine Creek Trail and Honeycutt Creek Trail to the north (at Strickland Rd)</li></ul>	Follows East Fork Mine Creek upstream from the confluence of Mine Creek to the north side of Strickland Rd. The trail is connected by sidewalks along Longstreet Dr, Six Forks Rd, Newton Rd, Clear Brook Dr, Mourning Dove Rd, Running Cedar Trl and Strickland Rd.	7
Edwards Mill Connector (C-19)	1.3	Paved	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Connects to the Lenovo Center</li><li>Connects to Richland Creek Trail and Reedy Creek Trail</li></ul>	A multi-purpose path along Edwards Mill Rd from Trinity Rd to Reedy Creek Rd.	28
Gardner Street Trail (G-20)	0.7	Unpaved	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Connects to Jaycee and Isabella Cannon Parks</li></ul>	A natural surface trail that connects Jaycee Park to Isabella Cannon Park. The trail is connected by sidewalks along Gardner St from Van Dyke Ave to Kilgore Ave.	106
Hare Snipe Creek Trail (E-12)	2.3	Paved	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Scenic views across lake</li><li>Connects to Lake Lynn Loop Trail, Wooten Meadow Park, Lake Lynn Park and Community Center</li></ul>	Follows Hare Snipe Creek from Wooten Meadow Park to Lake Lynn Park. The trail is located adjacent to Leesville Rd from W. Millbrook Rd to Lynn Rd. The trail continues via sidewalk along the north side of Lynn Rd to Lake Lynn parking entrance. The trail continues along the west side of Lake Lynn Loop to its end at Lake Lynn Park and Community Center.	9, 10, 82
Honeycutt Creek Trail (K-8)	3.8	Paved & Unpaved	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Portion of trail from Raven Ridge Rd to Durant Rd is located on game lands managed by the N.C. Wildlife Resource Commission - Please be aware that seasonal hunting occurs on this property.</li><li>Connects to Honeycutt Park</li><li>Connects to the Mountains-To-Sea Trail at the south shore of Falls Lake and East Fork Mine Creek Trail</li><li>No bicycles on unpaved section</li></ul>	Follows Honeycutt Creek from Raven Ridge Rd to Durant Rd, continues as a multi-purpose path along Honeycutt Rd to Honeycutt Park. The trail continues through a pedestrian tunnel underneath I-540 through the Bent Tree subdivision to Strickland Rd. The trail is connected by sidewalks along Carriage Tour Ln and Strickland Rd.	7
House Creek Trail (E-19)	2.8	Paved	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Connects to Glen Eden Park</li><li>Connects to Crabtree Valley Mall</li><li>Connects to Crabtree Creek Trail and Reedy Creek Trail</li></ul>	Follows House Creek along the I-440 beltline between the Crabtree Creek Trail at Crabtree Valley Mall and Reedy Creek Trail at Wade Ave.	25, 95
Lake Johnson East Loop (D-24)	2.8	Paved	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Scenic views of the lake</li><li>Connects to the Lake Johnson Waterfront Center</li><li>Connects to Walnut Creek Trail (north side)</li></ul>	A loop trail around the east side of Lake Johnson. The loop trail passes through Lake Johnson Park and Lake Johnson Nature Preserve.	32, 33, 34
Lake Johnson West Loop (C-24)	2.1	Unpaved	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Scenic views of the lake</li><li>Exceptional bottom land forest River Birch located near Lynn Rd</li><li>No bicycles permitted</li><li>Connects to Walnut Creek Trail (north side)</li></ul>	A loop trail around the west side of Lake Johnson. The loop trail passes through Lake Johnson Park and Lake Johnson Nature Preserve.	31, 32, 33
Lake Lynn Loop (E-12)	1.9	Paved	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Connects to Lake Lynn Park and Community Center</li><li>Connects to Hare Snipe Creek Trail</li></ul>	A loop trail around Lake Lynn.	9, 10
Little Rock Trail (J-23)	1.6	Paved	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Connects to the Walnut Creek Wetland Park, City Cemetery, Chavis Park and downtown Raleigh</li><li>Connects to the Walnut Creek Trail</li></ul>	Follows Little Rock Creek from the Walnut Creek Wetland Park to downtown Raleigh. The trail passes through historic Chavis Park, connects to the Capital Area Greenway System into downtown Raleigh	36
Marsh Creek Trail (L-17)	0.3	Paved	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Large River Birch trees along trail in Brentwood Park</li><li>Connects to Brentwood Park and Brentwood Elementary</li></ul>	Follows Marsh Creek through Brentwood Park between Glenraven Dr and Ingram Dr.	45
Mine Creek Trail (H-14)	4.1	Paved & Unpaved	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Large granite rock outcrop between Sawmill Rd and East Fork Mine Creek Trail</li><li>Exceptional bottom land forest River Birch located near Lynn Rd</li><li>Ironwood trees and Umbrella Magnolia between W. Millbrook Rd and North Hills Dr</li><li>Connects to Shelley Lake Loop Trail</li><li>Connects to Crabtree Creek Trail, Snelling Branch Trail and East Fork Mine Creek Trail</li></ul>	Follows Mine Creek north from the confluence with Crabtree Creek along the east side of Shelley Lake to Sawmill Rd. The trail is an unpaved natural surface trail from the junction of East Fork Mine Creek Trail to Sawmill Rd.	12, 13, 14, 17, 18,
Neuse River Trail (N-6, -10, Q-16, Q-24, V-29)	27.5	Paved	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Extensive wetland communities</li><li>Scenic views of Neuse River</li><li>Canoeing, kayaking, fishing opportunities</li><li>Canoe launches at Falls Lake Dam, Buffaloe Rd, Milburnie Park (east side of river), Anderson Point Park, Poole Rd</li><li>7 Bridges over the Neuse River including two suspension bridges</li><li>Segment of the Mountains-to-Sea Trail, which is a long-distance trail that runs across North Carolina from the Great Smoky Mountains to the Outer Banks</li><li>Connects to Falls Lake, Neuse River Park, WRAL Soccer Center, Horseshoe Farm Nature Preserve, River Bend Park, Buffaloe Road Athletic Park, Milburnie Park, and Anderson Point Park</li><li>Connects to Abbotts Creek Trail, Crabtree Creek Trail, Walnut Creek Trail and the Town of Knightdale's Mingo Creek Trail, the Town of Clayton's River Walk and Sam's Branch Trail</li><li>Jurisdictional connections to Wake Forest, Knightdale and Johnston County</li></ul>	Follows the Neuse River south from Falls Lake Dam (0.0 miles); to Abbotts Creek Trail (2.8 miles); to bridge to Wake Forest (4.8 miles); to WRAL Soccer Center (6.5 miles); to Horseshoe Farm Nature Preserve (7.8 miles); Buffaloe Road Athletic Park (11.2 miles); to Milburnie Park (14.9 miles); to bridge to Knightdale's Mingo Creek Trail (16.7 miles); to Anderson Point Park (17.0 miles); to Crabtree Creek Trail (17.3 miles); to Walnut Creek Trail (19 miles); to Wake/Johnston County Line (27.5 miles).	1, 8, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 75, 85, 86, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 96, 100, 101
Reedy Creek Trail (C-18)	5	Paved	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Unusual grove of dogwood trees located on Museum trail</li><li>Passes through the North Carolina Museum of Art with connection to the Museum's Blue Loop Trail</li><li>Connects to the Prairie Creek Ecostation and Schenck Forest</li><li>Passes through the Meredith College Campus</li><li>Connects to Richland Creek Trail, House Creek Trail and Rocky Branch Trail</li><li>Segment of the East Coast Greenway Trail</li></ul>	Follows Reedy Creek Rd from Umstead State Park to Blue Ridge Rd and continues on through the grounds of the North Carolina Museum of Art and Meredith College Campus.	27
Richland Creek Trail (B-19)	3.1	Unpaved	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Connects to the Lenovo Center</li><li>Connects to the Edwards Mill Connector and the Reedy Creek Trail</li><li>Passes through Schenck Forest (bicycles and dogs are not permitted) and connects to William B. Umstead State Park</li><li>This trail is unpaved</li></ul>	Follows Richland Creek from the Lenovo Center through Schenck Forest to Umstead State Park.	28
Rocky Branch Trail (H-22)	3.8	Paved	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Views of Raleigh's skyline</li><li>Connects to Pullen Park</li><li>Connects to Walnut Creek Trail and Reedy Creek Trail</li><li>Passes through the campus of NC State University</li><li>Segment of the East Coast Greenway Trail</li><li>Connects to Dorothea Dix Park</li></ul>	Follows Rocky Branch from the intersection with Walnut Creek Trail near Eliza Pool Park, through Dorothea Dix Park, along Western Blvd, through NCSU Campus, connecting to Reedy Creek Trail on the campus of Meredith College. The trail is connected to the Reedy Creek Trail by a sidewalk and cycletrack along Gorman St.	35, 78
Shelley Lake Loop (H-14)	2.1	Paved	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Fitness stations are located along the loop</li><li>Scenic views across lake</li><li>Connects to Sertoma Arts Center</li><li>Connects to Mine Creek Trail and Snelling Branch Trail</li></ul>	A loop trail around Shelley Lake.	13, 14,
Simms Branch Trail (M-10)	1.7	Paved	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Small waterfall near Durant Middle School</li><li>Several areas of rock outcrops near Durant Nature Preserve</li><li>Connects to Durant Nature Preserve</li><li>Connects to Durant Middle School</li></ul>	Follows Simms Branch, from the intersection with Abbotts Creek Trail on Cub Trl, to Durant Nature Preserve.	6
Snelling Branch Trail (H-14)	0.8	Paved		Follows Snelling Branch from Mine Creek Trail at Shelley Lake to Optimist Park.	12
Spring Forest Trail (N-13)	0.4	Paved	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Connects to Triangle Town Center mall</li></ul>	A multi-purpose path adjacent to Triangle Town Blvd from Old Wake Forest Rd to Sumner Blvd.	-
Wakefield Trail (O-4)	1.4	Paved		Follows the power line from Old Falls of Neuse Rd to London Bell Dr	-
Walnut Creek Trail (D-23, I-24, L-23, M-23, Q-25)	15.6	Paved	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Area around Lake Johnson has unique vegetation including Pink Lady Slippers and Big Leaf Magnolias</li><li>Extensive wetland area near Walnut Creek Wetland Park</li><li>Provides connections to Walnut Creek Amphitheater, Walnut Creek Softball Complex, Dacian Road Park, Apollo Heights Park, Worthdale Park, Walnut Creek Wetland Park, Eliza Pool Park, NC Farmers Market, NC State Centennial Campus, Lake Johnson Park</li><li>Connects to Neuse River Trail, Little Rock Trail, Rocky Branch Trail, and Lake Johnson East and West Loops</li><li>Segment of the East Coast Greenway Trail, a developing trail system, spanning nearly 3,000 miles, as it winds its way between Canada and Key West, linking all major cities of the eastern seaboard.</li></ul>	Follows Walnut Creek northwest through southeast Raleigh from the Neuse River Trail (0.0 miles); to Walnut Creek Amphitheater (3.4 miles); to Walnut Creek Softball Complex (3.7 miles); to Worthdale Park (4.3 miles); to Dacian Road Park (5.3 miles); to Apollo Heights Park (5.9 miles); to Walnut Creek Wetland Park and Little Rock Trail (7.2 miles); to Rocky Branch Trail (8.7 miles); to Eliza Pool Park (9.0 miles); NC Farmers Market (11.0 miles); through NC State University Centennial Campus; along the north side of Lake Johnson (15.6 miles). Trail is unpaved along north side of Lake Johnson West Loop.	32, 33, 34, 39, 74, 76, 102, 103, 104, 107

Park Facilities
Anderson Point Park Q-23
Annie Louise Wilkerson, MD Nature Preserve Park L-88
Apollo Heights Park L-23
Baileywick Park G-9
Barwell Road Park P-26
Biltmore Hills Park J-25
Brentwood Park L-17
Brookhaven Park F-15
Buffaloe Road Athletic Park Q-16
Carolina Pines Park G-25
Cedar Hills Park J-14
John Chavis Memorial Park J-23
Dorothea Dix Park H-23
Durant Nature Preserve Park M-11
Eastgate Park J-16
Eliza Pool Park I-23
Fallon Park I-19
Forest Ridge Park M-4
Fred Fletcher Park H-21
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Sanderford Road Park K-25
Shelley Lake Park G-14
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Tarboro Road Park J-22
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Walnut Creek Wetland Park J-24
Williams Park G-13
Windemere Beaver Dam Park F-19
Wooten Meadow Park E-14
Worthdale Park M-23

### Greenway Parking Areas

- P1** 12098 Old Falls of Neuse Road, Wake Forest, NC 27587
- P3** 1248 Walkertown Dr, Raleigh, NC 27614
- P6** 8555 Camp Durant Rd, Raleigh, NC 27615
- P7** 1032 Clear Creek Farm Rd, Raleigh, NC 27615
- P8** 4901 Elizabeth Drive, Raleigh, NC 27615
- P9** 7921 Ray Rd, Raleigh, NC 27613
- P10** 3210 Lynn Road, Raleigh, NC 27613
- P12** 799 Northclift Dr, Raleigh, NC 27609
- P13** 1400 W Millbrook Rd, Raleigh, NC 27612
- P14** 1140 W Millbrook Rd, Raleigh, NC 27612
- P17** 5109 North Hills Dr, Raleigh, NC 27612
- P18** 4797 North Hills Dr, Raleigh, NC 27612
- P20** 100 Chowan Cir, Raleigh, NC 27609
- P21** 2101 North Hills Dr, Raleigh, NC 27612
- P23** 4225 Glenwood Ave, Raleigh, NC 27612
- P25** 1510 Glen Eden Dr, Raleigh, NC 27612
- P27** 2110 Blue Ridge Rd, Raleigh, NC 27607
- P28** E. Stephen Stroud Way, Raleigh, NC 27607
- P31** 5611 Jaguar Park Dr, Raleigh, NC 27606
- P32** 4601 Avent Ferry Rd, Raleigh, NC 27606
- P33** 5051 Avent Ferry Rd, Raleigh, NC 27606
- P34** 1320 Lake Dam Rd, Raleigh, NC 27606
- P35** Tate Dr, Raleigh, NC 27603
- P36** 501 Martin Luther King Blvd, Raleigh, NC 27601
- P39** 1001 Cooper Rd, Raleigh, NC 27610
- P40** 22 Anderson Point Dr, Raleigh, NC 27610
- P41** 20 Anderson Point Dr, Raleigh, NC 27610
- P42** 6405 Poole Rd, Raleigh, NC 27610
- P43** 5428 Allen Dr, Raleigh, NC 27604
- P44** 2800 Abington Ln, Raleigh, NC 27604
- P45** 3315 Vinson Ct, Raleigh, NC 27604
- P46** 3300 Lassiter Mill Rd, Raleigh, NC 27609
- P47** 2940 Claremont Rd, Raleigh, NC 27609
- P48** 2520 Noble Rd, Raleigh, NC 27609
- P50** 2300 Crabtree Blvd, Raleigh, NC 27610
- P56** 401 Sawmill Rd, Raleigh, NC 27615
- P68** 1000 Crabtree Blvd, Raleigh, NC 27610
- P73** 9501 Baileywick Rd, Raleigh, NC 27615
- P74** 950 Peterson St, Raleigh, NC 27610
- P75** 1101 Old Milburnie Rd, Raleigh, NC 27604
- P76** 1600 Fayetteville St, Raleigh 27603
- P78** 520 Ashe Ave, Raleigh, NC 27606
- P82** 6499 W Millbrook Rd, Raleigh, NC 27612
- P84** 9300 Deponie Dr, Raleigh, NC 27614
- P85** 3324 Falls River Ave, Raleigh, NC 27614
- P86** 10888 Bedfordtown Dr, Raleigh, NC, 27614
- P90** 3021 Auburn Knightdale Rd, Raleigh, NC 27610
- P91** 6090 Mial Plantation Rd, Raleigh, NC, 27610
- P92** 198 Trailhead Ln, Raleigh NC 27616
- P93** 5812 Buffaloe Rd, Raleigh, NC, 27616
- P94** 2928 Horseshoe Farm Rd, Raleigh, NC, 27587
- P95** 3501 Horton St, Raleigh, NC, 27607
- P96** 6100 Thornton Rd, Raleigh, NC, 27616
- P99** 4924 Ebenezer Church Rd, Raleigh, NC 27612
- P100** 7700 Perry Creek Rd, Raleigh
- P101** 5610 Wallace Martin Wy, Raleigh, NC 27616
- P102** Creek Top Lp and Bluffs View Dr, Raleigh NC 27610
- P103** 906 Sunnybrook Rd Raleigh, NC 27610
- P104** 756 Lunar Dr, Raleigh NC 27610
- P105** 915 Hodges Street, Raleigh NC 27608
- P106** 2405 Wade Ave, Raleigh, NC 27607
- P107** 1201 Sunnybrook Rd, Raleigh, NC, 27610
- P108** 3237 Spottswood St, Raleigh, NC 27615





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