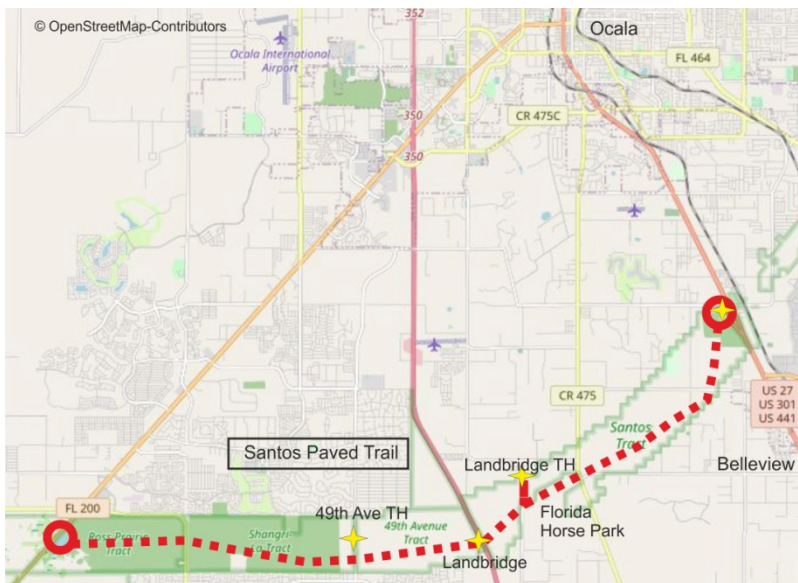


Ocala Area

Santos Paved Trail, 17 mi (27 km)

The well paved trail devoid of any cracks or bumps is part of the Marjorie Harris Carr Greenway and runs 15.6 miles from Santos Trailhead to State Road 200. It will navigate you with rolling hills, curves and valleys through unique Florida ecosystems with opportunities for wildlife viewing. There are signs on the surface of the trail with information on your location in the event of an emergency. Speed Limit 20 mph. An unpaved equestrian trail parallels portions of the paved trail. The trail crosses over I-75 on the iconic Land Bridge, which allows safe passage for wildlife, cyclists, hikers and equestrians. In addition there are two quiet road crossings and four tunnels. It is mostly shady, only the last couple of miles more open and sunny.

Future connectivity to Dunnellon Silver Springs and beyond is programmed.



Santos Trailhead and Campground, 3080 SE 80th Street, N29 06.311 W82 05.707, very large parking, start of MTB trails, restrooms, water, bike wash, tools. Next to the trailhead on SE 80th street is the Santos bike shop.

Start: Santos Trailhead	N29 06.311 W82 05.707
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Ocala Area

Land Bridge	N29 03.761 W82 09.608
End: County Road 200	N29 02.882 W82 17.243

Mi 0 Take the paved trail through beautiful shady hammock with pine, oak and palm trees. Attention, MTB and equestrian trails cross often. During my ride in February I could see plenty of Eastern Tent Caterpillars (*Malacosoma americanum*) in the trees.

Mi 4.6 Tunnel. A little later is the extensive Florida Horse Park on the left. At **mi 6.0** next tunnel.

Mi 6.3 The trail turns left, right is a path to the **Landbridge Trailhead** with bike and horse trailer parking, N29 03.588 W82 09.252. Restrooms, water, tables. Milage without side trip. Soon next tunnel.

Mi 7.5 Iconic Land Bridge, N29 03.122 W82 10.127. Many species have been documented to use this bridge, including bear, with-tailed deer, bobcats and snakes.

Mi 10.0 Shortly before the 3rd tunnel is 49th Ave Trailhead (N29 02.451 W82 12.062) to the left, parking, water, Potty.

Mi 15.6 End of trail at County Road 200, N29 02.882 W82 17.243. No trailhead, parking or water. The trail including 2 side trips to the trailheads is 17.0 miles.

On this road to the right is a Wal-Mart center after 1 mile.

