



Central City Trails

The Westside Creeks, located just west of downtown San Antonio within Loop 410, will soon be home to several miles of creekside hike and bike trails. Trail design and construction has begun for the Apache, Alazan and Martinez Creeks along with Apache/San Pedro Creek South which will provide new outdoor recreation opportunities within walking distance of thousands of homes on San Antonio's Westside. The trails will also provide connections to area parks, businesses and schools.

Several miles of existing and planned trails are located within Central and Downtown San Antonio. San Antonio River trails include the Downtown River Walk, the Historic Mission Reach and River North, which currently connects to the San Antonio Museum of Art, the newly redeveloped Pearl Brewery and several restaurants and entertainment venues. The Park Reach of the San Antonio River trails will eventually connect downtown to Brackenridge Park, offering a wide variety of recreational opportunities, including the San Antonio Zoo, the Witte Museum and the Brackenridge Golf Course.

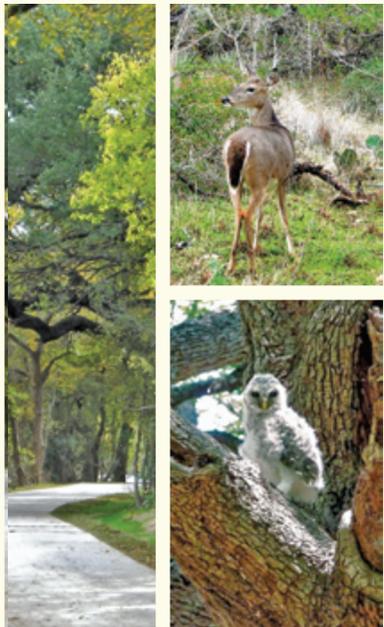
A greenway trail has also been completed along Olmos Creek in north central San Antonio that provides additional hiking and biking opportunities to area residents and visitors.



WESTSIDE CREEKS AND CENTRAL CITY TRAILS



- Greenway trails are only open sunrise to sunset.
- Be aware of your surroundings.
- Enjoy the parks and trails with a friend or in a group.
- Remain on the main trails.
- Bring plenty of water.
- Stay right, pass on left.
- Cyclists: Travel at a safe speed, yield to pedestrians and wear a helmet at all times.
- Be sure to keep your dog on a leash and pick up after your pet.
- Please don't litter.
- Preprogram the following numbers:
-For emergencies call 911!
-For non-emergencies or if you see criminal activity in progress call 207-SAPD (207-7273)



EXPLORE THE GREENER SIDE OF LIFE!

The City of San Antonio, Parks and Recreation Department's Howard W. Peak Greenway Trails offer perfect places to hike, bike, stroll, meet, talk, sit, look, picnic, play, exercise, relax, bird watch, people watch, read, fly a kite, dog walk and soak up the sun. With clean air to breathe, nature scenes to observe and miles upon miles to explore, the greenway trails are connecting San Antonio in a whole new way.

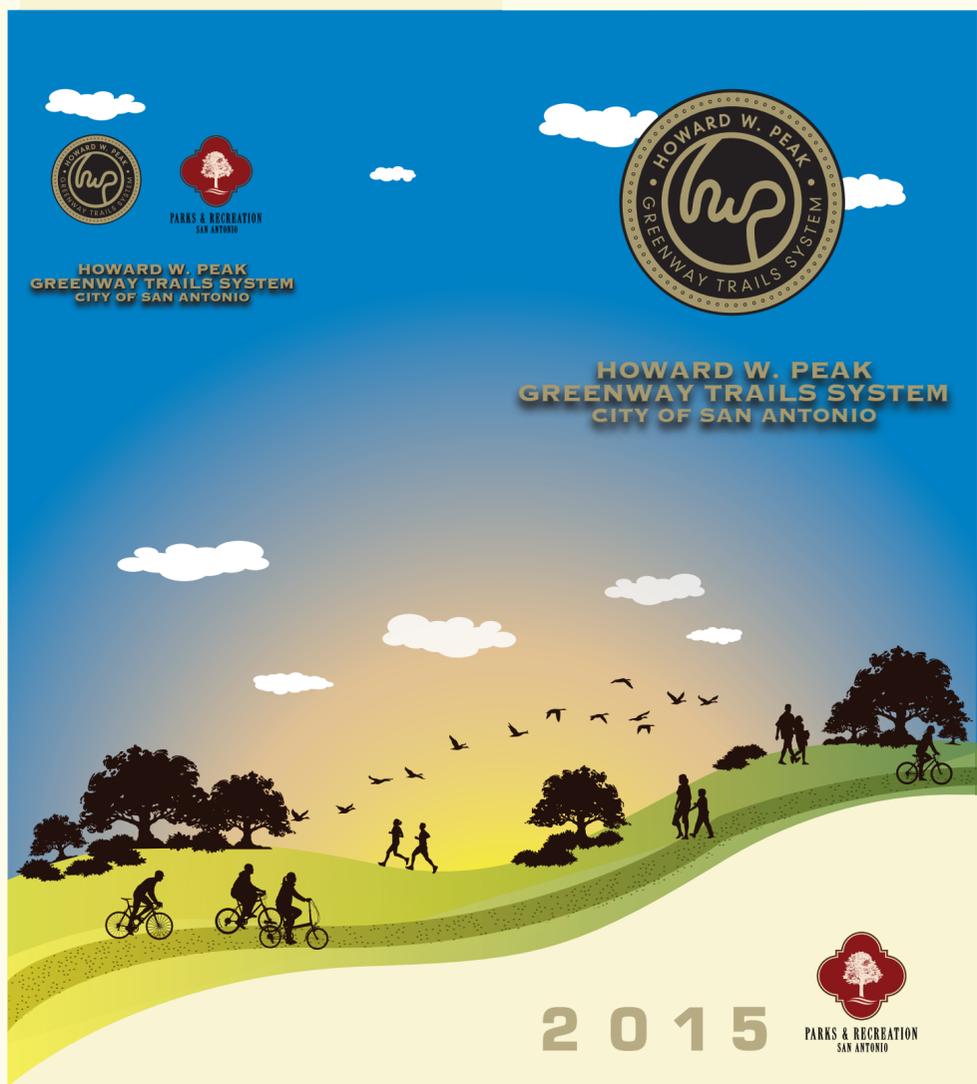
The greenways are an ever-growing network of trails, parks, creekways and natural areas that will hope fully one day link the entire city. These trails provide limitless opportunities to connect with nature, be active and promote a healthy environment. In several locations, the trails connect to other trail networks and destinations.

Funded by the Linear Park Development Program for Salado Creek, Leon Creek, the Medina River, the San Antonio River and their tributaries, the greenways currently offer approximately 47 miles of trails on over 1275 acres throughout the city. As ongoing work is completed, expect to see many more miles to explore in the near future.

Trailheads include wayfinding maps and other information and are located throughout all Greenway systems. For the latest greenway news and trail maps, visit www.sanantonio.gov/creekways.



HOWARD W. PEAK GREENWAY TRAILS SYSTEM CITY OF SAN ANTONIO



LEON CREEK GREENWAY SYSTEM

The Leon Creek Greenway currently offers 17 miles of paved, multi-use trails and will soon be expanded to tributaries including Huerta Creek, Culebra Creek and Huebner Creek. The longest connected trail segment to date winds approximately 13.5 miles from Loop 1604 to Ingram Road. A 1.5 mile trail at Pearsall Park on Old Pearsall Road is part of the Leon Creek Greenway System, along with a 2.6 mile loop trail off Old Highway 90 at Levi Strauss Park and Rodriguez County Park.

Leon Creek trail users have the opportunity to experience views of limestone bluffs, wildflower fields, stands of beautiful Cottonwoods and other heritage trees and often see wildlife on quiet mornings and evenings. The paved trails are mostly easy, with steeper slopes at the O.P. Schnabel Park and Leon Vista connection trails.

The trails also feature connections to several adjacent parks, University of Texas at San Antonio (UTSA), Wolff Stadium and numerous adjacent neighborhoods and businesses. A trailhead at VIA's Ingram Road Transit Center is located at 3215 Northwestern Drive and provides direct bus access for trail users.

MEDINA RIVER GREENWAY SYSTEM

This seven-mile trail stretches east from the Medina River Natural Area, located on State Highway 16, south of Lone Star Pass on the City's Southside. The Medina River Greenway is a refreshing escape for those seeking the serenity of the great outdoors within a short drive of home. With large Cypress, Oak and Pecan trees along the flowing Medina River, traveling the trail is a peaceful adventure. The terrain is mostly easy, but includes switchbacks with slopes up to 8.3 percent in two locations.

The trail will soon be extended eastward, connecting to Jim Mattox Park by the Mission Del Lago Golf Course. Future plans include a project to extend the trail further east to the San Antonio River trails at Mission Espada.



SALADO CREEK GREENWAY SYSTEM

The Salado Creek Greenway offers several beautiful paved trail segments and natural surface trails stretching through north and east San Antonio. Plans are currently in the works to add several additional miles to the Salado Creek Greenway System, including connections to Leon Creek Greenway to the northwest and Southeast Military Drive.

Approximately 8 miles of trail are now open between Jones Maltsberger and Rittiman Road, which includes access to McAllister Park, LBJ Park and Tobin Park and features a unique boardwalk running over half a mile along a wetland area near Nacogdoches Road.

The 5-mile trail segment located between Huebner Road and Hwy 281 provides access to Phil Hardberger Park and offers wildflower fields and unique views of creekside cliffs. This is a relatively easy scenic trail well suited for the entire family.

On San Antonio's southeast side, the 8-mile trail segment from Jack White Park at I-35 to South Side Lion's Park offers stunning views of Salado Creek, surrounded by towering bottomland hardwood trees and natural, flowing springs.

TRAILHEAD PARKING LOCATIONS

LEON CREEK GREENWAY SYSTEM

- Valero Trailhead - 5902 North West Loop 1604
- Fox Park - 6518 W. Hausman Rd
- Bamberger Park - 12401 Babcock Rd
- Buddy Calk Trailhead - 6934 Babcock Rd
- OP Schnabel Park - 9606 Bandera Rd
- Leon Vista Trailhead - 8561 Rochelle Rd
- Mainland Trailhead - 8241 Mainland
- Grissom Trailhead - 7379 Grissom Rd
- Cathedral Rock Park - 8002 Grissom Rd
- VIA Transit Center - 3215 Northwestern Dr
- Levi Strauss Park - 6100 Old Highway 90 West
- Arvil Trailhead - 200 Arvil Ave
- Pearsall Park - 4838 Old Pearsall Rd

MEDINA RIVER GREENWAY SYSTEM

- Medina River Natural Area - 15890 Highway 165
- Applewhite Trailhead - 18912 Applewhite Rd

SALADO CREEK GREENWAY SYSTEM

- Hardberger Park - 13203 Blanco Rd
- Walker Ranch Park - 12603 West Ave
- McAllister Park Trailhead - 11700 Starcrest Dr.
- Lady Bird Johnson Park Trailhead - 10700 Nacogdoches
- Tobin Park - 2020 N.E. Loop 410
- Oakwell Trailhead - 150 Ira Lee
- Jack White Park - 3803 Old Seguin Rd
- Willow Springs Golf Course Trailhead - 202 AT&T Center Parkway
- MLK Park - 3503 Martin Luther King Dr
- J Street Park - 3500 J St
- Comanche and Covington Park - 2600 Rigsby
- South Side Lions Park - 4000 Pecan Valley Dr.

OLMOS BASIN GREENWAY TRAIL

- Olmos Basin Park - 651 Devine Rd.

