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With over 170 miles of bike trails, Bakersfield is perfect for biking adventures! Start with the 30-mile paved Kern River Parkway Trail, which winds through riparian habitats where you might spot wildlife like rabbits and roadrunners. The scenery varies from the Sierra Nevada and Lake Ming in the east to the Panorama

Vista Preserve, Kern County Museum, and Sam Lynn Ballpark. The trail features parks with amenities, volleyball courts, a disc golf course, and the Dignity Health Amphitheatre, ending at Enos Lane (State Route 43). Accessible parking lots and links to local roadways make it easy to ride the trail in sections or all at once. The trail also connects to California State University, Bakersfield, leading to shopping, restaurants, movie theaters, and a hotel.

Ride the Trail

Few communities offer a 30+ mile green belt and a world-class time trial course, so bring your bike to Bakersfield! Amtrak San Joaquin provides free bicycle racks on a first-come, first-served basis, and unboxed bikes can be stored under connecting Amtrak Thruway buses. Kern Transit and Golden Empire Transit (GET) also offer free bike racks on all buses, connecting Bakersfield with surrounding areas. Bakersfield is perfect for cyclists of all levels. Pick up a City of Bakersfield Bicycle Map at Visit Bakersfield, 515 Truxtun Avenue, for details on local bike lanes and routes.

FOR MORE INFORMATION:

Amtrak San Joaquin
800-872-7245 | AmtrakSanJoaquins.com

Kern Transit
800-323-2396 | KernTransit.org

Golden Empire Transit
661-869-2438 | GetBus.org

Visit Bakersfield
866-425-7353 | VisitBakersfield.com

City of Bakersfield Recreation & Parks
661-326-3866 | BakersfieldParks.us

Kern River Parkway Foundation
KernRiverParkway.org



POINTS OF Interest

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| A César E. Chávez National Monument | D Red Rock Canyon State Park |
| B Carrizo Plain National Monument | E James Dean Memorial Junction |
| C The Tehachapi Loop | F Fort Tejon State Historic Park |

KERN RIVER PARKWAY

Beginning at the mouth of Kern Canyon, the Kern River Parkway includes more than 6,000 acres of trails, parks, and waterways extending 30+ miles westerly to Interstate 5 and beyond.

Parkway uses include all forms of outdoor recreation and nature study, such as biking, hiking, paddling, and photography.

The parkway is an evolving community resource developed by volunteers, service organizations, businesses, and individuals with the use of public and private grants.

Please enjoy the Parkway and thank you for taking care of it!

-The Kern River Parkway Foundation

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Trail

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DISTANCE TO:

Sequoia National Park	97 mi (156 km)
Los Angeles	112 mi (180 km)
Yosemite National Park	203 mi (326 km)
Death Valley	220 mi (354 km)
San Diego	232 mi (373 km)
San Francisco	284 mi (457 km)
Las Vegas	286 mi (460 km)
Sacramento	286 mi (460 km)

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PARKWAY TRAIL

AMENITIES & POINTS OF INTEREST

- A** Access Points
 - H** Hospital
 - P** Parking Lots
 - PO** Post Office
- R** Parks & Recreation Areas
 - S** Shopping
 - W** Drinking Fountains
- 1** Amtrak Station
 - 2** Bakersfield College
 - 3** Bakersfield Museum of Art
 - 4** Buena Vista Museum of Natural History and Science
 - 5** California Living Museum (CALM)
 - 6** California State University, Bakersfield (CSUB)
 - 7** Dignity Health Amphitheatre
 - 8** Discovery Well
 - 9** Ethel's
- 10** Foss Kern River Golf Course
 - 11** GET Transit Terminal
 - 12** Gordon's Ferry
 - 13** Kern County Museum
 - 14** Kern County Soccer Park
 - 15** Lake Ming
 - 16** Panorama Vista Preserve
 - 17** Sam Lynn Ballpark
 - 18** Visit Bakersfield (Visitors Center)

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