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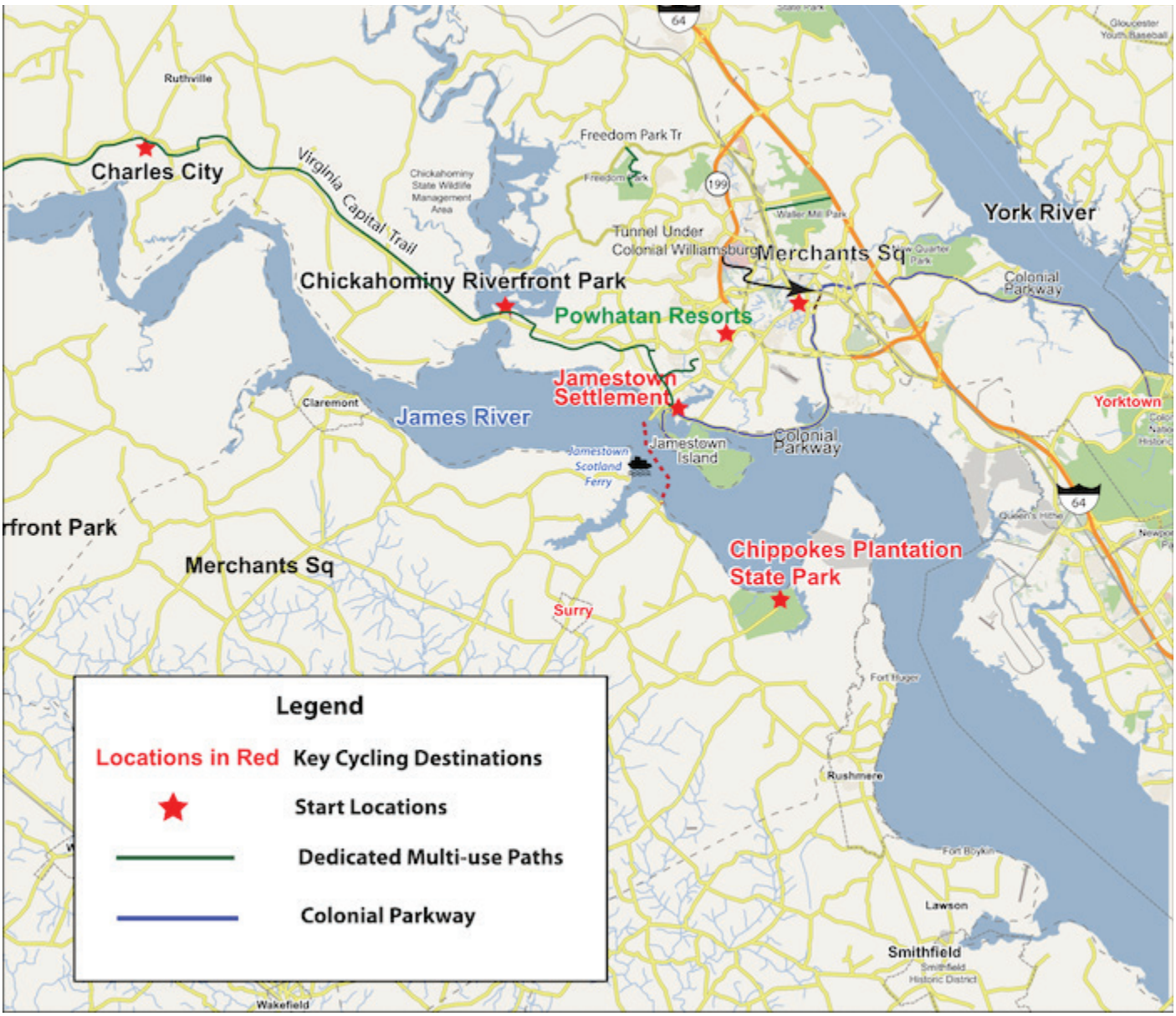
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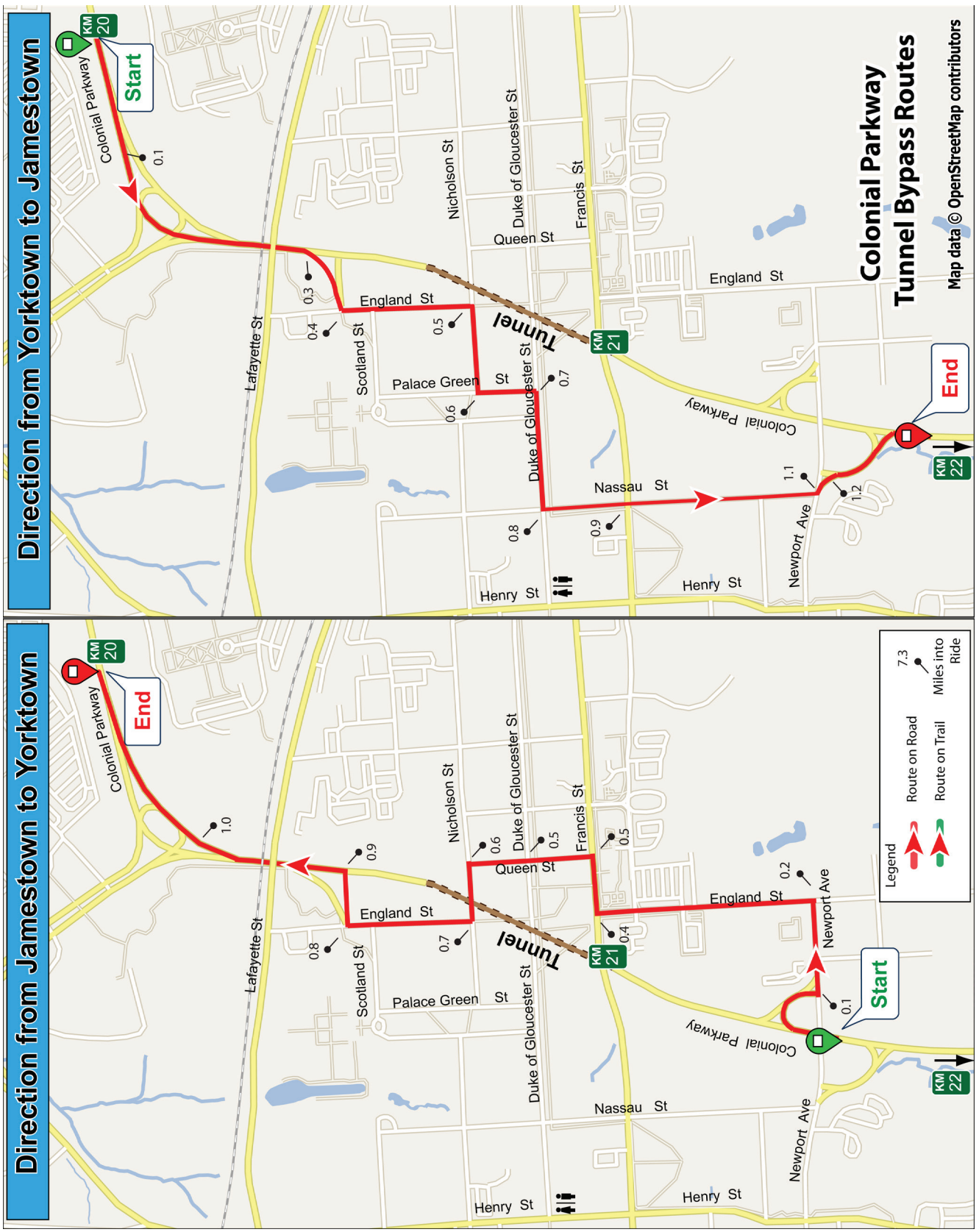
Getting the Lay of the Land

Williamsburg is in what is commonly referred to as the “Middle Peninsula” between the York and James Rivers. Williamsburg, Jamestown and Yorktown, are referred to as the “Historic Triangle”. The Colonial Parkway is managed by the National Park Service and runs from Jamestown, through Williamsburg and to Yorktown. Bicycles are permitted on the Colonial Parkway except for a short tunnel which actually goes underneath the Historic part of the city known as “Colonial Williamsburg” (aka. CW). While rideable, the Colonial Parkway surface consists of concrete aggregate and most people don’t find enjoyable on a “skinny tire” road bike. The event venue this year is the Powhatan Resorts, which is located on the western part of James City County and convenient to many great cycling routes. Most of the rides in this book start from either the Powhatan Resorts, Merchants Square (the heart of CW), Jamestown Settlement, Chickahominy Riverfront Park or Chippokes Plantation State Park. Chippokes is located in Surry County, across the James River. You can get there either on your bike or car via the free Ferry which runs from Jamestown to Scotland every 1/2 hour. Routes are provided in this book to enable you to cycle from the Powhatan to each of the other start points if you desire. NOTE: As of Sept 2026 the Colonial Parkway is closed from the Henry St. Exit to Yorktown.



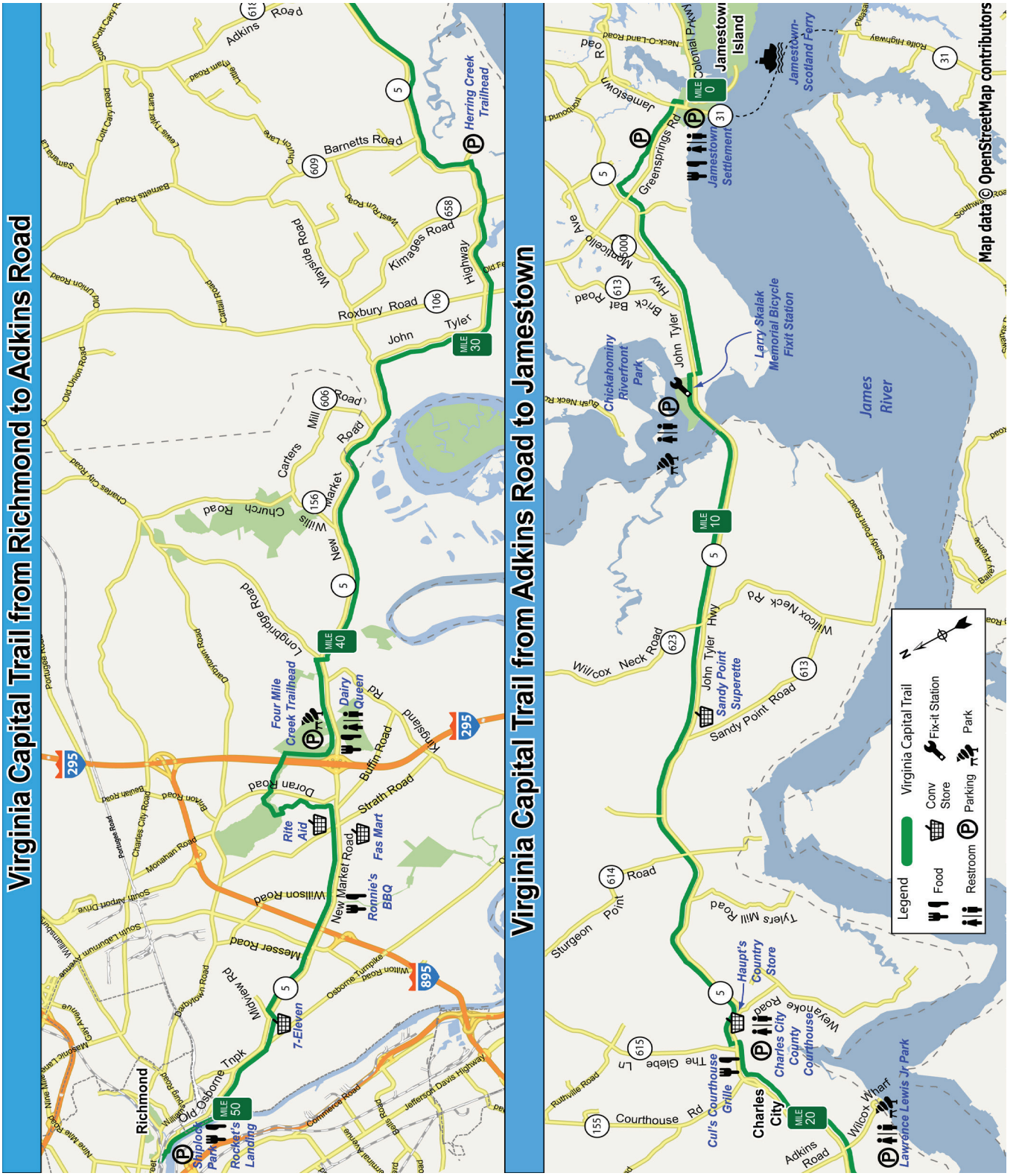
The Colonial Parkway - How to Bypass the Tunnel			
Starting Loc:	Williamsburg on each side of the tunnel	**Distance:**	1 mile

Most of the routes in this book avoid (or minimize) the Colonial Parkway because of the rough surface. However if you have a bicycle with fatter tires you might not mind the surface and it is beautiful and scenic. Below map shows how to get around the tunnel in Williamsburg.

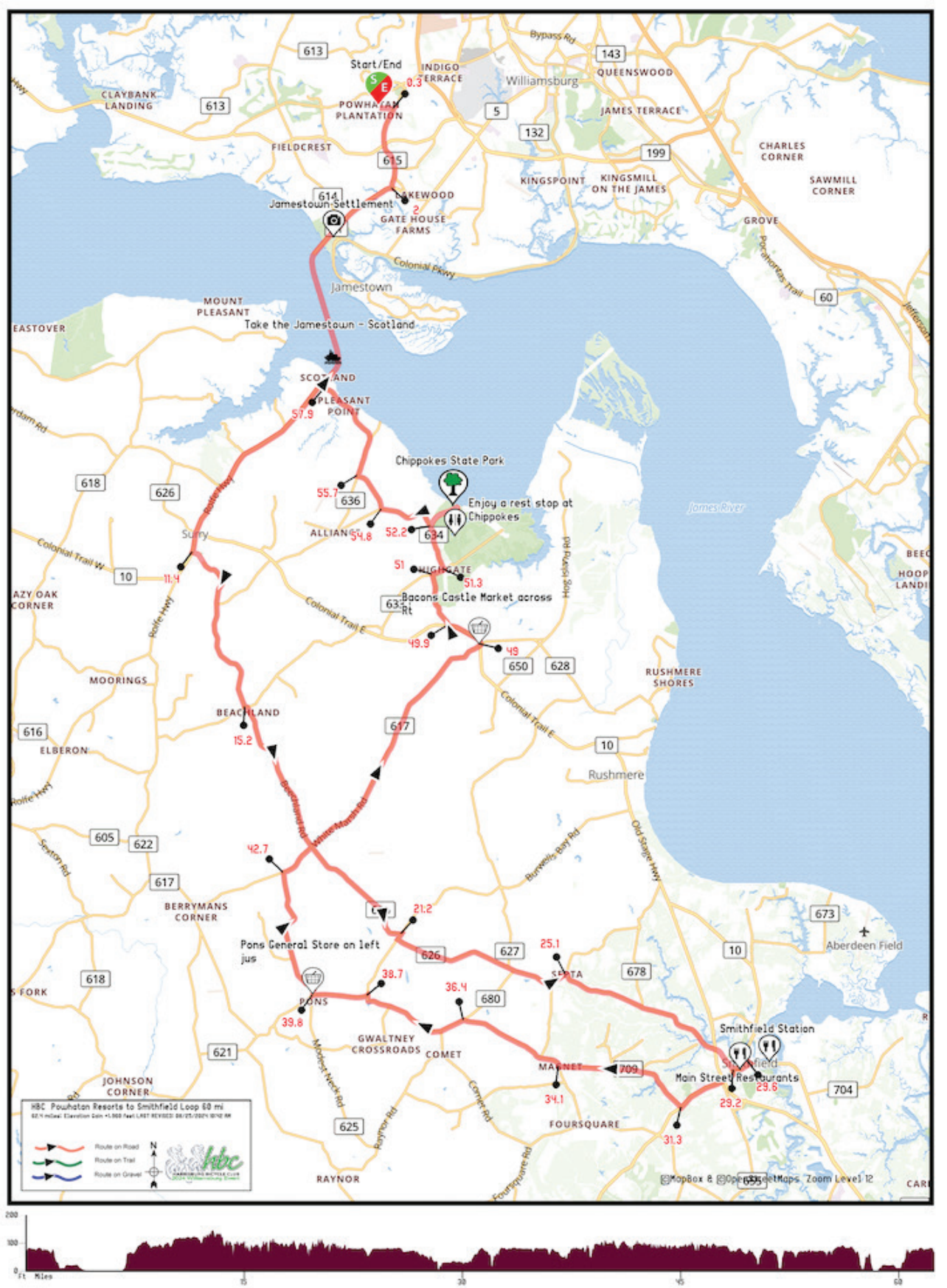


Virginia Capital Trail			
Starting Loc:	Richmond and Jamestown	**Distance:**	52 miles

The Virginia Capital Trail was finished in the summer of 2015 and extends from the first Colonial Capital to the current capital of Virginia. Mony of the routes in this book will use the VCT between Jamestown and Charles City.



Powhatan - Smithfield Loop			
Starting Loc:	Powhatan Resorts	**Distance:**	60 miles



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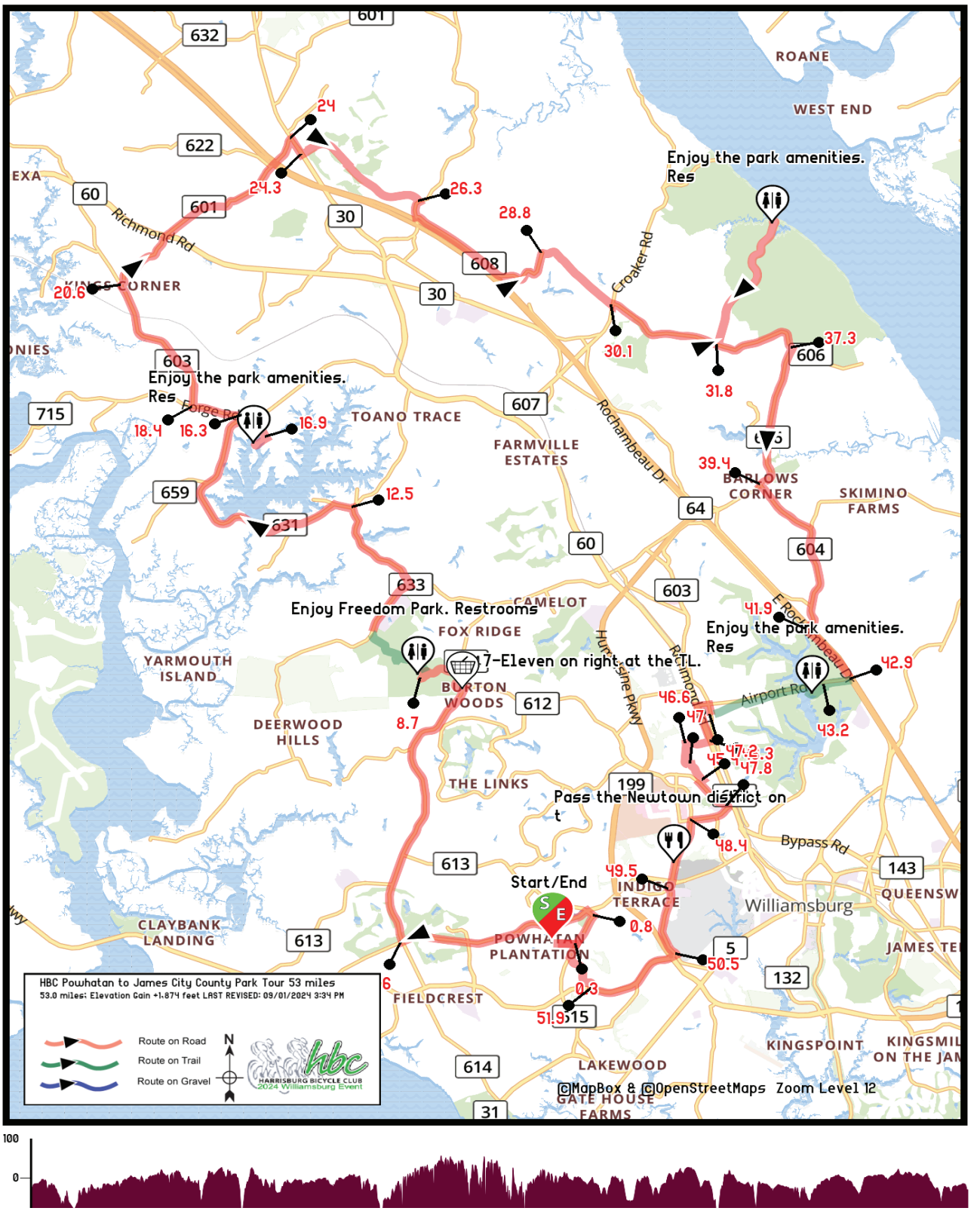
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When you exclude the distance on the ferry, this is approximately a 60 mile route to Smithfield and back. There are several great lunch spots available in Smithfield. The route is mostly on very quiet country roads. The return trip goes by Chippokes Plantation State Park which makes a nice stop but keep in mind the extra time consumed by taking the ferry.

Mi	Go	Notes	For
0.0		Start of Route - Unknown address. Head E.	
0.3	R	Turn right onto Ironbound Rd	1.5
1.8	S	Continue onto Sandy Bay Rd	0.3
2.0	R	Turn right onto VA-31 S/?Jamestown Rd	2.1
4.1	S	Take the Jamestown - Scotland ferry to Surry	2.5
6.6	S	Continue straight onto VA-31 S	4.4
11.0	S(TL)	Cross Rt. 10./ Colonial Trail	0.4
11.4	L	Turn left onto Co Rd T-626/Old Burrough Rd	0.7
12.1	S	Becomes Beechland Rd	3.1
15.2	L(SS)	Turn left onto State Route 616/Golden Hill Rd. Be prepared for quick right.	0.0
15.3	QR	Turn right onto State Route 626/Beechland Rd	6.0
21.2	R(SS)	Turn right onto State Route 621/Burwells Bay Rd. Be prepared for quick left.	0.1
21.3	L	Turn left onto State Route 626/Mill Swamp Rd	3.7
25.1	R	Bear right to stay on State Route 626/Mill Swamp Rd	3.8
28.9	S	Becomes Cary St	0.4
29.2	L(SS)	Turn left onto Grace St	0.3
29.5	S	Becomes Thomas St	0.1
29.6	QR(SS)	Turn right onto N Church St	0.1
29.6	QR(TL)	Turn right onto Main St	0.6
29.8		Several places to eat along Main Street. Smithfield Bakery on right is a great lunch spot - 218 main street	
30.3	S(TL)	Continue Straight at the redlight to stay on W. Main/Rt 258. Use caution crossing Rt 10 and be aware of increased traffic for next 1 mile	1.0
31.3	R	Turn right onto Waterworks Rd	2.8
34.1	R(SS)	Turn right onto State Route 680/Magnet Dr	2.2
36.4	L(SS)	Turn left onto State Route 680/Stallings Creek Dr	2.3
38.7	L	Turn left at Yield sign onto State Route 621/Mill Swamp Rd	1.1
39.8		Pons General Store on left just prior to turn.	
39.8	R	Turn right onto State Route 625/Pons Rd	1.4
41.2	S	Becomes Bellevue Rd	1.5
42.7	R(SS)	Turn right onto State Route 617/White Marsh Rd	6.4
49.0		Bacons Castle Market across Rt. 10 at the turn.	
49.0	L(SS)	Turn left onto State Route 617/VA-10 W/Colonial Trail E	0.8
49.9	R	Turn right onto State Route 634/Highgate Rd	1.1
51.0	R(SS)	Turn right onto State Route 633/Chippokes Farm Rd	0.3
51.3	L	Turn left onto State Route 634/Alliance Rd (going straight is one-way wrong way at this turn).	0.9
52.2	R	Turn right onto State Route 665/Chippokes Park Rd. If you don't want to stop at the Park, just stay straight here. (1.5 mile out & back)	1.4
53.0		Enjoy a rest stop at Chippokes if you like. When you are ready to leave, return the way you came on Chippokes Park Rd	
53.6	R(SS)	Turn right onto State Route 634/Alliance Rd	1.2
54.8	R	Turn right onto State Route 637/Poplar Lawn Rd	0.9
55.7	R(SS)	Turn right onto State Route 636/Cobham Wharf Rd	0.8
56.5	S	Becomes State Route 637/Pleasant Point Rd	1.5
57.9	R(SS)	Turn right onto VA-31 N/Rolfe Hwy. Wait for the ferry which comes about every 1/2 hour.	2.5
58.3		Take the Jamestown - Scotland ferry to Williamsburg	
58.3		Disembark and continue straight onto VA-31 N	
60.4	L	Turn left onto Sandy Bay Rd	0.3
60.7	S	Continue onto Ironbound Rd	1.5
62.1	L	Turn left onto Fithian Ln	0.3
62.4		End of Route	

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Powhatan to James City County Park Tour (Page 1/2)			
Starting Loc:	Powhatan Resorts	**Distance:**	53 Miles



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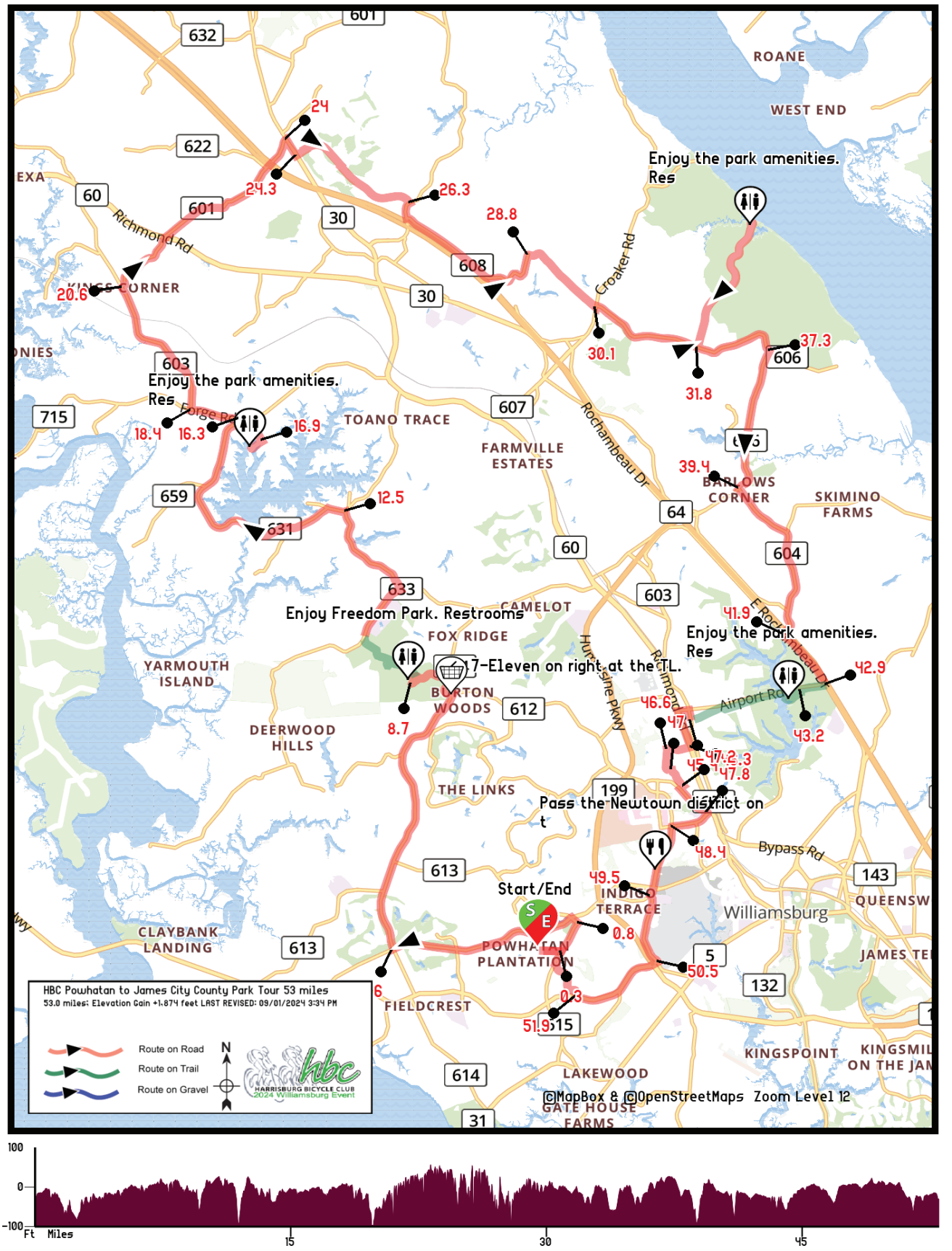
This tour visits most of the fine Parks that are available in James City County. There are a few spots where you'll find some traffic but this route is carefully designed to route you along safer roads and streets. There may be more climbing that you might expect in this area, but no terribly long or difficult climbs – primarily going down and up from creek beds. In addition to stops at area parks (Freedom Park, Little Creek Reservoir Park,, York River State Park and Waller Mill Park), this tour also visits several dedicated paved multi-use paths in the vicinity. These include the Virginia Capital Trail, Freedom Park Trail and Waller Mill Bike Path. There are convenience stores along the route (see map), as well as food opportunities, especially in the latter parts of the route along Richmond Road and Ironbound Road.

Mi	Go	Notes	For
0.0		Start at Powhatan Resorts and proceed towards mail exit/entrance	
0.3	L(SS)	Turn left onto Ironbound Rd	0.5
0.8	L(TL)	Turn left onto News Rd	0.1
0.9	QL(TL)	Turn left onto Monticello/VA-5000	2.7
3.6	R	Turn right onto Centerville Rd/VA-614 E	4.1
7.7		7-Eleven on right at the TL.	
7.7	L(TL)	Turn left onto Hotwater Tr./Rt. 612 to enter Freedom Park.	1.0
8.7	R	Turn right after you pass the botanical gardens to the park office and restrooms.	0.3
8.8		Enjoy Freedom Park. Restrooms available at Visitor's Center. When you are ready to leave, back-track and access the paved Freedom Park Trail which branches off about 3/4 of the way around the road encircling the botanical gardens.	
9.0	R	Turn right onto the Freedom Park trail (assuming you have gone counter-clockwise around the road which encircles the botanical gardens)	1.1
10.1	R	After about one mile, the trail comes parallel to Jolly Pond Road. Carefully cross from the trail onto Jolly Pond via a short gravel connector. Proceed right/East on Jolly Pond/Rt. 611. Note: It is best to use the first gravel connector you see to Jolly Pond.	0.9

Mi	Go	Notes	For
11.0	L	Turn left onto Cranston's Mill Pond Rd./Rt. 632.	1.5
12.5	L(SS)	Turn left onto Chickahominy Rd./Rt. 631	0.2
12.7	L	Turn left onto Little Creek Dam Rd./Rt. 631.	3.6
16.3	R(SS)	Turn right onto Forge Rd./Rt. 610.	0.2
16.5	R	Turn right onto Lakeview Dr.	0.3
16.9	R	Turn right into Little Creek Reservoir Park.	0.4
17.0		Enjoy the park amenities. Restrooms available. When you are ready to leave, retrace back to Lakeview Dr.	
17.2	L(SS)	Turn left onto Lakeview Dr.	0.3
17.6	L(SS)	Turn left onto Forge Rd./Rt. 610.	0.9
18.4	R	Turn right onto Diascund Rd./Rt. 603.	2.2
20.6	R	Turn right onto Barnes Rd./Rt. 601.	1.0
21.6	S(SS)	Cross Richmond Rd./Rt. 60 with caution.	2.4
24.0	R(SS)	Turn right onto VA-30 E. Caution - may be high traffic	0.3
24.3	L	Turn left onto Fieldstone Pkwy	2.0
26.3	R(SS)	Turn right onto Six Mt Zion Rd	0.2
26.5	L	Turn left onto Mt Laurel Rd	2.3
28.8	R	Mt. Laurel becomes Ware Creek Rd.	1.3
30.1	L(SS)	Turn left onto Croaker Rd./Rt. 607.	0.0
30.1	QR	Turn right onto Riverview Rd./Rt. 606.	1.6
31.8	L	Turn left onto York River Park Rd. It is about 2 miles to York River State Park.	4.3
33.8		Enjoy the park amenities. Restrooms available. When you are ready to leave, retrace back to Riverview Rd.	

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Powhatan to James City County Park Tour (Page 2/2)			
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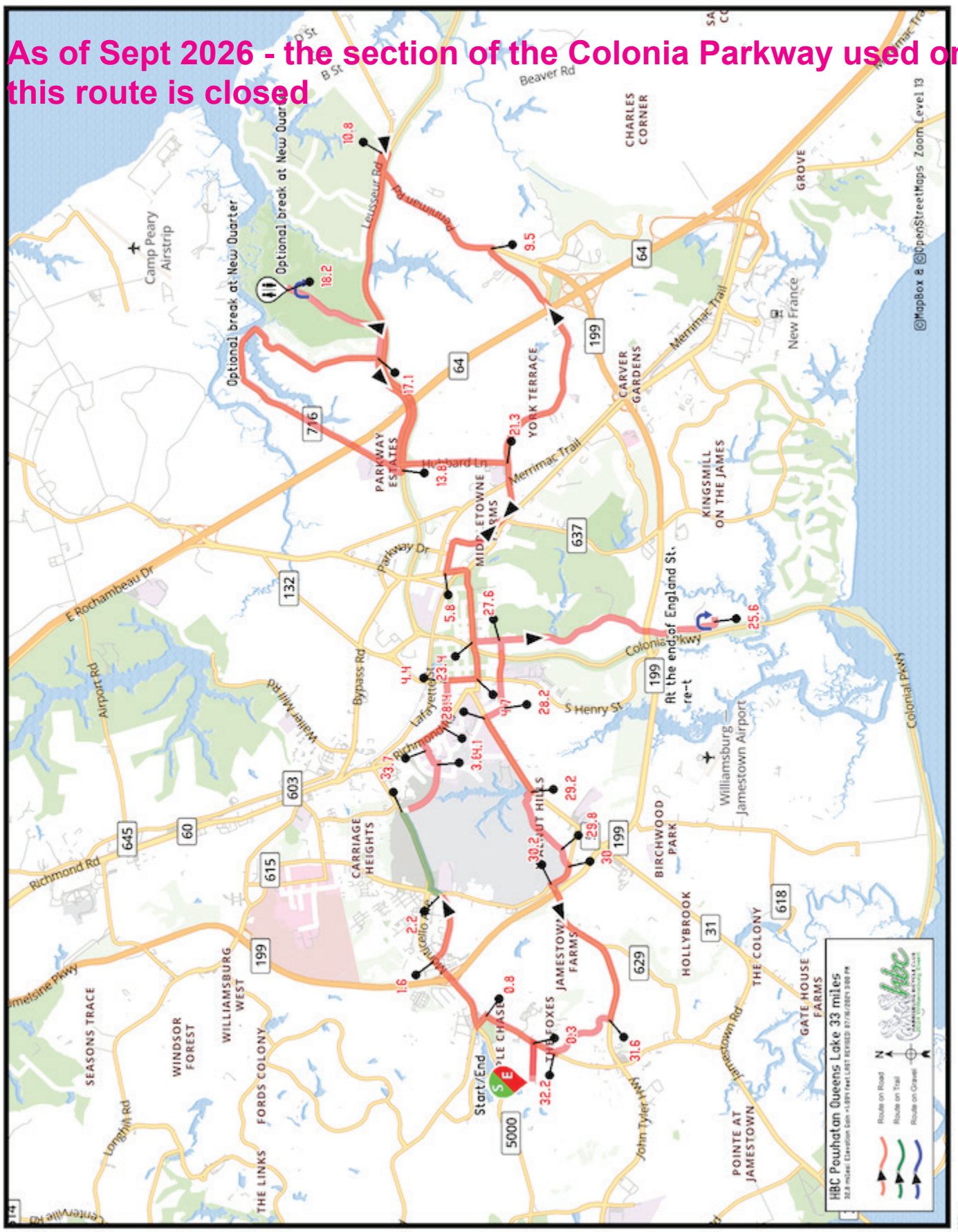
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36.0	L(SS)	Turn left onto Riverview Rd./Rt. 606.	1.2
37.3	R	Turn right onto Newman Rd./Rt. 646.	2.1
39.4	L	Turn left onto Barlow Rd./Rt. 604. (past KOA)	2.5
41.9	L(SS)	Turn left onto E Rochambeau Dr.	1.0
42.9	R	Just past Airport Rd., turn right to get on Waller Mill Park Bike Path.	0.4
43.2	L(SS)	Turn left into Waller Mill Park.	0.5
43.6		Enjoy the park amenities. Restrooms available. When you are ready to leave, retrace back to the Bike Path.	
43.8	L	Turn left onto the Bike Path.	1.6
45.4	R(T)	Turn right onto Mooretown Rd./Rt. 603.	0.2
45.6	L(TL)	Turn left onto Airport Rd./Rt. 645.	0.2
45.7	L(TL)	Turn left onto Richmond Rd./Rt. 60. Use caution on this 4-lane stretch. A right turn lane can be used as a bike lane.	0.5
46.3	R	Turn right onto Waltz Farm Dr. just before Outback Steakhouse.	0.3
46.6	L(SS)	Turn left onto Patrick Henry Dr.	0.4
47.0	R(SS)	Turn right onto Tyler Brooks Dr.	0.3
47.2	R	Turn right onto Robert Elliffe Rd	0.1
47.3	QL(SS)	Turn left onto Longhill Rd./Rt. 612.	0.5
47.8	R(SS)	Turn right onto Ironbound Rd.	0.2
48.1	S(TL)	Remain on Ironbound Rd.	0.3
48.4	L(TL)	Turn left to stay on Ironbound Rd	0.9
49.1		Pass the Newtown district on the right. Multiple restaurants available.	
49.3	S(TL)	Cross Monticello Ave./Rt. 321.	0.1
49.5	L(TL)	Turn left onto Strawberry Plains Rd	1.0
50.5	R(SS)	Turn right onto John Tyler Hwy.	0.1
50.6	S(TL)	Cross Rt. 199 to remain on John Tyler Hwy./Rt. 5. Stay in the marked bicycle lane as you cross.	1.3
51.9	R	Turn right onto Brandon Woods Pkwy	0.6
52.5	R(SS)	Turn right onto Ironbound Rd	0.2
52.7	L	Turn sharp left onto Fithian Lane to return to Powhatan	0.3
53.0		End of Route	

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Powhatan to Queens Lake			
Starting Loc:	Powhatan Resorts	**Distance:**	33 miles

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HBC Powhatan Queens Lake 33 miles (32.8 miles; Elevation Gain +1,094 feet) Route Number: 47547235

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This route incorporates the Colonial Parkway, a loop around Queens Lake, and an out-and-back on South England St. Stop and take a group picture at mile 15.7 as you look over the scenic Queens Lake.

Optional break at New Quarter Park.

Mi	Go	Notes	For
0.0		Start at Powhatan Resorts and proceed towards main exit/entrance	
0.3	L(SS)	Turn left onto Ironbound Rd	0.5
0.8	L(TL)	Turn left onto News Rd	0.1
0.9	QR(TL)	Turn right onto Monticello	0.7
1.6	R(TL)	Turn right onto Ironbound Rd	0.6
2.2	R	Get on the Monticello Trail that parallels Monticello Ave	0.8
3.0	R	Turn right onto Compton Drive	0.5
3.5	S(SS)	Cross Brooks St	0.1
3.6	QL(SS)	Turn left onto Ukrop Way	0.2
3.7	R(SS)	Turn right onto College Terrace	0.0
3.7	QL	Turn left onto Dillard St (basically straight across)	0.1
3.8	QR(SS)	Turn right onto Richmond Rd	0.2
4.1	L(TL)	Turn left onto Scotland St	0.4
4.4	R(SS)	Turn right onto N Henry St	0.3
4.7	L(TL)	Turn left onto Francis St W	0.8
5.5	S	Continue onto York St	0.1
5.6	S(TL)	Continue onto Page St	0.2
5.8	R	Turn right onto Penniman Rd	2.9
8.7	R(SS)	Bear right to stay on Penniman Rd	0.8
9.5	L(SS)	Turn left to stay on Penniman Rd. Caution	1.4
10.8	R	Turn right onto the ramp Colonial Pkwy towards Williamsburg (after you go underpass)	0.0
10.9	S(SS)	Merge onto Colonial Pkwy	2.9
13.8	R	Take the exit toward W Queens Dr	0.2
13.9	L(SS)	Turn left onto W Queens Dr	3.2
17.1	L	Turn left onto Lakeshead Dr at Yield Sign	1.1
18.2		Optional break at New Quarter Park. After break, re-trace back	2.2

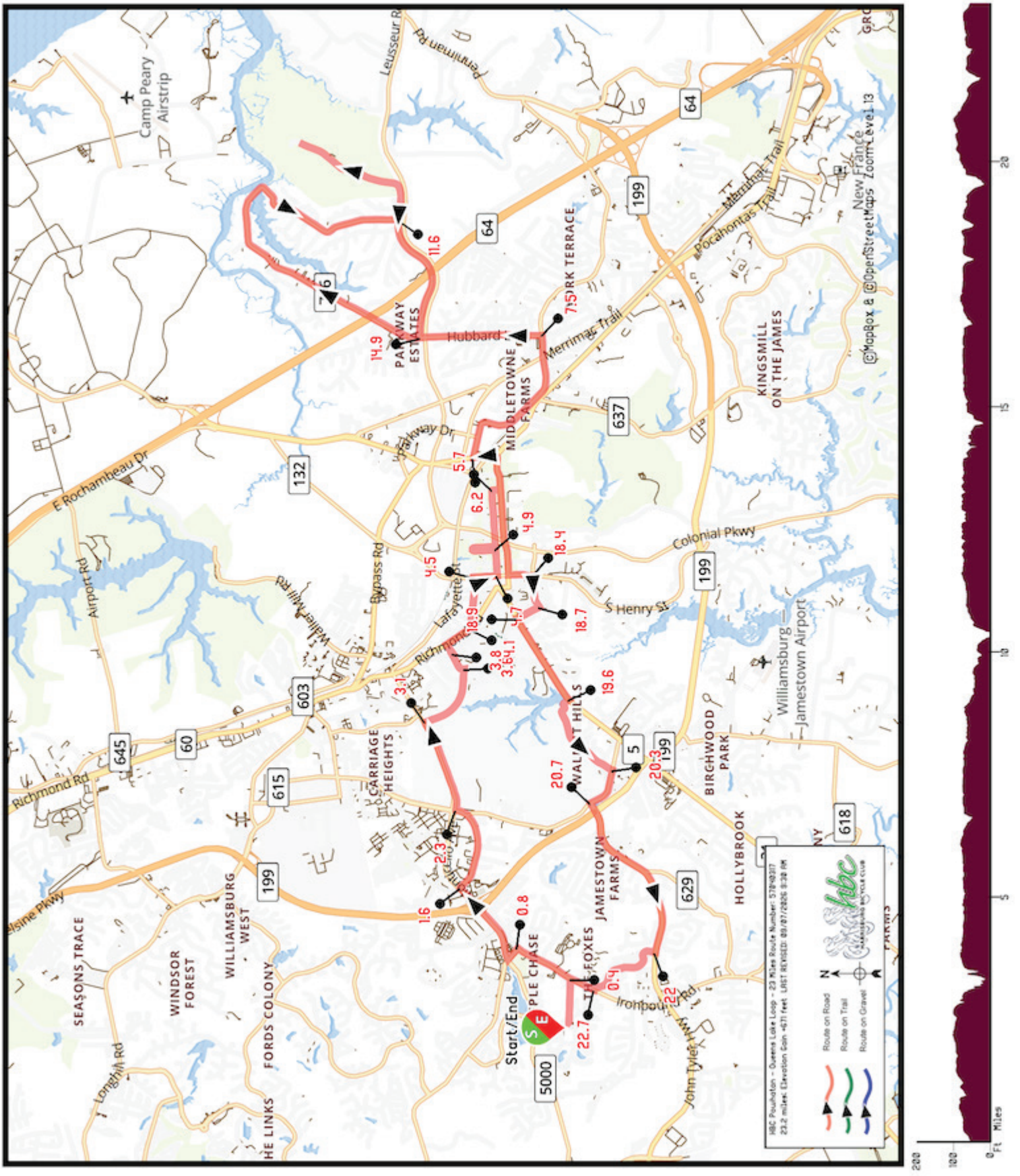
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20.4	L(SS)	Turn left onto Hubbard Ln/?W Queens Dr	0.9
21.3	R(SS)	Turn right onto Penniman Rd	1.3
22.6	L(SS)	Turn left onto Page St	0.2
22.8	S(TL)	Continue straight onto York St	0.1
22.9	S	Becomes Francis St E	0.5
23.4	L(TL)	Turn left onto S England St	2.2
25.6		At the end of England St, re-trace back	2.0
27.6	L	Turn left onto Newport Ave	0.6
28.2	R(SS)	Turn right onto Griffin Ave	0.2
28.4	L(SS)	Turn left onto Jamestown Rd	0.7
29.2	R	Turn right onto Mill Neck Rd	0.7
29.8	R(SS)	Turn right onto Berkeley Ln	0.2
30.0	R(SS)	Turn right onto John Tyler Ln	0.2
30.2	L(SS)	Turn left onto John Tyler Hwy, cross 199 at traffic light	1.4
31.6	R	Turn right onto Brandon Woods Pkwy	0.6
32.2	R(SS)	Turn right onto Ironbound Rd	0.2
32.4	L	Turn sharp left onto Fithian Lane to return to Powhatan	0.3
32.8		End of Route	

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Powhatan to Queens Lake			
Starting Loc:	Powhatan Resorts	**Distance:**	23 miles



HBC Powhatan - Queens Lake Loop - 23 Miles (23.2 miles; Elevation Gain +671 feet) Route Number: 57040317

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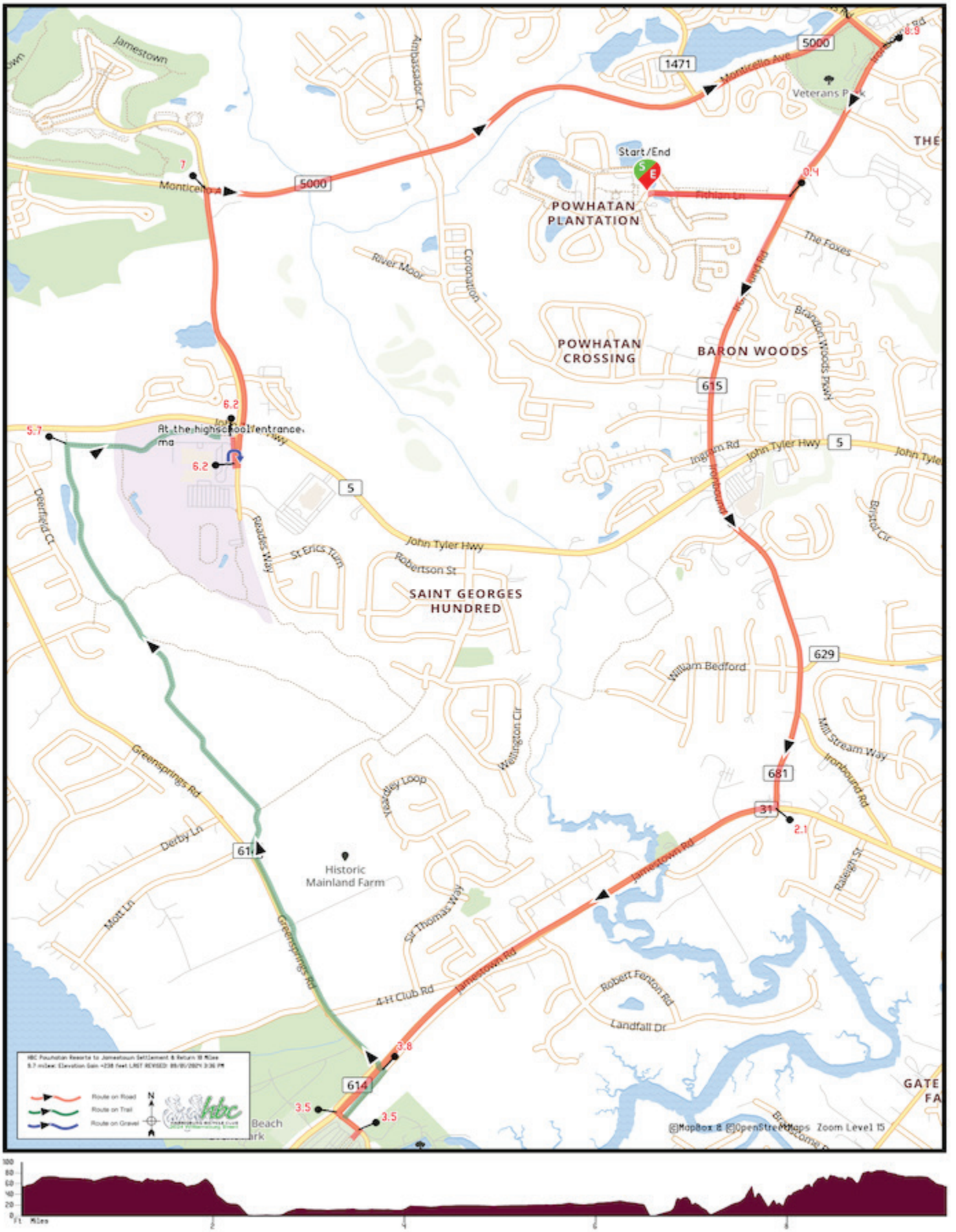
This 23.5 miles route starts and ands at the Powhatan Resorts and does a loop around the Queens Lake community. On the way there the route goes through the heart of Colonial Williamsburg and includes a rest stop at a local York County Park.

Mi	Go	Notes	For
0.0		Start at Powhatan Resorts and proceed towards main exit/entrance	
0.4	L	Turn left onto Ironbound Rd	0.5
0.8	L	Turn left onto News Rd	0.1
1.0	QR	Turn right onto VA-321	0.7
1.6	R	Turn right onto Ironbound Rd	0.7
2.3	R	Turn right onto Matoaka Trails	0.7
3.1	R	Turn right onto Compton Drive	0.6
3.6	L	Turn left onto Ukrop Way	0.2
3.8	L	Turn left onto Dillard St	0.1
3.9	QR	Turn right onto Richmond Rd	0.2
4.1	L	Turn left onto Scotland St	0.4
4.5	R	Turn right onto N Henry St	0.2
4.7	L	Turn left onto W Duke of Gloucester St	0.2
4.9	L	Turn left onto Palace Green St	0.2
5.1	R	Slight right onto Palace Green St/?Spotswood St	0.2
5.2	L	Turn left onto E Duke of Gloucester St	0.4
5.7	R	Turn right onto Blair St	0.1
5.7	QL	Turn left onto Francis St E	0.1
5.9	S	Continue onto York St	0.1
6.0	S	Continue onto Page St	0.2
6.2	R	Turn right onto Penniman Rd	1.3
7.5	L	Turn left onto Hubbard Ln	0.9
8.4	S	Continue onto W Queens Dr	3.2
11.6	L	Turn left onto Lakeshead Dr	3.2
12.8		Break at New Quarter Park - Restrooms Available. Then double back.	
14.9	L	Turn left onto Hubbard Ln/?W Queens Dr	0.9
15.8	R	Turn right onto Penniman Rd	1.3
17.1	L	Turn left onto Page St	0.2
17.3	S	Continue straight onto York St	0.1
17.4	S	Continue onto Francis St E	0.8
18.2	L	Turn left onto S Henry St	0.2
18.4	R	Turn right onto Newport Ave	0.3
18.7	R	Turn right onto Griffin Ave	0.2
18.9	L	Turn left onto Jamestown Rd	0.7
19.6	R	Turn right onto Mill Neck Road	0.8
20.3	R	Turn right onto John Tyler Ln	0.3
20.7	L	Turn left onto John Tyler Hwy	1.4
22.0	R	Turn right onto Brandon Woods Pkwy	0.6
22.7	R	Turn right onto Ironbound Rd	0.2
22.9	L	Turn left onto Fithian Ln	0.3
23.2		End of Route	

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Powhatan to Jamestown Settlement & Return			
Starting Loc:	Best Western	**Distance:**	10 miles



HBC Powhatan Resorts to Jamestown Settlement & Return 10 Miles (9.7 miles; Elevation Gain +238 feet) Route Number: 47463232

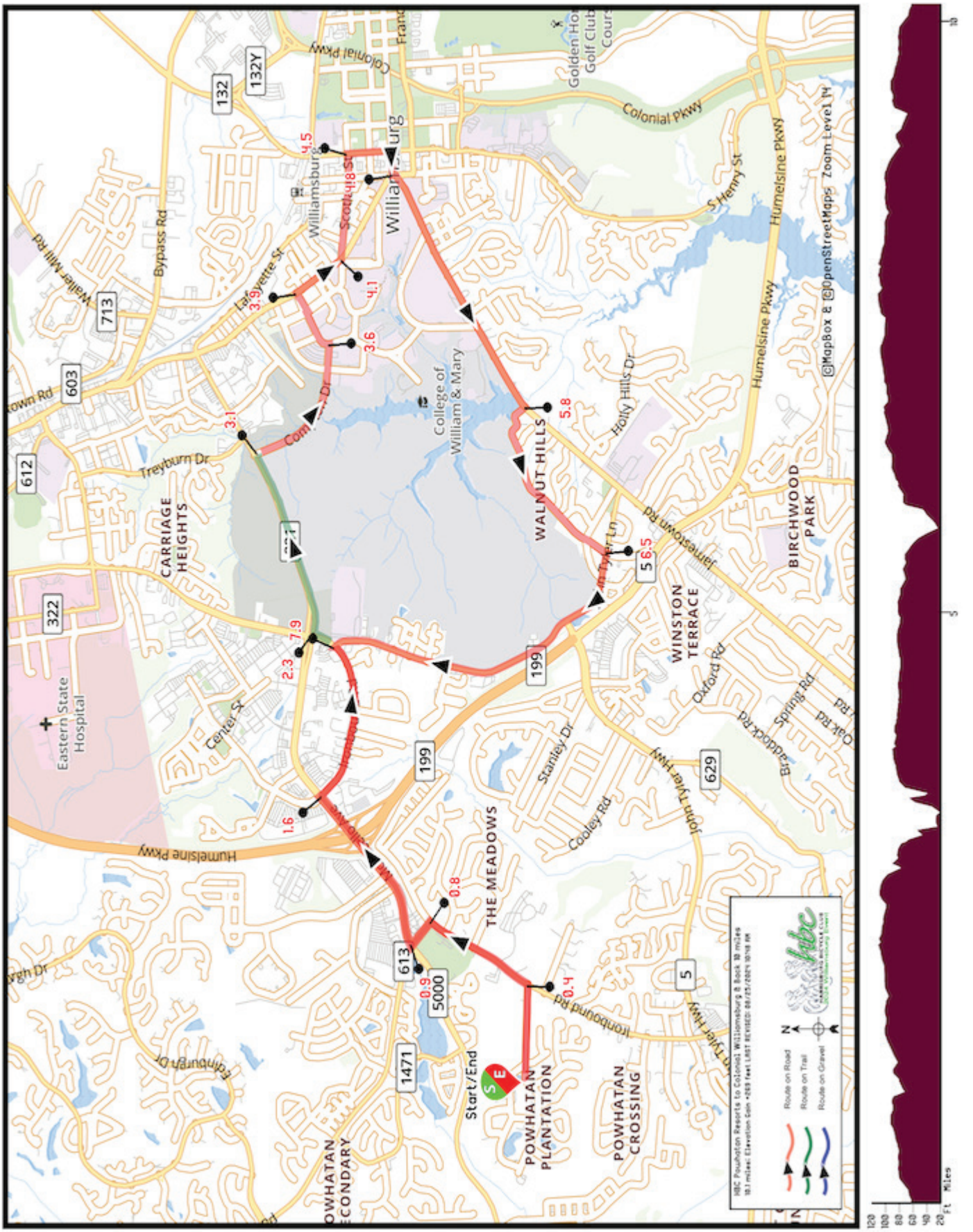
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This route goes from the Powhatan Resorts to the JT Settlement via Ironbound and Jamestown Rd. It returns via the Virginia Capital Trail and Monticello Ave.

Mi	Go	Notes	For
0.0		Start at Powhatan Resorts and proceed toward main exit/entrance	
0.4	R	Turn right onto Ironbound Rd	1.5
1.8	S	Continue onto Sandy Bay Rd	0.3
2.1	R	Turn right onto Jamestown Rd/VA-31 S	1.4
3.5	L	Turn left onto Colonial Nat'l Historical Pkwy	0.1
3.5	QR	Turn right into Jamestown Settlement Parking lot. On return, exit parking lot and turn left onto Colonial Parkway.	0.1
3.6	QR	Turn right onto Virginia Capital Trail (This is the VCT Trailhead)	0.2
3.8	L(SS)	Turn left to cross Jamestown Rd/Rt 31 and stay on Virginia Capital Trail	1.9
5.7	R	Turn right to stay on Virginia Capital Trail. This is a spur of the trail.	0.4
6.2	R	At the end of the VCT spur, turn right on the sidewalk.	0.1
6.2		At the highschool entrance, make a left/left to get on Eagle Way heading back towards John Tyler Hwy.	0.1
6.4	S(TL)	Continue onto Greensprings Plantation Dr at the Traffic Light	0.6
7.0	R(SS)	Turn right onto Monticello Ave/VA-5000	1.7
8.7	R(TL)	Turn right onto News Rd	0.1
8.9	QR(TL)	Turn right onto Ironbound Rd	0.5
9.3	R	Turn right onto Fithian Ln to end the route	0.3
9.7		End of Route	

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Powhatan to Colonial Williamsburg & Return			
Starting Loc:	Powhatan Resorts	**Distance:**	10 miles



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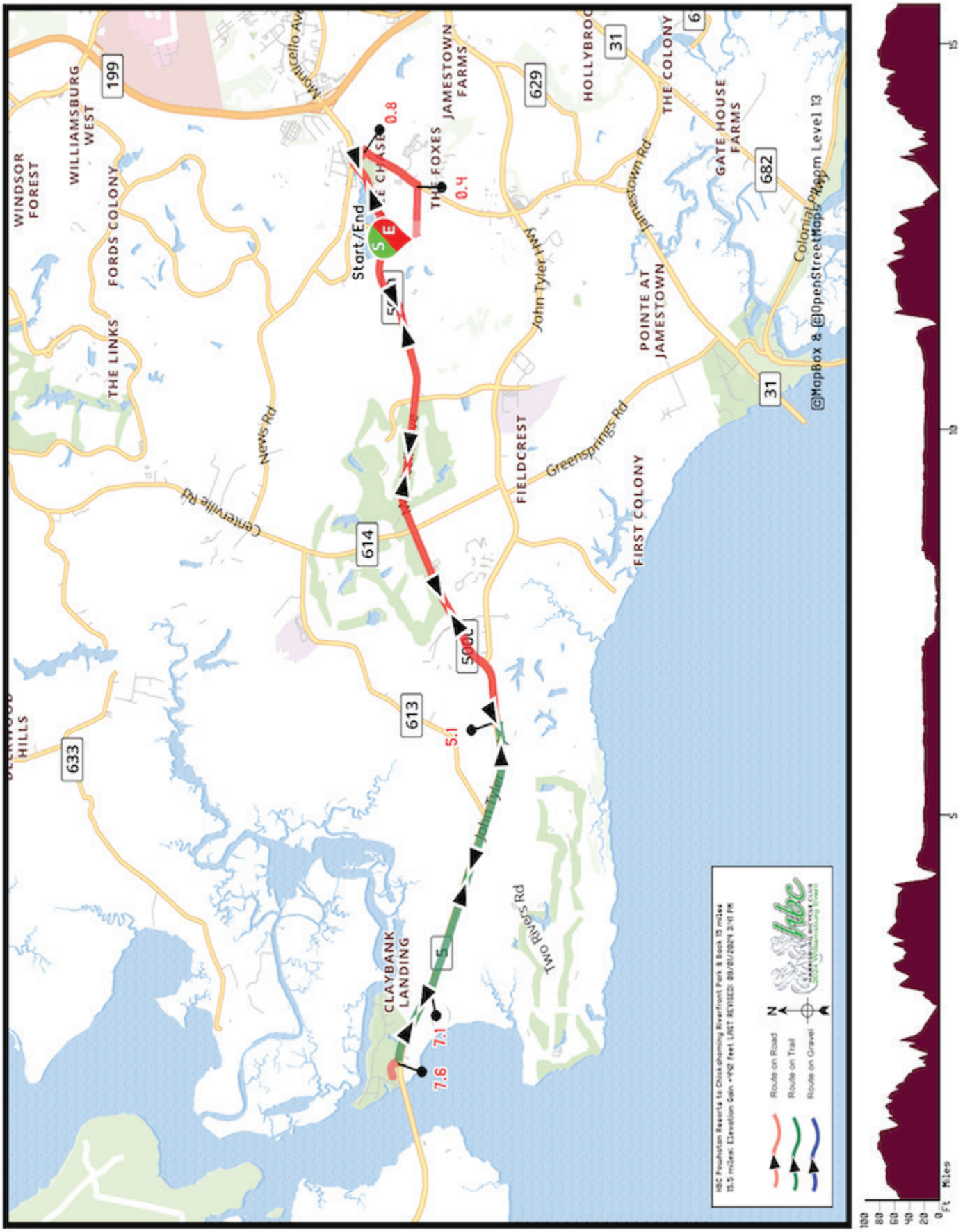
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This route will take you to the Merchant Square area of Colonial Williamsburg (CW). There are many shops and restaurants in this area as well as the many historical colonial buildings. Combine this route with one of the other routes that leave from CW to see more of the Williamsburg area.

Mi	Go	Notes	For
0.0		Start at Powhatan Resorts and proceed towards main exit/entrance	
0.4	L(SS)	Turn left onto Ironbound Rd	0.5
0.8	L(TL)	Turn left onto News Rd	0.1
0.9	QR(TL)	Turn right onto VA-321 (bike lane available)	0.7
1.6	R	Turn right onto Ironbound Rd	0.6
2.3	R	Get on the dedicated bike path just past the middle school	0.1
2.3	R	Turn right to stay on path that parallels Monticello.	0.7
3.1	R	Turn right onto Compton Drive	0.5
3.5	S(SS)	Cross Brooks St	0.1
3.6	QL(SS)	Turn left onto Ukrop Way	0.2
3.8	S(SS)	Jog slightly then straight onto Dillard St	0.1
3.9	QR(SS)	Turn right onto Richmond Rd	0.2
4.1	L(TL)	Turn left onto Scotland St	0.2
4.3	S(SS)	Cross Armistead	0.1
4.4	S(SS)	Cross Boundry St	0.1
4.5	QR(SS)	Turn right onto N Henry St	0.3
4.7		Arrive at Merchant Square Colonial Williamsburg	
4.8	L	Turn left onto S Boundary St/?Jamestown Rd	0.0
4.8	QR	Slight right onto Jamestown Rd	1.0
5.8	R	Turn right onto Mill Neck Road	0.7
6.5	R(SS)	Turn right onto John Tyler Ln	0.3
6.9	S(SS)	Continue onto Strawberry Plains Rd. Caution - traffic from left does not have Stop Sign	1.0
7.9	L(TL)	Turn left onto Ironbound Rd	0.6
8.5	L(TL)	Turn left onto Monticello Ave/VA-321 W	0.7
9.2	L(TL)	Turn left onto News Rd	0.1
9.3	R(TL)	Turn right onto Ironbound Rd	0.5
9.8	R	Turn right onto Fithian Ln	0.3
10.1		End of Route	

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Powhatan to Chickahominy Riverfront Park & Return			
Starting Loc:	Powhatan Resorts	**Distance:**	15 miles



HBC Powhatan Resorts to Chickahominy Riverfront Park & Back 15 miles (15.5 miles; Elevation Gain +442 feet) Route Number: 47532

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This route will take you to and from the Chickahominy Riverfront Park. This is a starting location for many rides that explore Charles City County

Mi	Go	Notes	For
0.0		Start at Powhatan Resorts and proceed towards main exit/entrance	
0.4	L(SS)	Turn left onto Ironbound Rd	0.5
0.8	L(TL)	Turn left onto News Rd	0.1
0.9	QL(TL)	Turn left onto Monticello Ave/VA-5000	3.8
4.7	S(TL)	Continue straight onto VA-5 W	0.4
5.1	L	Turn left onto Two Rivers Rd (entrance to Governer's Land) then take a quick right onto the Virginia Capital Trail	0.0
5.1	QR	Turn right onto Virginia Capital Trail	1.9
7.1	R	Turn right to Cross Rt 5/John Tyler Hwy and continue on the VCT (Caution)	0.6
7.6	R	Turn right just before the bridge to enter the park.	0.3
7.8		Arrive at Chickahominy Riverfront Park. Return to Powhatan using same route.	
8.0	L	Turn left onto Virginia Capital Trail	0.6
8.5	R	Turn right to cross John Tyler Hwy/Rt 5 and continue on the VCT (Caution)	2.0
10.5	L(SS)	Turn left onto Two Rivers Rd to exit the VCT and get on John Tyler Hwy/Rt. 5	0.0
10.5	QR(SS)	Turn right onto John Tyler Hwy/Rt 5	0.4
10.9	S(TL)	Continue onto Monticello Ave/VA-5000	3.7
14.7	R(TL)	Turn right onto News Rd	0.1
14.8	QR(TL)	Turn right onto Ironbound Rd	0.5
15.2	R	Turn right onto Fithian Ln to return to Powhatan	0.3
15.5		End of Route	

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Powhatan to Historic Jamestown Island			
Starting Loc:	Powhatan Resorts	**Distance:**	17 miles



HBC Williamsburg Powhatan to Historic Jamestowne Island 17 mi (17.6 miles; Elevation Gain +301 feet) Route Number: 47534251

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This short tour of Jamestown Island begins and ends at Powhatan Resorts. The island offers two loops: a shorter one of 3 miles and a longer 5 mile version. Technically a pass to ride the Island is required but this is not enforced. If you have a Senior Lifetime National Park pass that is accepted.

Mi	Go	Notes	For
0.0		Start at Powhatan Resorts and proceed towards main exit/entrance	
0.3	R(SS)	Turn right onto Ironbound Rd	1.5
1.8	S	Continue onto Sandy Bay Rd	0.3
2.1	R(SS)	Turn right onto VA-31 S/?Jamestown Rd	1.4
3.5	L	Turn left onto Colonial Nat'l Historical Pkwy	0.3
3.7		Be aware of gaps between the lanes on the Colonial Pkwy., especially if you have a road bike with narrow tires.	
3.8	R(SS)	Turn right onto the Colonial Pkwy. In a ¼-mile the Glasshouse will be located on your right.	1.1
4.0		Glasshouse entrance. Public Restrooms available towards the back of the parking lot.	
4.8	R	You'll reach the Island Information Center. Stop here to purchase your pass, use restrooms or view exhibits. The Island Tour Road begins at the far end of the parking lot and is well signed.	1.7
6.5	R	The Tour Road splits, offering a shorter and longer route. We suggest you bear right to cycle the entire island. However, to shorten your tour by 2 miles, bear left.	4.7
7.6		You have an opportunity to leave the paved road to explore Black Point. Follow the trail to the right with caution, as there are many exposed tree roots. You could also park your bike and walk out to Black Point, the easternmost point of Jamestown Island. You'll be rewarded with a fabulous view of the James River.	
11.2	L	Turn left onto the Colonial Pkwy access Rd. Cross the other lane of the Parkway at the Stop Sign.	0.3
11.5	R	Turn right onto Virginia Capital Trail	0.2
11.7	L(SS)	Turn left to Cross Jamestown Rd and stay on Virginia Capital Trail	1.9
13.6	R	Turn right to stay on Virginia Capital Trail	0.4
14.0	R	At the end of the trail spur turn right onto sidewalk	0.1
14.1		At the high school entrance make a left/left to onto Eagle Way heading back towards John Tyler Hwy	0.1
14.2	S(TL)	Cross John Tyler to continue onto Greensprings Plantation Dr	0.6
14.9	R(SS)	Turn right onto Monticello Ave/VA-5000	1.7
16.6	R(TL)	Turn right onto News Rd	0.1
16.7	QR(TL)	Turn right onto Ironbound Rd	0.5
17.2	R	Turn right onto Fithian Ln to end the route	0.4
17.6		End of Route	

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Powhatan Williamsburg Winery Loop			
Starting Loc:	Powhatan Resorts	**Distance:**	17 miles



HBC Williamsburg Powhatan to Williamsburg Winery Loop 17 Mi (18.0 miles; Elevation Gain +409 feet) Route Number: 47534621

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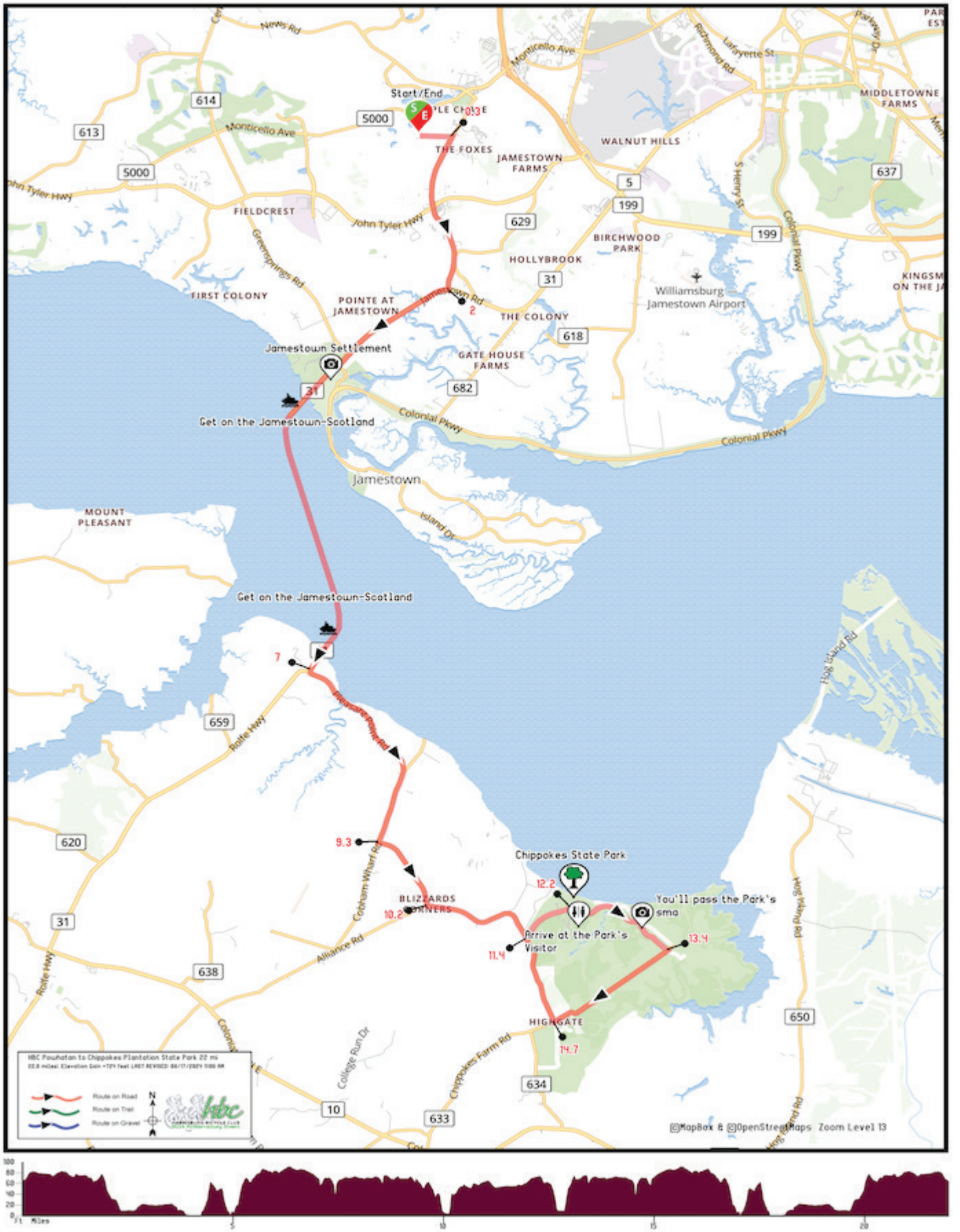
Starting from Powhatan Resorts the Williamsburg Winery Ride is an easy spin down to the James River via the Colonial Parkway. Pay close attention to your odometer for the turnoff to Treasure Island Road. A stop at the Williamsburg Winery is always pleasant - whether for a winery tour, wine tasting, lunch, or just the delightful spin through the vineyards. Use caution crossing Rt. 199 on your way back to the Powhatan on Jamestown Road. Restrooms are available at the Williamsburg Winery.

Mi	Go	Notes	For
0.0		Start at Powhatan Resorts and proceed towards main exit/entrance	
0.3	L(SS)	Turn left onto Ironbound Rd	0.5
0.8	L(TL)	Turn left onto News Rd	0.1
0.9	QL(TL)	Turn left onto Monticello Ave/VA-5000	1.8
2.7	L	Turn left onto Greensprings Plantation Dr	0.6
3.3	S(TL)	Cross John Tyler to ontinue onto Eagle Way	0.1
3.4	QR	At the high school entrance, get on the sidewalk and hook back towards John Tyler	0.1
3.5	QL	Turn left onto the Virginia Capital Trail spur	0.4
3.9	L	Turn left to stay on Virginia Capital Trail	1.9
5.8	R(SS)	Turn right to cross Jamestown Rd and stay on Virginia Capital Trail	0.2
6.0	L	Turn left to exit the VCT onto Colonial Parkway	0.3
6.3	L	Turn left onto Colonial Parkway	3.1
9.4	L	Exit the Colonial Parkway by turning left onto the bike path at the Bike Route sign. Follow the bike path/gravel road for about a hundred yards until it ends at Treasure Island Rd. Use caution as this section tends to have loose gravel. You might want to walk your bike through this section. Continue straight on Treasure Island Rd.	0.1
9.5	S	Continue unto short gravel road to connect to Treasure Island Rd	0.1
9.5	S	Continue on Treasure Island Rd	1.3
10.8	S	Continue onto Lake Powell Rd. Treasure Island Rd ends.	0.2
11.0	R	Turn right onto Wessex Hundred Rd., also signed as the entrance to the Williamsburg Winery.	0.7
11.8	L	Enjoy wine tasting or tour at the Williamsburg Winery. Food is available at Gabriel Archer's Tavern.	
11.8		After your visit, retrace your route back to Lake Powell Rd.	0.8

Mi	Go	Notes	For
12.5	R	Turn right onto Lake Powell Rd	0.9
13.5	S(SS)	Cross Brookwood Dr	0.3
13.8	S	When you reach the end of Lake Powell Rd., jog right onto the sidewalk. At the TL, push the button and cross Rt. 199 on the crosswalk with caution. Continue straight onto Jamestown Rd. Alternatively proceed through the 7-11 parking lot, turn right and get in the proper lane to cross Rt. 199 onto Jamestown Rd	0.4
14.2	L(TL)	Turn left onto John Tyler Ln	0.6
14.7	S(SS)	Continue onto Strawberry Plains Rd. Caution - cars from left do not have Stop Sign	1.0
15.8	L	Turn left onto Ironbound Rd	0.6
16.4	L	Turn left onto Monticello Ave/VA-321 W	0.7
17.1	L(TL)	Turn left onto News Rd	0.1
17.2	R(TL)	Turn right onto Ironbound Rd	0.5
17.7	R	Turn right onto Fithian Ln to end the route.	0.3
18.0		End of Route	

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Powhatan Chippokes State Park			
Starting Loc:	Powhatan Resorts	**Distance:**	22 miles



HBC Powhatan to Chippokes Plantation State Park 22 mi (22.0 miles; Elevation Gain +724 feet) Route Number: 47549795

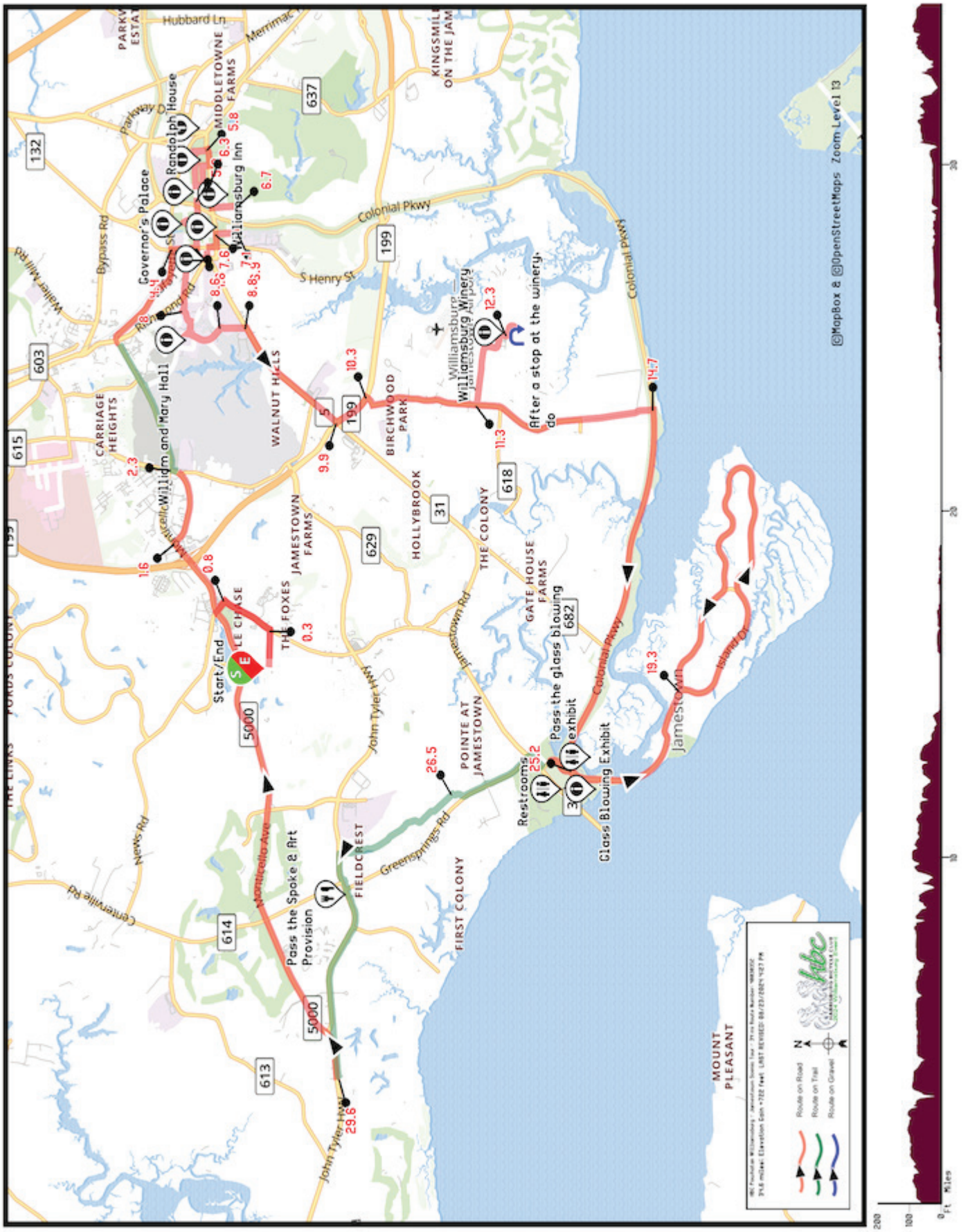
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The Lower Peninsula may be bounded by the James and York Rivers, but the Jamestown-Scotland Ferry makes for an interesting and delightful excursion to Surry County. The ferry, which is free for cars and bikes, sails approximately every half-hour and takes about twenty minutes to cross the James River. The ride will take you to Chippokes Plantation State Park where you can tour the Chippokes Mansion or a small Farm and Forestry Museum. Restrooms are available at the ride's start, at Chippokes State Park and on the ferry. Consider coupling this route with one of the several others that start at Chippokes if you'd like a longer ride. Ride With GPS shows this as a 27 mile ride but it is actually 22 when you exclude the distance on the ferry.

Mi	Go	Notes	For
0.0		Start at Powhatan Resorts and proceed towards main exit/entrance	
0.3	R(SS)	Turn right onto Ironbound Rd	1.5
1.8	S	Continue onto Sandy Bay Rd	0.3
2.0	R(SS)	Turn right onto VA-31 S/?Jamestown Rd	2.1
4.1		Get on the Jamestown-Scotland Ferry. The ferry departs approximately every 1/2 hour. (free). If you have a GPS computer, pause it while on the ferry.	
4.1	S	Disembark from the ferry and cycle up the hill.	0.3
4.5	L	At top of hill bear left at the island/parking lot to stop sign. Left on Rt.637	0.0
4.5	QL(SS)	Slight left onto Pleasant Point Rd./Rt. 637.	1.4
6.0	S	Continue on Cobham Wharf Rd./Rt.636/637.	0.8
6.8	L	Turn left onto Poplar Lawn Rd./Rt. 637.	0.9
7.6	L(SS)	Turn left onto Alliance Rd./Rt. 634.	1.2
8.8	L	Turn left onto Chippokes Park Rd./Rt. 665 to enter Chippokes Plantation State Park. NOTE: Cyclists do not not pay a parking fee.	0.8
9.5		Arrive at the Park's Visitor Center. Restrooms are located here as well as picnic facilities. After your stop, you can hop on the bike path adjacent to the Visitor Center that will parallel the Plantation Dr. road route. However, there is usually debris over the path and it is not as smooth and safe as the road route. To continue on the road route, backtrack on Chippokes Park Rd. for 0.1 mile and turn left on Plantation Dr. / Rt. 783.	
9.6	L	Turn left onto Plantation Rd./Rt. 783.	1.2
10.5		You'll pass the Park's small museum of farm and forestry equipment as well as several manor houses.	
10.8	R	Turn right onto Chippokes Farm Rd.(unmarked)/Rt. 633.	1.4
12.2	R(SS)	Turn right onto Alliance Rd./Rt. 634.	2.1
14.4	R	Turn right onto Poplar Lawn Rd./Rt. 637 (may be unmarked). An "Adopt a Highway" sign is at this intersection.	0.9
15.2	R(SS)	Turn right onto Cobham Wharf Rd./Rt. 636.	0.8
16.0	S	Becomes Pleasant Point Rd./Rt. 637.	1.5
17.5	R	Slight right onto Rt. 656 (direction sign to Jamestown Ferry).	0.0
17.5	QR(SS)	Right onto Rolf Hwy./Rt. 31.	0.3
17.8		Get on the Jamestown-Scotland Ferry. The ferry departs approximately every 1/2 hour. (free). If you have a GPS computer, pause it while on the ferry.	
17.8	S	Disembark the ferry and continue straight onto Jamestown Rd./Rt. 31.	2.1
19.9	L(TL)	Turn left onto Sandy Bay Rd	0.3
20.2	S	Continue onto Ironbound Rd	1.5
21.7	L	Turn left onto Fithian Ln to return to Powhatan Resorts	0.3
22.0		End of Route	

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Powhatan - Williamsburg - Jamestown Scenic Tour (Page 1/2)			
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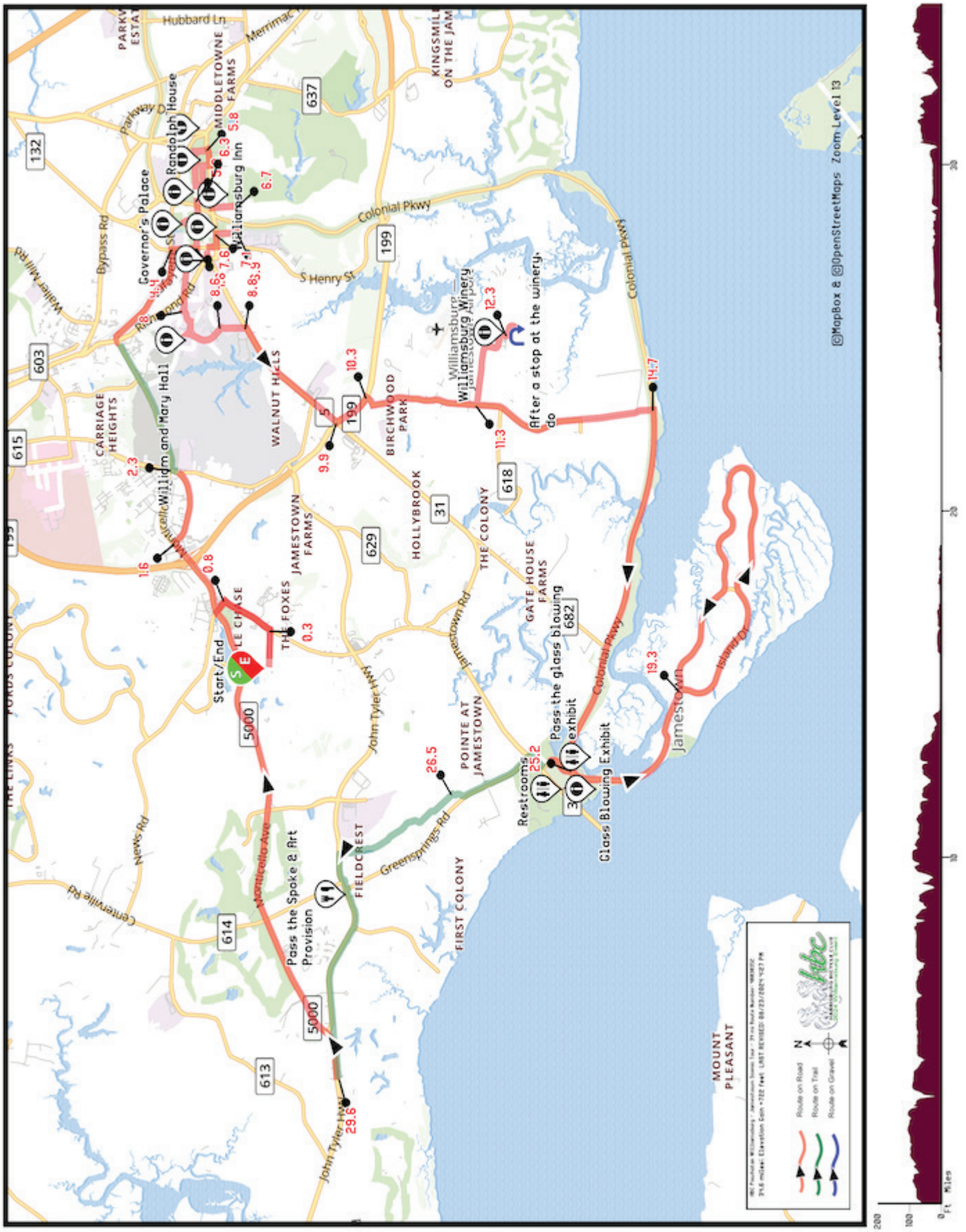
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This route provides a tour of Colonial Williamsburg (CW) and Historic Jamestown Island. The route proceeds first to CW and passes by many of the historic buildings such as the Governor's Palace and the colonial Capital building. After leaving CW, a quick trip through the William & Mary Campus, then on to the Williamsburg Winery. After a stop at the winery, the route gets on the Colonial Parkway and proceeds around Jamestown Island. A restroom stop at the Glass Blowing exhibit can be taken prior to the Island loop. After the Island loop, this route proceeds on the Virginia Capital Trail for an optional lunch or break at Spoke & Art. After this stop, the route returns to the Powhatan Resorts, but if more miles are desired, they can easily be added by going west on the Virginia Capital Trail, before doubling back towards Spoke & Art.

Mi	Go	Notes	For
0.0		Start at Powhatan Resorts and proceed towards main exit/entrance	
0.3	L(SS)	Turn left onto Ironbound Rd	0.5
0.8	L(TL)	Turn left onto News Road, Rt. 613	0.1
0.9	R(TL)	Turn sharp right onto Monticello Avenue, Rt. 321	0.7
1.6	R	Turn right onto Ironbound Rd	0.7
2.2	R	Prior to the intersection with Monticello, get on the bike path on the right	0.1
2.3	R	Turn right on Monticello Bike Path	1.2
3.4	S	At the intersection with Richmond Road, the bike path ends. Move over into the through lane and proceed straight across Richmond onto Layfayette St	1.0
4.4	R(TL)	Turn right onto North Henry Street, Rt. 5	0.2
4.6	L	Turn left onto Prince George Street	0.2
4.8	L	Turn left onto Palace Green Street	0.1
4.9	R	Turn sharp right onto Palace Green Street, pass the Governor's Palace on the left	0.1
5.1	L	Turn left onto West Nicholson Street	0.2
5.2	R	Turn right onto North Queen Street	0.1
5.3	QL	Turn left onto East Duke of Gloucester Street	0.3
5.6	R	Turn right onto Blair Street	0.1
5.6	QL(SS)	Turn left onto Francis Street East	0.1
5.8	L	Turn left onto South Waller Street	0.1
5.9	QL	Turn left onto East Nicholson Street	0.3
6.2	L	Turn left onto North Botetourt Street	0.1
6.3	R(SS)	Turn right onto Francis Street East	0.2
6.5	L	Turn left onto South England Street	0.2
6.7	R	Turn right onto Newport Avenue	0.2
6.9	R	Turn right onto South Nassau Street	0.2
7.1	L(SS)	Turn left onto Francis Street West	0.1
7.2	QR(TL)	Turn right onto South Henry Street, Rt. 5	0.1
7.3	QL	Turn left onto West Duke of Gloucester Street. Arrive at Merchant's Square area.	0.1
7.4	QR	At the end of Merchant Square, make a hard right onto North Boundary Street	0.2
7.6	L	Turn left onto Scotland Street	0.3
7.9	S(TL)	Cross Richmond Rd at the Traffic Light onto Stadium Drive, keeping the stadium on your left.	0.1
8.0	QL	Turn left onto Gooch Drive	0.1
8.1	QR	Turn right onto Yates Drive	0.1
8.2	L	Turn sharp left onto Ukrop Way	0.2
8.4	L	Keep left onto Ukrop Way	0.2
8.6	R(SS)	Turn right onto Landram/Ukrop	0.2
8.8	R(SS)	Turn right onto Jamestown Road, Rt. 5	1.1
9.9	L(TL)	Turn left onto Humelsine Parkway, Rt. 199	0.3
10.3	R(TL)	Turn right onto Brookwood Drive	0.1
10.4	QL	Turn left onto Lake Powell Road	0.9
11.3	L	Turn left onto Wessex Hundred	1.0
12.3		After a stop at the winery, do a U-Turn back to Lake Powell Rd	0.7
13.1	L(SS)	Turn left onto Lake Powell Road	1.5

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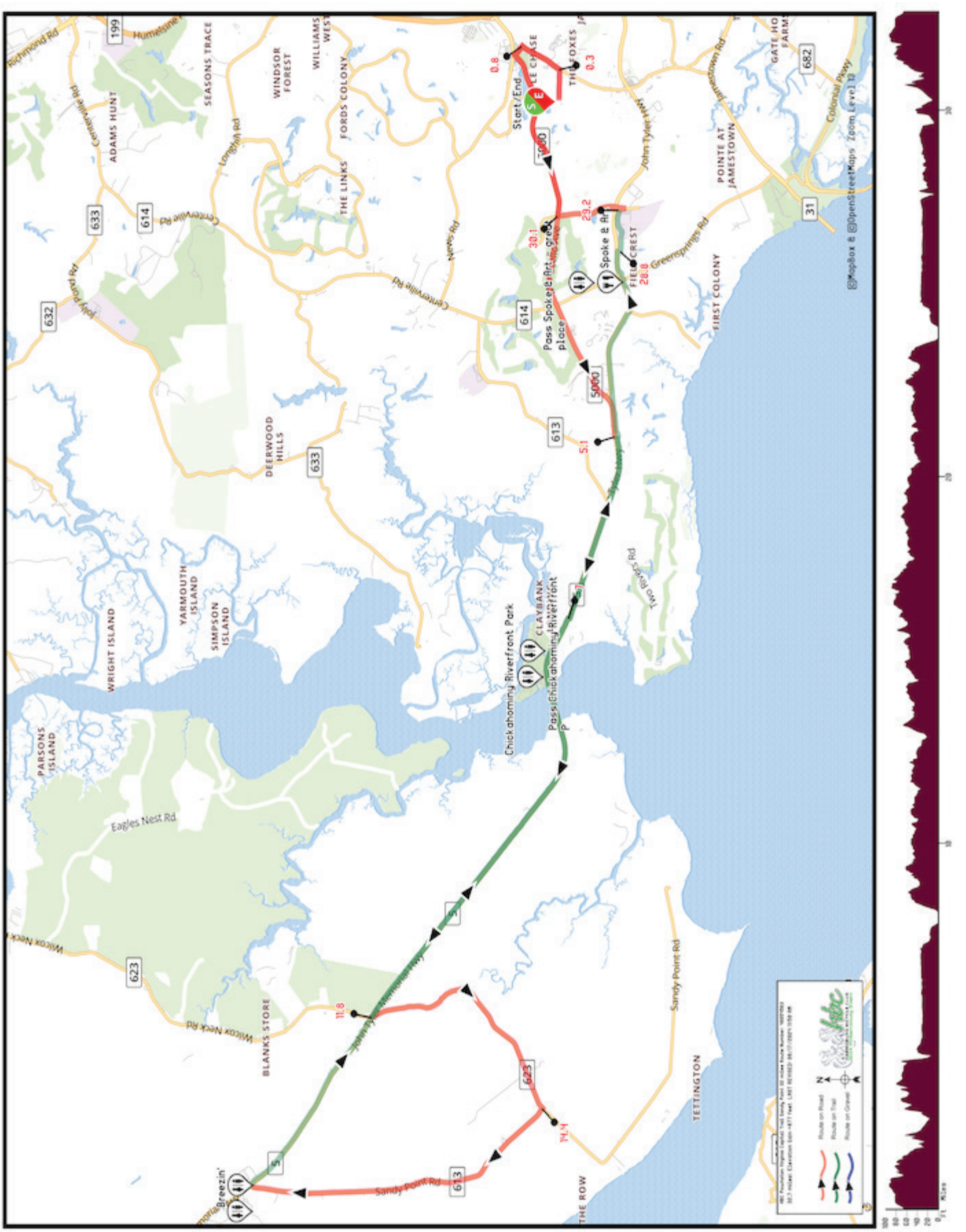
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14.6	S	The paved road will become what looks like a gravel driveway. Proceed on this gravel for about 40 yards to get on bike/walking path that connects to the Colonial Parkway	0.2
14.7	R	Turn right onto Colonial Parkway	3.0
17.8	S	Continue straight to stay on Colonial Nat'l Historical Pkwy. (Slight bend to left)	1.5
18.0		Pass the glass blowing exhibit. Restrooms available at end of parking lot.	
19.3	R	Turn right onto Island Drive	1.2
20.5	R	Keep right onto Island Drive for the "long loop"	4.7
23.7		Loop ends - proceed back across the Isthmus.	
25.2	L	Turn left onto Colonial Parkway access Rd	0.3
25.5	R	Turn right onto Virginia Capital Trail	1.0
26.5	L	Turn left onto Virginia Capital Trail	3.1
28.0		Pass the Spoke & Art Provisions Cafe on left. Good lunch or coffee stop	
29.6	R	Turn right onto Two Rivers Road	0.0
29.6	QR(SS)	Turn right onto John Tyler Highway, Rt 5	0.4
30.0	S(TL)	Continue onto Monticello Avenue, Rt. 5000	3.7
33.8	R(TL)	Turn right onto News Road, RT 613	0.1
33.9	QR(TL)	Turn right onto Ironbound Road, Rt 615	0.5
34.3	R	Turn right onto Fithian Lane to return to Powhatan Resorts	0.3
34.6		End of Route	

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Powhatan - Virginia Capital Trail - Sandy Point Loop			
Starting Loc:	Powhatan Resorts	**Distance:**	32 miles



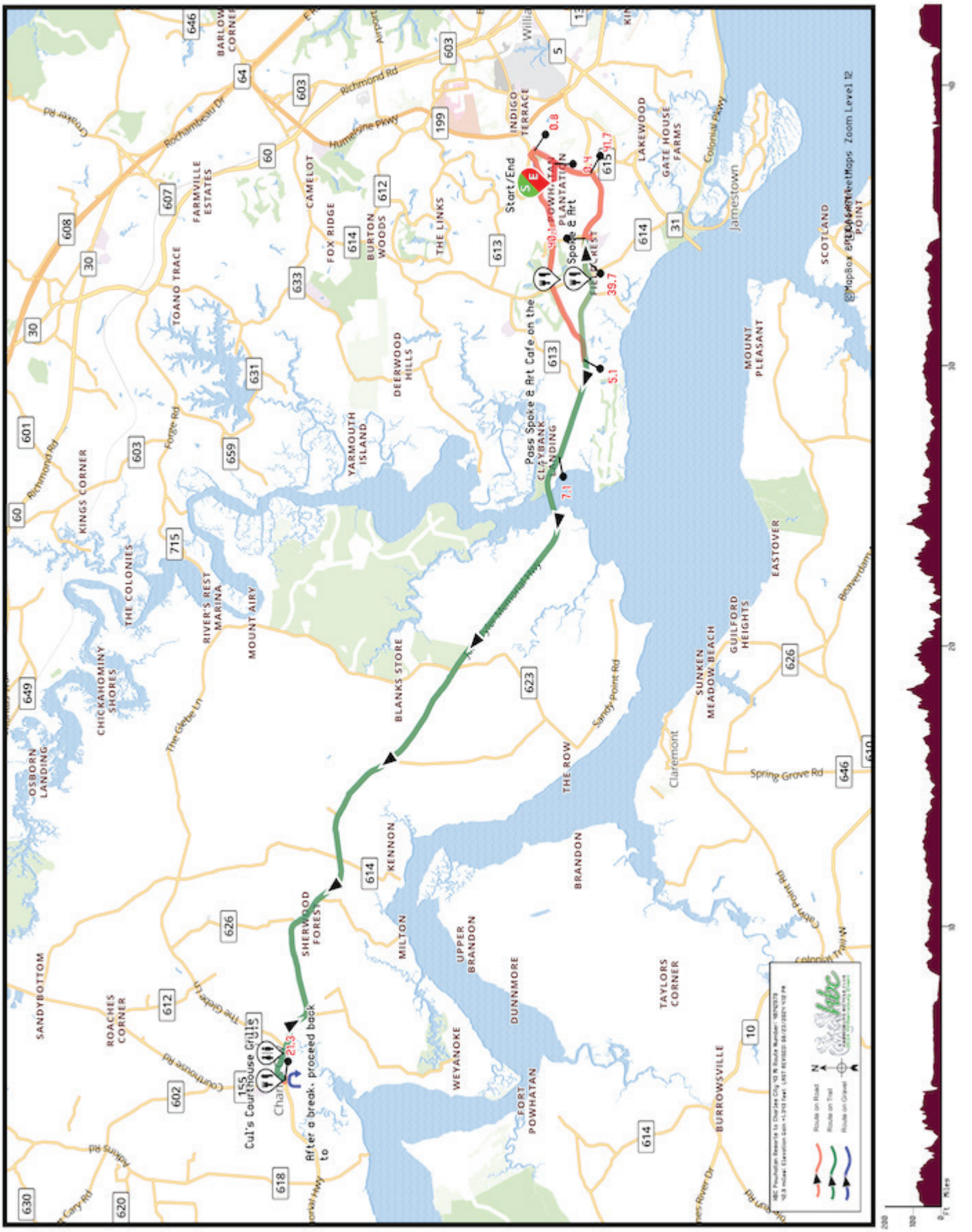
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This is an easy route that starts at the Powhatan and does the "Sandy Point Loop" a local favorite. Most of the ride is on the Virginia Capital Trail, except for about 14 miles on rural Charles City County Roads and Monticello which has a bike lane. A rest stop is available at the Breezin' convenience store at mile 18. Optional stops at Chickahominy Riverfront Park and Spoke & Art.

Mi	Go	Notes	For
0.0		Start at Powhatan Resorts and proceed towards main entrance/exit	
0.3	L(SS)	Turn left onto Ironbound Rd	0.5
0.8	L(TL)	Turn left onto News Rd	0.1
0.9	QL(TL)	Turn left onto Monticello Ave/Rt 5000	3.7
4.6	S(TL)	Continue straight onto John Tyler Hwy/Rt 5	0.4
5.1	L	Turn left onto Two Rivers Rd (Governor's Land entrance)	0.0
5.1	QR	Turn right onto Virginia Capital Trail	1.9
7.0	R(SS)	Right/left to cross John Tyler and stay on Virginia Capital Trail	4.8
7.6		Pass Chickahominy Riverfront Park on right - restrooms available	
11.8	L	At Rt 623/ Wilcox Neck Rd turn left and cross Rt 5. Continue on Wilcox Neck Rd	2.6
14.4	R	Turn right onto Rt 613/Sandy Pt Rd	3.5
17.8		REST STOP at Breezin' on the right at intersection with John Tyler Hwy	
17.9	S	Cross John Tyler Hwy then turn right onto the Virginia Capital Trail	7.0
24.9	R(SS)	Right/left to cross John Tyler and stay on Virginia Capital Trail	3.9
28.4		Pass Spoke & Art - great place to stop for a refreshment or lunch. Restrooms available	
28.8	L	Turn left to get on Virginia Capital Trail spur	0.4
29.2	R	At the end of the trail, turn right on sidewalk to the Jamestown HS entrance and do a U-turn to get on Eagle Way heading back towards John Tyler Hwy	0.1
29.3	QL	Turn left onto Eagle Way	0.1
29.4	S(TL)	Cross John Tyler and continue onto Greensprings Plantation Dr	0.6
30.1	R(SS)	Turn right onto Monticello/Rt 5000	1.7
31.8	R(TL)	Turn right onto News Rd	0.1
31.9	QR(TL)	Turn right onto Ironbound Rd	0.5
32.4	R	Turn right onto Fithian Ln to return to Powhatan Resorts	0.3
32.7		End of Route	

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Powhatan - Virginia Capital Trail - Charles City			
Starting Loc:	Powhatan Resorts	**Distance:**	43 miles



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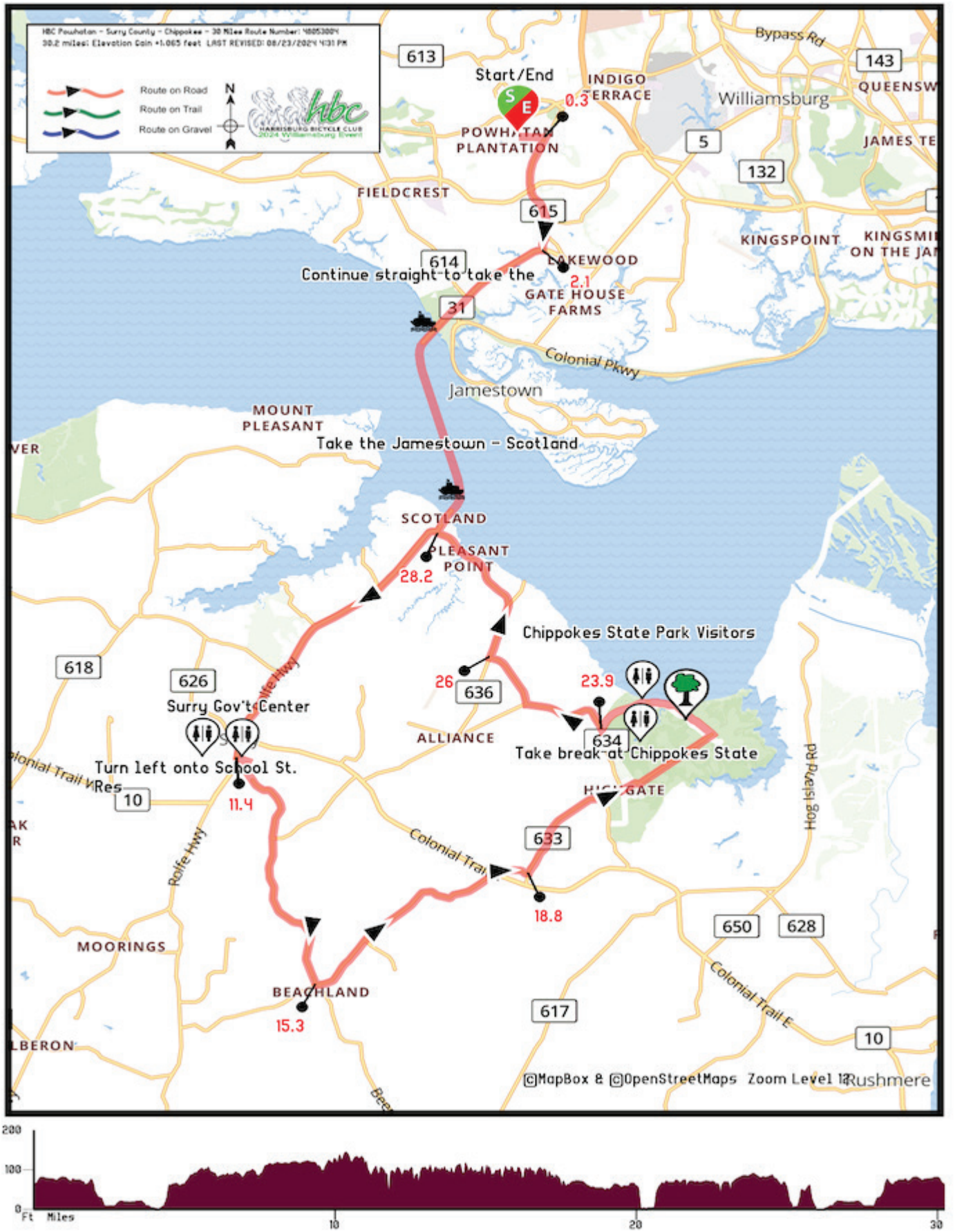
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This route begins at the Powhatan Resorts and goes largely on the Virginia Capital Trail to Charles City and back. There is a great lunch spot in Charles City (Cul's Courthouse Grill). On the way back, consider stopping by Spoke & Art for a refreshment or just to enjoy their deck prior to returning to the Powhatan.

Mi	Go	Notes	For
0.0		Start at Powhatan Resorts and proceed towards main exit/entrance	
0.4	L(SS)	Turn left onto Ironbound Rd	0.5
0.8	L(TL)	Turn left onto News Rd	0.1
0.9	QL(TL)	Turn left onto Monticello Ave/VA-5000	3.8
4.7	S(TL)	Continue straight onto VA-5 W	0.4
5.1	L	Turn left onto Two Rivers Rd (entrance to Governer's Land) then take a quick right onto the Virginia Capital Trail	0.0
5.1	QR	Turn right onto Virginia Capital Trail	1.9
7.1	R(SS)	Turn right to Cross Rt 5/John Tyler Hwy and continue on the VCT (Caution)	13.5
20.6	L	Left then right to cross John Tyler and stay on Virginia Capital Trail	0.7
21.3	S	Exit the trail onto Courthouse Rd. Notice Cul's Courthouse Grille on your right.	0.0
21.3	QL	Turn left onto Watermelon Fields Rd	0.0
21.4	QL	Turn left into the entrance to the Charles City Courthouse parking lot. Restrooms available in small brick building.	0.0
21.4		After a break, proceed back to Watermelon Fields Rd to get back onto the VCT	0.0
21.4	QR	Turn right onto Watermelon Fields Rd	0.0
21.5	QR	Turn right onto Virginia Capital Trail	0.8
22.2	L(SS)	Turn left then right to cross John Tyler Hwy and stay on the VCT	13.5
35.7	R	Turn right to cross John Tyler Hwy/Rt 5 and continue on the VCT (Caution)	3.9
39.3		Pass Spoke & Art Cafe on the right. Great place to relax on their deck and enjoy a coffee, beer, wine or lunch.	
39.7	L	Turn left to get on Virginia Capital Trail spur (just after the trail turns right)	0.4
40.1	R	At the end of the trail, turn right onto the sidewalk and proceed to the entrance to the JT High School. Do a U-Turn onto Eagle Way proceed back towards John Tyler	0.3
40.4	R(TL)	Turn right onto John Tyler Hwy/Rt 5 E	1.4
41.7	L(TL)	Turn left onto Ironbound Rd	0.8
42.5	L	Turn left onto Fithian Ln to return to the Powhatan Resorts	0.4
42.9		End of Route	

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Powhatan - Surry - Chippokes			
Starting Loc:	Powhatan Resorts	**Distance:**	30 miles



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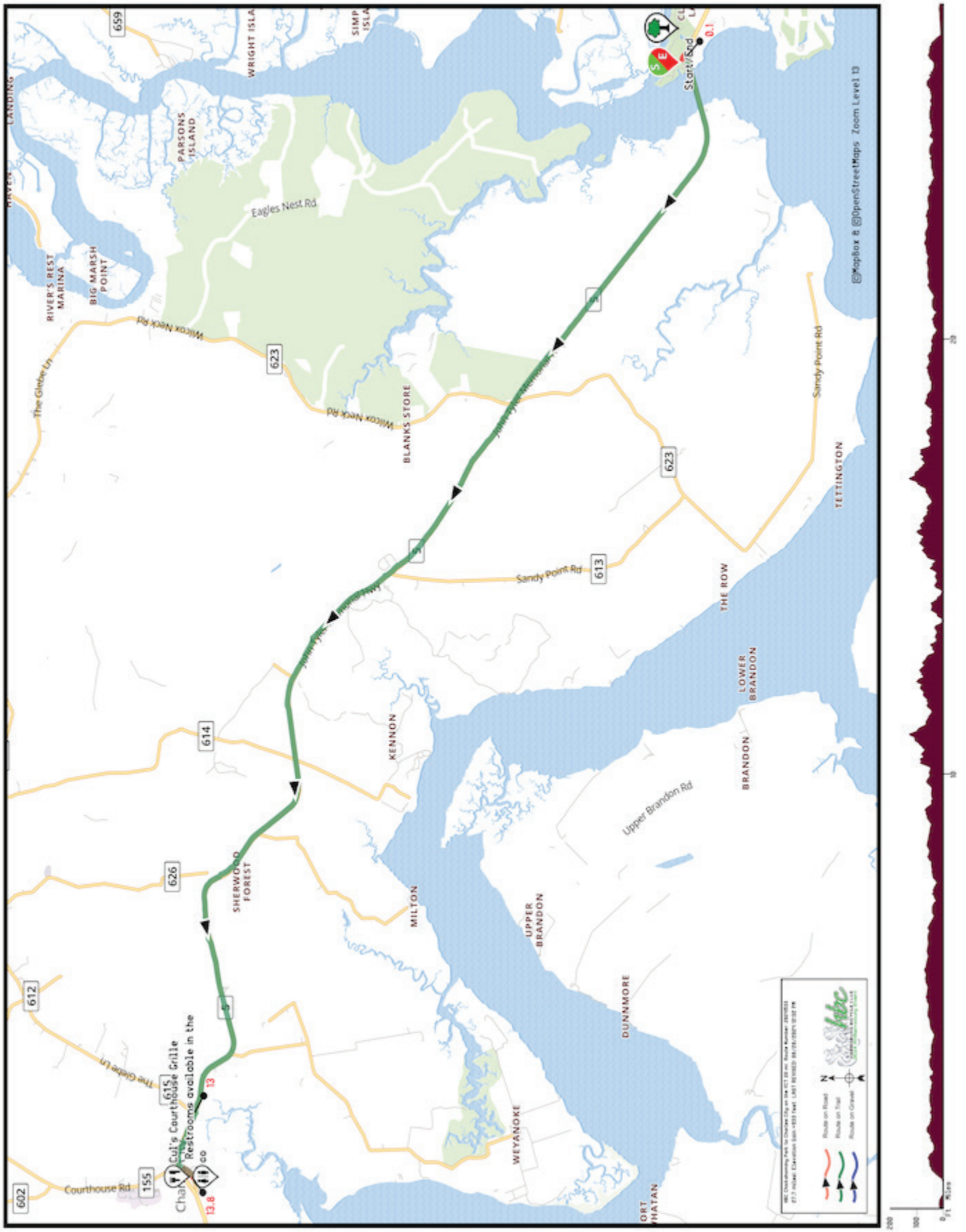
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This route starts from the Powhatan Resorts and takes the ferry over to Surry County. After passing through the small town of Surry, pleasant country roads take you to Chippokes State Park, which lies along the James River. Visit the Farm Museum at the park, or just enjoy a break before making your way back to the ferry to return. There is no fee to ride the ferry and bicycles are permitted to ride onto the ferry - the attendants will instruct you where to position your bicycles. Restrooms are available on the ferry, in Surry and at Chippokes State Park. NOTE: Ride With GPS distance is shown as 35 miles but excluding the ferry ride, this is a 30 mile route.

Mi	Go	Notes	For
0.0		Start at Powhatan Resorts and proceed towards main exit/entrance	
0.3	R	Turn right onto Ironbound Rd	1.5
1.8	S	Continue onto Sandy Bay Rd	0.3
2.1	R(TL)	Turn right onto Jamestown Rd/Rt. 31	2.1
4.2	S	Continue straight to take the Jamestown - Scotland ferry to Surry. No fee. Attendants will instruct you.The ferry departs approximately every 1/2 hour. (free). If you have a GPS computer, pause it while on the ferry.	
4.2	S	Disembark the ferry and continue straight onto Rolfe Hwy/Rt. 31	4.4
8.6	S(TL)	Cross Colonial Trail/Rt. 10. Convenience store (truck stop) on right.	0.3
8.9	L	Turn left onto School St. Restrooms available in Surry County Gov't Office on left	0.1
9.0	R	Turn right onto Bank St	0.1
9.1	QL(SS)	Turn left onto Old Burrough Rd (becomes Beechland)	3.6
12.8	L(SS)	Turn left onto Golden Hill Rd/Rt 616	3.0
15.8	S(SS)	Cross Colonial Trail/Rt. 10	0.5
16.3	L(SS)	Turn left onto Chippokes Farm Rd/Rt 633	3.3
19.6	L	Turn left onto Quarter Ln/Rt 783	1.8
19.9		Turn left here to take a detour and visit the Chippokes Farm and Forestry Museum	
20.7		Take break at Chippokes State Park. Then proceed on Chippokes Park Rd	
21.4	R(SS)	Turn right onto Alliance Rd/Rt 634	2.1
23.5	R(SS)	Turn right onto Cobham Wharf Rd/Rt 636	0.8
24.2	S	Becomes Pleasant Point Rd	1.5
25.7	R	Slight right onto short connector to Rt. 31	0.0
25.7	R(SS)	Right onto Rolfe Hwy/Rt. 31	0.3
26.1	S	Take the Jamestown - Scotland ferry to Williamsburg. The ferry departs approximately every 1/2 hour. (free). If you have a GPS computer, pause it while on the ferry.	
26.1	S	Disembark from Ferry and proceed straight on Jamestown Rd/Rt. 31	2.1
28.2	L(TL)	Turn left onto Sandy Bay Rd	0.3
28.4	S	Becomes Ironbound Rd	1.5
29.9	L	Turn left onto Fithian Ln to return to Powhatan Resorts	0.3
30.2		End of Route	

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Chickahominy Park - Virginia Capital Trail - Charles City & Return			
Starting Loc:	Chickahominy Riverfront Park	**Distance:**	28 miles



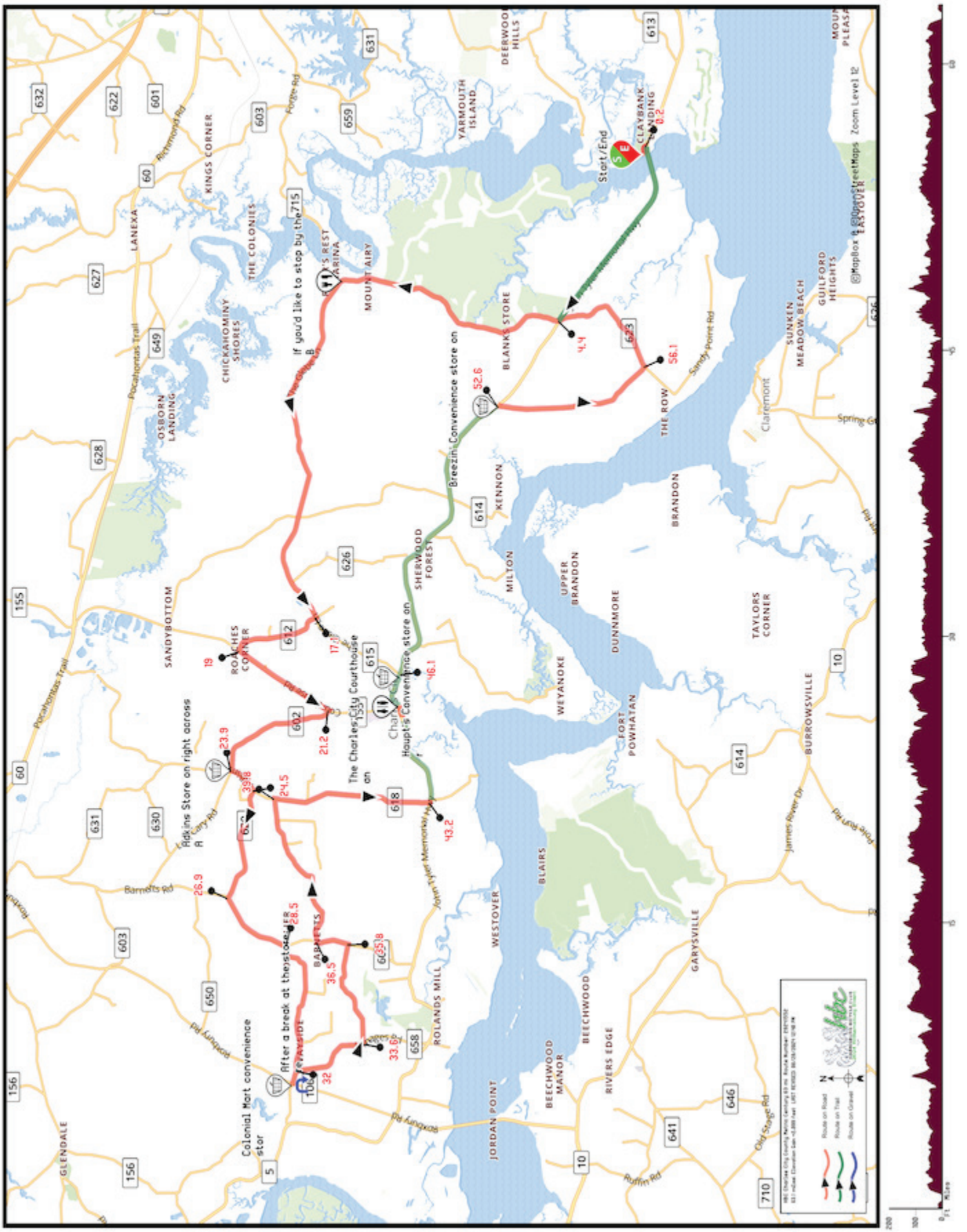
HBC Chickahominy Park to Charles City on the VCT 28 mi (27.7 miles; Elevation Gain +933 feet) Route Number: 29241533

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This is an easy 28 mile ride on the Virginia Capital Trail. Enjoy a paved, vehicle free ride to Charles City where you can find restrooms and a favorite lunch spot Cul's Grille.

Mi	Go	Notes	For
0.0		Start in the Chickahominy Riverfront Park parking lot. Park next to the pavilion beside the pool. Depart the lot in the direction of John Tyler Hwy.	
0.1	QR	Turn right from the Parking lot onto the Virginia Capital Trail heading West towards Richmond (across the bridge)	12.9
13.0	L(SS)	Turn left to cross John Tyler Hwy to stay on Virginia Capital Trail (Caution)	0.6
13.6	S	As you enter Charles City, the VCT becomes a concrete sidewalk. Take the sidewalk up the hill and when it ends continue on Courthouse Rd	0.1
13.8		Pass Cul's Courthouse Grille on the right, a local cyclists favorite lunch spot.	
13.8	L	Turn left onto Watermelon Fields Rd to get to the Courthouse parking lot.	0.1
13.8		Restrooms available in the courthouse and in the little brick building next to the parking lot. To return, retrace back to the VCT.	
13.9	QR	Turn right onto Virginia Capital Trail	0.8
14.7	L(SS)	Turn left then right to cross John Tyler Hwy to stay on the Virginia Capital Trail (Caution)	12.9
27.6	L	Turn left to exit the trail and return to the park.	0.1
27.7		End of Route	

Charles City County Metric Century			
Starting Loc:	Chickahominy Riverfront Park	**Distance:**	63 miles



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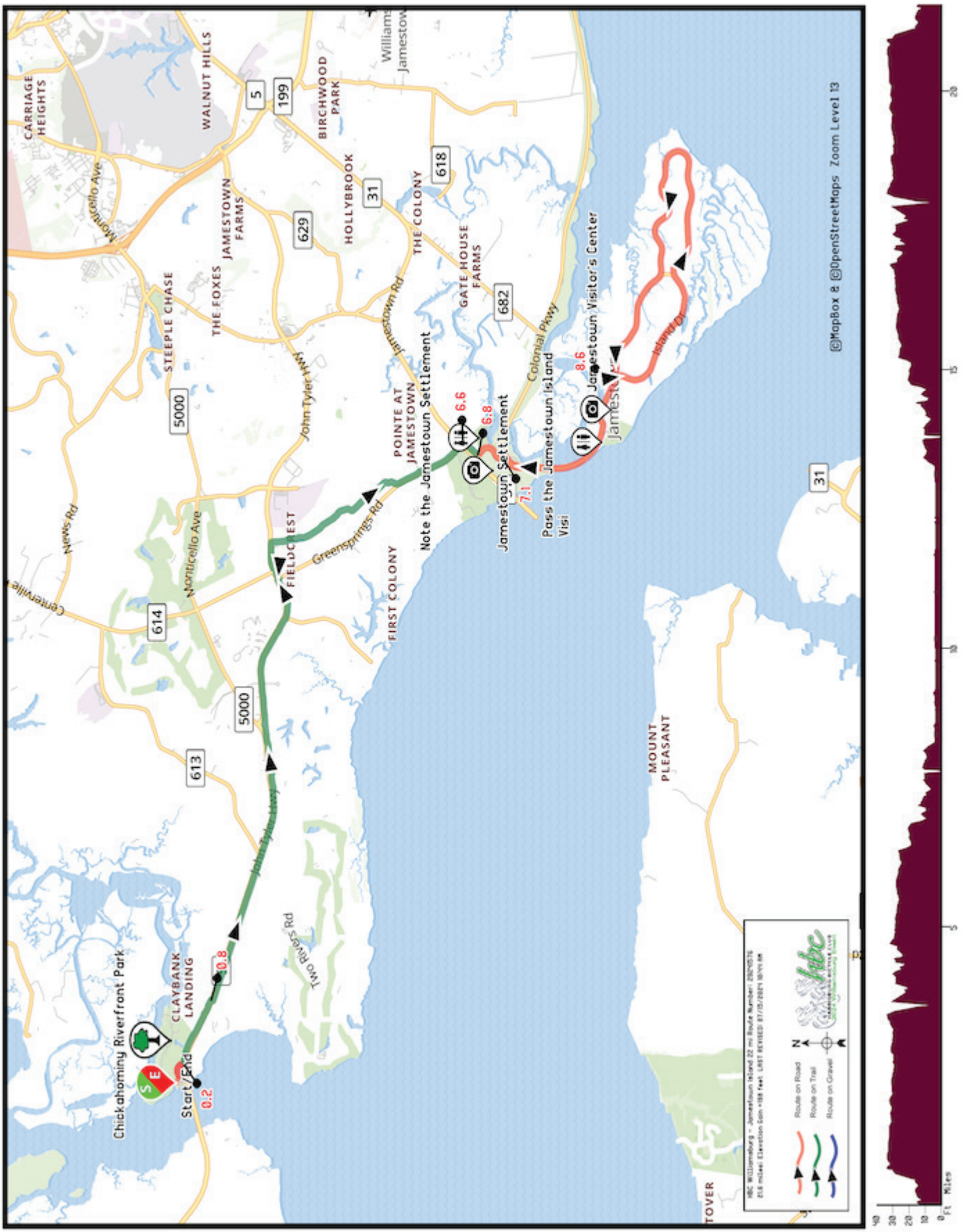
This tour is a true metric century traversing much of rural Charles City County. You'll find lightly traveled roads and some moderate climbing. Several rest stops and two possible lunch spots are included. About nine miles are on the Virginia Capital Trail which goes from Jamestown to Richmond. Cul's Courthouse Grill in Charles City at about mile 45 is a local club favorite and caters to all the bicyclists on the Virginia Capital Trail.

Mi	Go	Notes	For
0.0		Park in the parking lot at Chickahominy Riverfront Park adjacent to the pavilion next to the swimming pool. Proceed in the direction of John Tyler Hwy/Rt. 5 to get on the Virginia Capital Trail.	
0.2	R	Turn right onto Virginia Capital Trail	4.2
4.4	R	Turn right onto Willcox Neck Rd./Rt. 623.	5.1
9.6	S	Continue straight on Glebe Ln./ Rt. 615.	7.5
9.6		If you'd like to stop by the Blue Heron Restaurant at Rivers Rest Marina, bear right to stay on Wilcox Neck Road/Rt 623. The restaurant is about 1/2 mile distance (watch for signs at about 0.3 mile).	
17.1	R	Turn right onto Ruthville Rd./Rt. 612.	1.9
19.0	L(SS)	Turn left onto Courthouse Rd./Rt. 155. Caution - fast traffic!	2.3
21.2	R	Turn right onto Lott Cary Rd./Rt. 602.	2.7
23.9		Adkins Store on right across Adkins Rd. Restrooms available.	
23.9	L	Turn left onto Adkins Rd./Rt. 618.	0.6
24.5	R	Turn right onto Lewis Tyler Ln./Rt. 620.	2.3
26.9	L(SS)	Turn left onto Barnetts Rd./Rt. 609.	1.7
28.5	R	Turn right onto Wayside Rd./Rt. 607	3.1
31.6	S(SS)	Cross Roxbury Rd./Rt. 106.	0.4
31.7		Colonial Mart convenience store on the right. Restrooms available.	
31.7		After a break at the store, retrace your route back on Wayside Rd.	0.3
32.0	R	Turn right onto Kimages Rd./Rt. 658.	1.7

Mi	Go	Notes	For
33.6	L	Turn left onto W. Run Rd./Rt. 625.	2.2
35.8	L(SS)	Turn left onto Barnetts Rd./Rt. 609.	0.7
36.5	R	Turn right onto Church Ln./Rt. 607.	3.3
39.8	R	Turn right onto Adkins Rd./Rt. 618.	3.4
43.2	L(SS)	Turn left onto John Tyler Hwy./Rt. 5.	0.1
43.3	QR	QR/QL At Wilcox Wharf Rd get onto Virginia Capital Trail and continue eastbound	1.9
45.1	S	The Virginia Capital Trail becomes Courthouse Rd./Rt. 644.	0.3
45.3		The Charles City Courthouse and Visitors Center are on the right. Restrooms available.	
45.4		Cul's Courthouse Grill on the left. A favorite lunch spot!	
45.4	S	After a break in Charles City, proceed Eastbound on Courthouse Rd. Shortly you will find a concrete sidewalk which becomes the Virginia Capital Trail. Get on this sidewalk.	0.7
46.1		Haupt's Convenience store on right. Restrooms available.	
46.1	L(SS)	Cross John Tyler Hwy./Rt. 5 with caution to stay on the Virginia Capital Trail.	6.5
52.6	R	Turn right to exit the Virginia Capital Trail and cross Rt. 5 onto Sandy Point Rd./Rt. 613.	3.5
52.7		Sandy Point Convenience store on the left.	
56.1	L(SS)	Turn left onto Willcox Neck Rd./Rt. 623.	2.6
58.7	S(SS)	Cross John Tyler Hwy./Rt. 5 with caution.	0.0
58.7	QR	Turn right onto Virginia Capital Trail	4.2
62.9	L	Turn left into Chickahominy Riverfront Park.	0.2

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CRP to Jamestown Island Loop			
Starting Loc:	Chickahominy Riverfront Park	**Distance:**	22 miles



HBC Williamsburg - Jamestown Island 22 mi (21.6 miles; Elevation Gain +198 feet) Route Number: 29241576

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This route starts at the Chickahominy Riverfront Park and takes the Virginia Capital Trail to Jamestown Island. It then takes the Island Tour and returns to the Park, again via the VCT. The Island tour is a very scenic ride around the perimeter of the Island. There is a short and long route available. While rarely enforced, a National Park pass is required to take the tour. One can be obtained in the Visitor's Center just after you get on the Island.

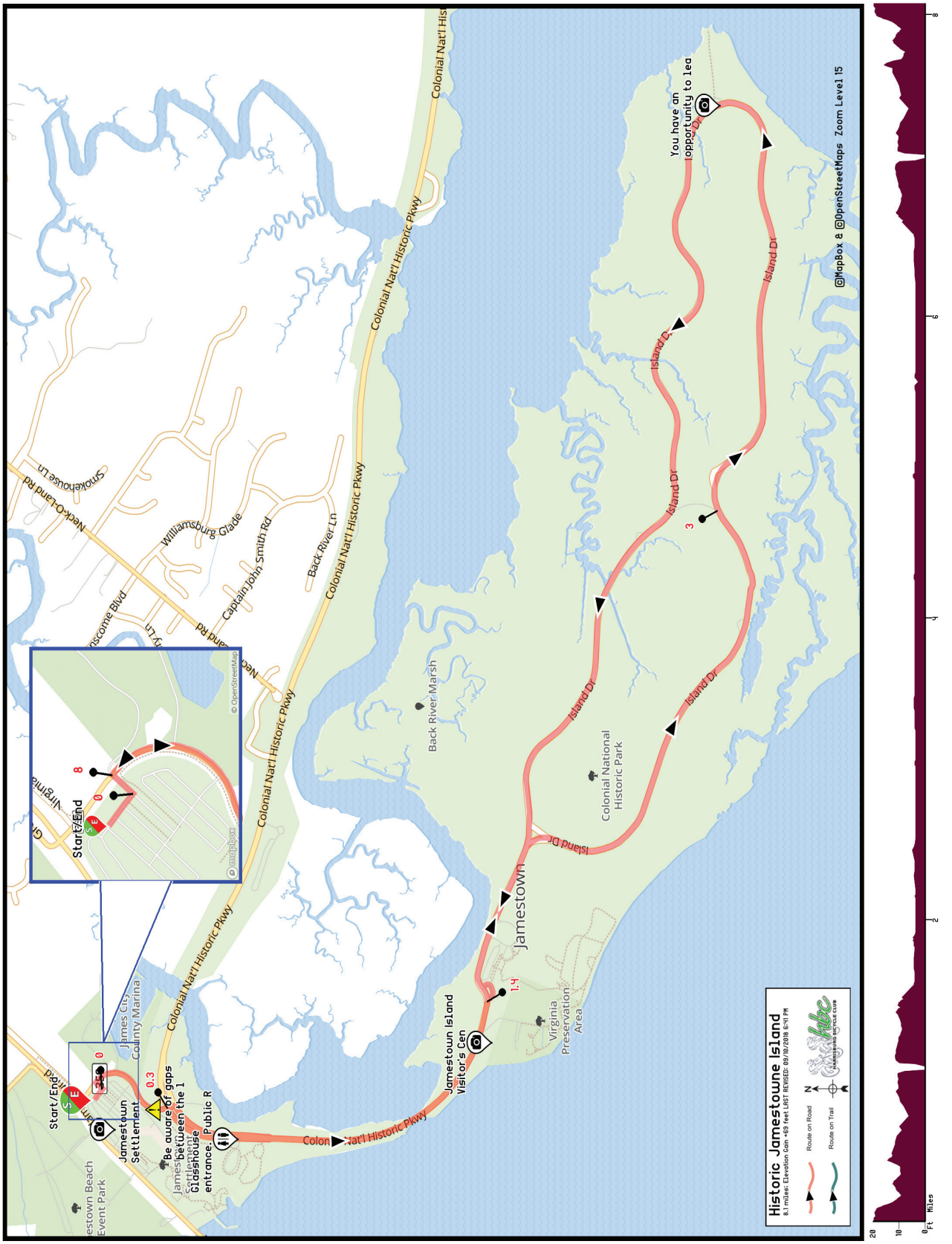
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0.0		Start at Chickahominy Riverfront Park. Park in the parking lot beside the pavilion adjacent to the swimming pool. Exit the lot towards John Tyler Hwy.	
0.2	L	Turn left to enter the Virginia Capital Trail just prior to John Tyler Hwy	0.6
0.8	R(SS)	Slight right to cross John Tyler Hwy with caution and stay on Virginia Capital Trail	3.6
4.3	S(SS)	Cross Greensprings Rd with caution to remain on the VCT	2.3
6.6	S(SS)	Cross Jamestown Rd with caution to remain on the VCT.	0.0
6.6	QR	Turn right to stay on Virginia Capital Trail	0.2
6.8	L	Exit the VCT and turn left onto Colonial Pkwy Access Rd.	0.3
6.8		Note the Jamestown Settlement will be on your right. Food and Restrooms available. You will also pass this point on the way back at mile 14.8	
7.1	R(SS)	Turn right to get on Colonial Pkwy	1.5
8.1		Pass the Jamestown Island Visitors Center on the right. Continue past the Visitors Center to get on Island Drive	
8.6	R	At the Y (becomes one-way) Slight right onto Island Drive	1.2
9.8	S	Continue straight to take the longer route around the Island, or turn left to take the shorter route. (about 3 miles shorter)	4.7
13.4		Pass the Visitor's Center again on your left.	

Mi	Go	Notes	For
14.5	L	Turn left to get onto the Colonial Pkwy Access Rd. Use caution crossing the open seams.	0.3
14.8	R	Turn right onto Virginia Capital Trail just past the Settlement and just prior to Jamestown Rd.	0.2
15.0	L(SS)	Turn left to Cross Jamestown Rd with caution and stay on Virginia Capital Trail	2.2
17.2	S(SS)	Cross Greensprings Rd with caution to remain on the VCT	3.6
20.8	R(SS)	Turn right to cross Jamestown Rd with caution and stay on the Virginia Capital Trail	0.6
21.4	R	Turn right to exit the VCT and return to the parking lot.	0.2
21.6		End of Route	

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Historic Jamestown Island			
Starting Loc:	Jamestown Settlement	**Distance:**	8.1 miles

NOTE: Recently the National Park Service has NOT been enforcing the requirement to purchase an admission ticket ($15) from the Visitors Cener to ride the Island Tour. However to be safe, if you have a National Park Service Lifetime Senior or Military pass, you might want to bring it with you.



HBC Williamsburg Historic Jamestowne Island 8 mi (8.1 miles; Elevation Gain +69 feet) Route Number: 29241571

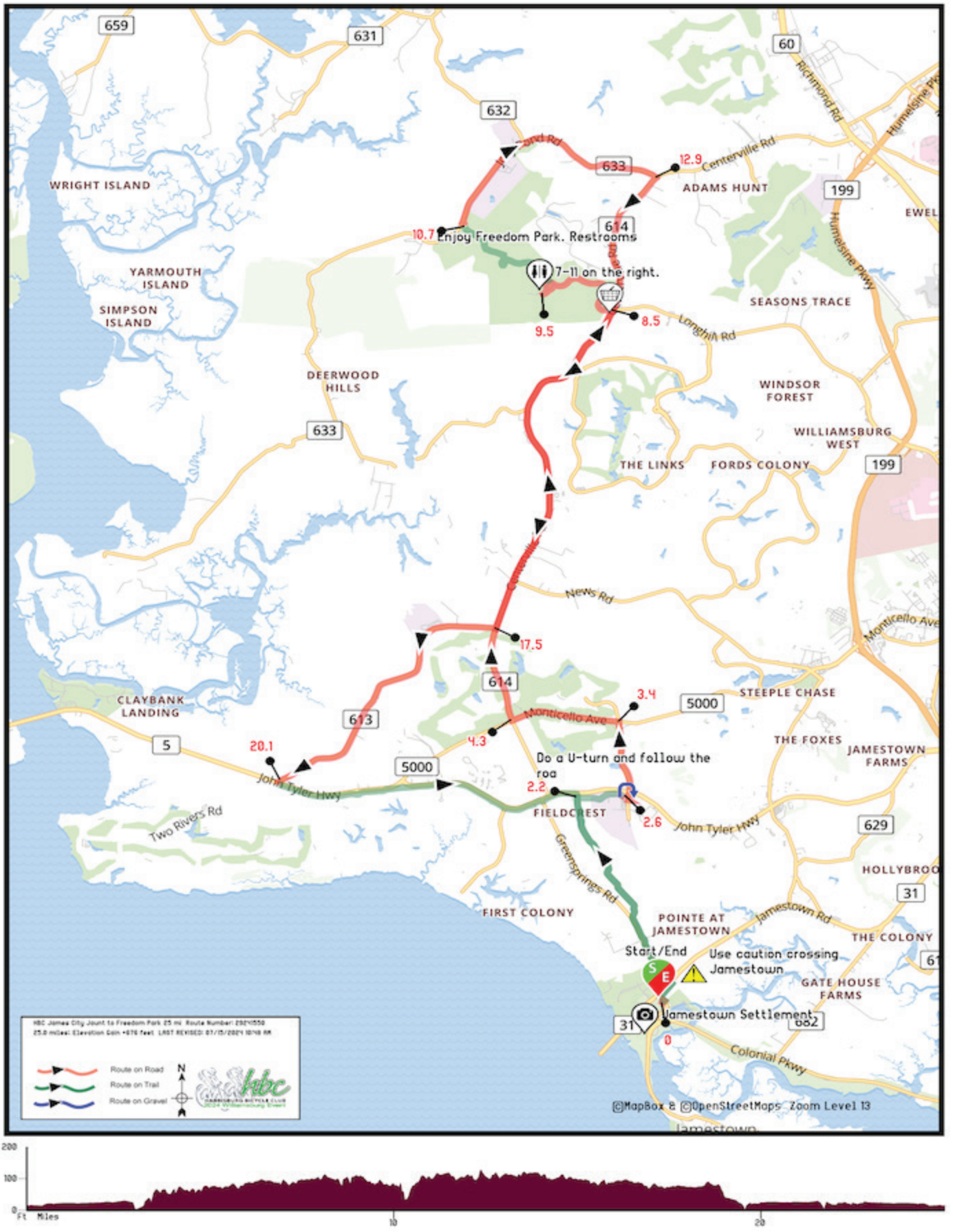
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This short tour of Jamestown Island is the easiest and safest bike tour offered in this book. The island offers two loops: a shorter one of 3 miles and a longer 5 mile version. When starting at the Jamestown Settlement Parking Area as described here, you add on another 1.5 miles each way biking to and from the island loops. If you're really looking at a shorter length, then consider driving into the Park and starting at the Island Information Center. You can cycle as few as 3 miles. Note that officially the National Park Service requires you to purchase a ticket (or use your Lifetime NPS Senior pass). However in reality this is not enforced and a ticket isn't necessary.

Mi	Go	Notes	For
0.0		Park in the section of the Jamestown Settlement parking lot designated for Virginia Capital Trail parking. (furthest from the main building).	
0.0	QR	Exit the parking lot and turn right on the Colonial Parkway access road.	0.3
0.3		Be aware of gaps between the lanes on the Colonial Pkwy., especially if you have a road bike with narrow tires.	
0.3	R(SS)	Turn right onto the Colonial Pkwy. In a ¼-mile the Glasshouse will be located on your right.	1.1
0.5		Glasshouse entrance. Public Restrooms available towards the back of the parking lot.	
1.4	R	You'll reach the Island Information Center. Stop here to purchase your pass, use restrooms or view exhibits. The Island Tour Road begins at the far end of the parking lot and is well signed.	1.7
3.0	R	The Tour Road splits, offering a shorter and longer route. We suggest you bear right to cycle the entire island. However, to shorten your tour by 2 miles, bear left. Remember to subtract 2 from subsequent mile cues.	4.7
4.2		You have an opportunity to leave the paved road to explore Black Point. Follow the trail to the right with caution, as there are many exposed tree roots. You could also park your bike and walk out to Black Point, the easternmost point of Jamestown Island. You'll be rewarded with a fabulous view of the James River and a little bit of serenity that's becoming harder to find on the peninsula.	
7.8	L	Turn left onto the Colonial Pkwy access Rd. Cross the other lane of the Parkway at the Stop Sign.	0.3
8.0	L	Turn left into the Jamestown Settlement Parking Lot.	0.1
8.1		End of Route	

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Jaunt to Freedom Park			
Starting Loc:	Jamestown Settlement	**Distance:**	25 miles



HBC James City Jaunt to Freedom Park 25 mi (25.0 miles; Elevation Gain +676 feet) Route Number: 29241550

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Though more housing developments continue to sprout, areas of cool, shady woodlands still remain that make for relaxing cycling. The Jolly Pond and Brick Bat areas are two such areas. This ride also goes to Freedom Park where you can enjoy the beautiful Botanical Gardens and learn about a rare settlement of freed slaves in the 18th century. You will exit Freedom Park on the paved 2-mile Freedom Park trail that connects to Jolly Pond Road. If you're looking for something shorter. The ride can be done in either direction. Restrooms are available at the JT Settlement and at Freedom Park.

Mi	Go	Notes	For
0.0		Park in the section of the Jamestown Settlement parking lot designated for Virginia Capital Trail parking. (furthest from the main building).	
0.0	QL	Exit the parking lot lot and turn left on the Colonial Parkway access road (towards Jamestown Road/Rt. 31). Immediately before the stop sign, turn right on the Virginia Capital Trail. You will see the Kiosk for the Trail Head. Continue for 0.1 mile, and turn left to cross Jamestown Rd., with caution and to continue on the trail.	2.2
0.3		Use caution crossing Jamestown Rd	
2.2	R	Turn right onto trail spur. Continue to the trail end at sidewalk.	0.4
2.6	R	Turn right on sidewalk and follow for several hundred yards until first school entrance road.	0.1
2.7		Do a U-turn and follow the roadway back to the Traffic Light at Rt. 5.	0.1
2.7	S(TL)	Go straight on Greensprings Plantation Drive with caution.	0.7
3.4	L(SS)	Turn left on Monticello Avenue/Rt. 5000.	0.9
4.3	R(TL)	Turn right on Centerville Rd. / Rt. 614.	4.1
8.4		7-11 on the right.	
8.5	L(TL)	Turn left at onto Hotwater Tr/ VA-612 S to enter Freedom Park.	1.0

Mi	Go	Notes	For
9.5	R	Turn right after you pass the botanical gardens to the park office and restrooms	0.2
9.5		Enjoy Freedom Park. Restrooms available at Visitor's Center. When you are ready to leave, access the paved Freedom Park Trail which branches off about 3/4 of the way around the road encircling the botanical gardens.	
9.7	R	Turn right onto the Freedom Park trail (assuming you have gone counter-clockwise around the road which encircles the botanical gardens)	1.1
10.7	R	At the crest of the hill, go across the short gravel connector and turn right onto Jolly Pond Rd	2.2
12.9	R(SS)	Turn right onto Centerville Rd/VA-614 W	4.6
17.5	R	Turn right on Brick Bat Rd. / Rt. 613.	2.6
20.1	L(SS)	Cross Rt. 5 with caution and turn left on the Virginia Capital trail.	0.1
20.2	S	Enter the Virginia Capital Trail	2.6
22.8	R	Trail makes a sharp right turn. Continue straight on trail. Don't take spur to the left.	1.9
24.7	R(SS)	Stop. Cross Jamestown Rd. with caution then turn right to remain on Virginia Capital trail.	0.2
24.9	L	Turn left at the end of the trail onto the Colonial Parkway Access Rd Jamestown Settlement will be on your right.	0.0
25.0	QR	Turn right in parking area.	0.1

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Jamestown to Smithfield & Back			
Starting Loc:	Jamestown Settlement	**Distance:**	53 miles



Jamestown Ferry to Smithfield & Back (53.3 miles; Elevation Gain +2,022 feet)

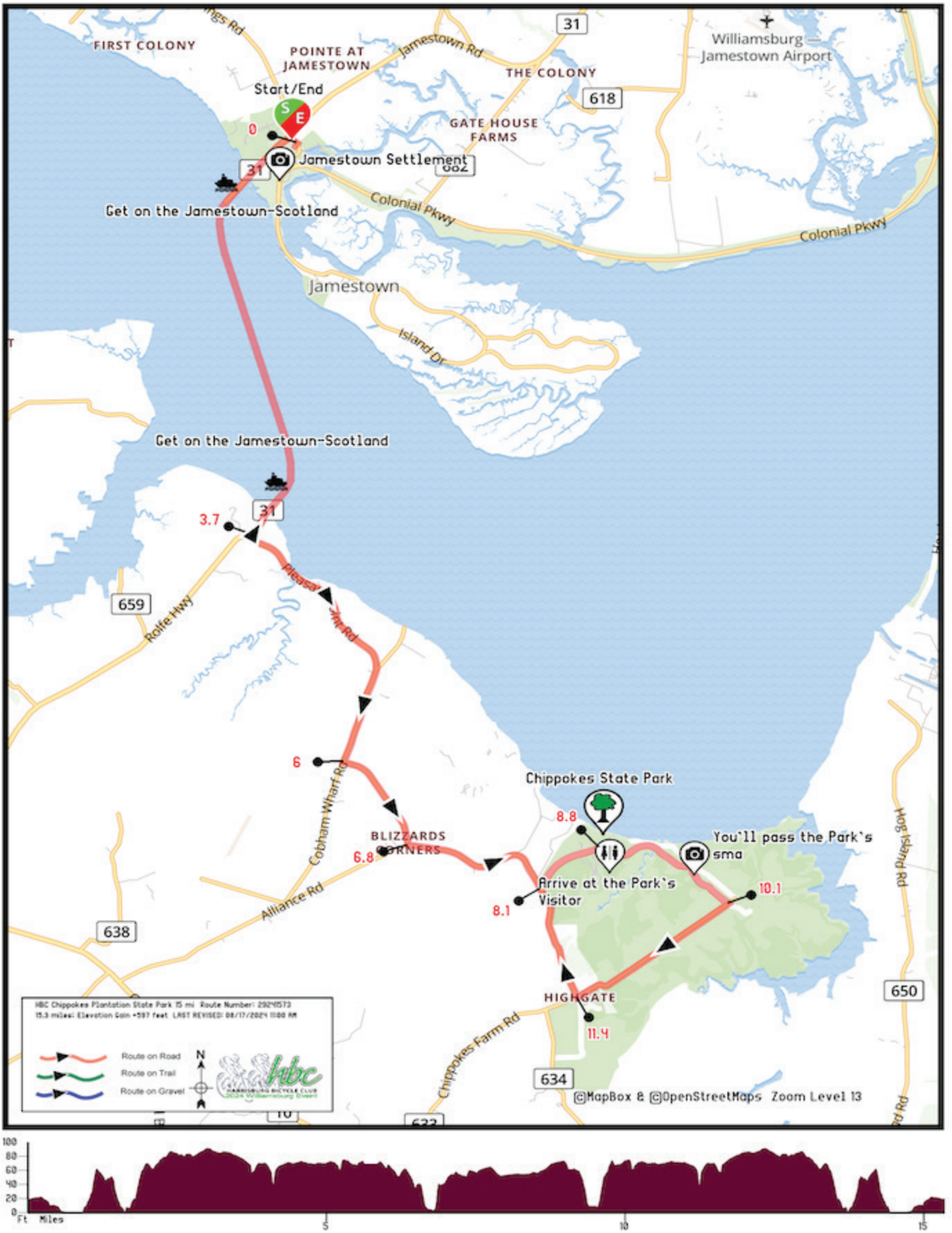
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When you exclude the distance on the ferry, this is approximately a 53 mile route to Smithfield and back. There are several great lunch spots available in Smithfield. The route is mostly on very quiet country roads. The return trip goes by Chippokes Plantation State Park which makes a nice stop but keep in mind the extra time consumed by taking the ferry.

Mi	Go	Notes	For
0.0		Start in the Jamestown Settlement Parking Lot. Exit the lot and turn **left** onto VA-31 S/Jamestown Rd	-2.5
0.8		Get onto the Jamestown-Scotland Ferry. Ferry leaves at the top and bottom of the hour. This is a 20 min free ride across the James River. Park your bike along either side as directed by the attendant. Restrooms available on the 2nd floor.	
0.8		After all cars disembark, proceed **straight** onto VA-31 S/ Rolfe Hwy	
5.2	S(TL)	Cross Rt. 10./ Colonial Trail	0.4
5.6	L	Co Rd T-626/Old Burrough Rd	0.7
6.3	S	Becomes Beechland Rd	3.1
9.4	L(SS)	State Route 616/Golden Hill Rd. Be prepared for quick **right**.	0.0
9.4	QR	State Route 626/Beechland Rd	6.0
15.4	R(SS)	State Route 621/Burwells Bay Rd. Be prepared for quick **left**.	0.1
15.5	L	State Route 626/Mill Swamp Rd	3.7
19.3	R	Bear **right** to stay on State Route 626/Mill Swamp Rd	3.8
23.1	S	Becomes Cary St	0.4
23.4	L(SS)	Grace St	0.3
23.7	S	Becomes Thomas St	0.1
23.7	QR(SS)	N Church St	0.1
23.8	QR(TL)	Main St	0.6
23.9		Several places to eat along Main Street. Smithfield Bakery on **right** is a great lunch spot - 218 main street	
24.5	S(TL)	Continue **Straight** at the redlight to stay on W. Main/Rt 258. Use caution crossing Rt 10 and be aware of increased traffic for next 1 mile	1.0
25.5	R	Waterworks Rd	2.8
28.3	R(SS)	State Route 680/Magnet Dr	2.2
30.6	L(SS)	State Route 680/Stallings Creek Dr	2.3
32.9	L	Yield sign onto State Route 621/Mill Swamp Rd	1.1
34.0		Pons General Store on **left** just prior to turn.	
34.0	R	State Route 625/Pons Rd	1.4
35.3	S	Becomes Bellevue Rd	1.5
36.9	R(SS)	State Route 617/White Marsh Rd	6.4
43.2		Bacons Castle Market across Rt. 10 at the turn.	
43.2	L(SS)	State Route 617/VA-10 W/Colonial Trail E	0.8
44.0	R	State Route 634/Highgate Rd	1.1
45.2	R(SS)	State Route 633/Chippokes Farm Rd	0.3
45.4	L	State Route 634/Alliance Rd (going **straight** is one-way wrong way at this turn).	0.9
46.4	R	State Route 665/Chippokes Park Rd. If you don't want to stop at the Park, just stay **straight** here. (1.5 mile out & back)	1.4
47.1		Enjoy a rest stop at Chippokes if you like. When you are ready to leave, return the way you came on Chippokes Park Rd	
47.8	R(SS)	State Route 634/Alliance Rd	1.2
49.0	R	State Route 637/Poplar Lawn Rd	0.9
49.9	R(SS)	State Route 636/Cobham Wharf Rd	0.8
50.7	S	Becomes State Route 637/Pleasant Point Rd	1.5
52.1	R(SS)	VA-31 N/Rolfe Hwy. Wait for the ferry which comes about every 1/2 hour.	1.1
52.5		Take the Jamestown - Scotland ferry to Williamsburg	
52.5		Disembark and continue **straight** onto VA-31 N	
53.2	R	Turn **right** into Jamestown Settlement Parking lot to end the route	0.1
53.3		End of Route	

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Chippokes State Park & Back			
Starting Loc:	Jamestown Settlement	**Distance:**	15 miles



HBC Chippokes Plantation State Park 15 mi (15.3 miles; Elevation Gain +597 feet) Route Number: 29241573

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The Lower Peninsula may be bounded by the James and York Rivers, but the Jamestown-Scotland Ferry makes for an interesting and delightful excursion to Surry County. The ferry, which is free for cars and bikes, sails approximately every half-hour and takes about twenty minutes to cross the James River. The ride will take you to Chippokes Plantation State Park where you can tour the Chippokes Mansion or a small Farm and Forestry Museum. Restrooms are available at the ride's start, at Chippokes State Park and on the ferry. Consider coupling this route with one of the several others in this book that start at Chippokes if you'd like a longer ride. Ride With GPS shows this as a 20 mile ride but it is actually 15 when you exclude the ferry distance.

Mi	Go	Notes	For
0.0		Park in the section of the Jamestown Settlement parking lot designated for Virginia Capital Trail parking. (furthest from the main building).	
0.0	QL	Exit the parking lot and turn left onto Colonial Pkwy Access Rd.	0.1
0.1	QL	Turn left onto Jamestown Rd./Rt. 31.	0.7
0.8		Get on the Jamestown-Scotland Ferry. The ferry departs approximately every 1/2 hour. (free). If you have a GPS computer, pause it while on the ferry.	
0.8	S	Disembark from the ferry and cycle up the hill.	0.3
1.2	L	At top of hill bear left at the island/parking lot to stop sign. Left on Rt.637	0.0
1.2	QL(SS)	Slight left onto Pleasant Point Rd./Rt. 637.	1.4
2.6	S	Continue on Cobham Wharf Rd./Rt.636/637.	0.8
3.4	L	Turn left onto Poplar Lawn Rd./Rt. 637.	0.9
4.3	L(SS)	Turn left onto Alliance Rd./Rt. 634.	1.2
5.5	L	Turn left onto Chippokes Park Rd./Rt. 665 to enter Chippokes Plantation State Park. NOTE: Cyclists do not not pay a parking fee.	0.8
6.2		Arrive at the Park's Visitor Center. Restrooms are located here as well as picnic facilities. After your stop, you can hop on the bike path adjacent to the Visitor Center that will parallel the Plantation Dr. road route. However, there is usually debris over the path and it is not as smooth and safe as the road route. To continue on the road route, backtrack on Chippokes Park Rd. for 0.1 mile and turn left on Plantation Dr. / Rt. 783.	
6.3	L	Turn left onto Plantation Rd./Rt. 783.	1.2
7.2		You'll pass the Park's small museum of farm and forestry equipment as well as several manor houses.	
7.5	R	Turn right onto Chippokes Farm Rd.(unmarked)/Rt. 633.	1.4
8.9	R(SS)	Turn right onto Alliance Rd./Rt. 634.	2.1
11.0	R	Turn right onto Poplar Lawn Rd./Rt. 637 (may be unmarked). An "Adopt a Highway" sign is at this intersection.	0.9
11.9	R(SS)	Turn right onto Cobham Wharf Rd./Rt. 636.	0.8
12.7	S	Becomes Pleasant Point Rd./Rt. 637.	1.5
14.2	R	Slight right onto Rt. 656 (direction sign to Jamestown Ferry).	0.0
14.2	QR(SS)	Right onto Rolf Hwy./Rt. 31.	0.3
14.5		Get on the Jamestown-Scotland Ferry. The ferry departs approximately every 1/2 hour. (free). If you have a GPS computer, pause it while on the ferry.	
14.5	S	Disembark the ferry and continue straight onto Jamestown Rd./Rt. 31.	0.7
15.2	R	Turn right onto Colonial Pkwy Access Rd.	0.1
15.3	QR	Turn right into parking lot.	0.0
15.3		End of Route	

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Chippokes to Smithfield & Back			
Starting Loc:	Chippokes State Park	**Distance:**	43 miles



Smithfield Bakery Ride (42.8 miles; Elevation Gain +1,207 feet)

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This ride in Surry and Isle of Wight Counties is one of the bike club's most popular. Though fairly long at 42.7 miles, this ride is best classified as moderate, as the terrain is very mild and contains just a few short rollers. This is one of the club's favorite lunch stops and you won't leave disappointed (or hungry). There's also a small museum in town that's free and delightful to stroll through. Restrooms are available at the ride's start in the Park Visitor's Center, and you will pass a convenience store twice at mile 3.8 and again at 37.9. There are also two sightseeing opportunities on this ride. Visit the Farm & Forestry Museum near the start/end to see exhibits representing various stages of farm life. Visit Bacon's Castle at mile 37.4 to tour the nations oldest brick dwelling and site of a political uprising in 1676.

Mi	Go	Notes	For
0.0		Start in Parking Lot at Chippokes Plantation State Park Visitor's Center - $4 parking fee. (Does not apply to bicycles).	
0.0	QR	Proceed towards the main park entrance on Chippokes State Park Rd./Rt. 665.	0.1
0.1	QL	Plantation Rd./Rt. 783.	1.2
0.9		You'll pass the Park's small museum of farm and forestry equipment as well as several manor houses.	
1.3	R	Chippokes Farm Rd.(unmarked)/Rt. 633.	1.6
2.9	L	Highgate Rd. (unmarked)/Rt. 634.	1.1
4.1	L(SS)	Colonial Tr./Rt. 10.	0.8
4.9	R	White Marsh Rd.(unmarked)/Rt. 617. (Note: Bacon's Castle Market at this intersection).	5.6
10.4	L	Beechland Rd./Rt. 626.	2.7
13.1	R(SS)	Burwells Bay Rd./Rt. 621 which becomes Mill Swamp Rd	1.5
14.6	S	At the bend, stay **straight** onto Stallings Creek Dr./Rt. 680 (easy to miss!)	2.3
16.9	R	"Y" to stay on Magnet Dr./Rt. 680.	2.2
19.1	L	Waterworks Rd./Rt. 709.	2.8
21.9	L(SS)	Courthouse Hwy./Rt. 258. Be aware of increased traffic for the next mile.	1.0
23.0	S(TL)	Main St./Rt. 258 Bus. at the TL.	0.5
23.5		Enjoy quaint downtown Smithfield. The Smithfield Bakery, a local club favorite is on the **left**.	
23.5	S	When you are ready to depart, continue **straight** on Main St.	0.0
23.5	QL	N Mason St	0.1
23.6	QL(SS)	Grace St	0.3
23.9	R	Cary St which becomes Mill Swamp Rd./Rt. 626.	5.4
29.3	R	Moonlight Rd./Rt. 627.	1.7
30.9	S(SS)	Cross over Burwells Bay Rd.	4.2
33.1		Pass former Michael Vick residence, now Good Newz Rehab center for dogs on **right**.	
35.1	S(SS)	Cross Colonial Tr./Rt 10 onto Mantura Rd./Rt 627	1.2
36.3	L(SS)	Burnt Mill Rd./Rt. 628.	1.4
37.7	S(SS)	Cross Hog Island Rd.	0.2
37.9	L(SS)	Bacons Castle Tr./Rt. 617.	1.1
38.5		Pass the historic Bacon's Castle on your **right**. Stop and visit if you have time. (gravel access road is rideable).	
39.0		Bacon's Castle Market on the **left** just before the turn.	
39.0	R(SS)	Colonial Tr./Rt. 10.	0.8
39.8	R	Highgate Rd./Rt. 634.	1.1
40.0		Caution: POT HOLES ahead as you go down hill!	
40.9	R(SS)	Chippokes Farm Rd. (unmarked)/Rt. 633	0.3
41.2	L	Alliance Rd./Rt. 634.	0.9
42.1	R	Chippokes State Park Rd./Rt. 665.	0.6
42.8	L	**Left** into the parking lot.	0.0
42.8		End of Route	

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Chippokes to Surry & Back			
Starting Loc:	Chippokes State Park	**Distance:**	19.9 miles



Surry (19.9 miles; Elevation Gain +631 feet)

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The Surry ride is an easy spin through the rural Surry County farmlands of peanuts, cotton and soybean. Visit the Farm & Forestry Museum near the start/end to see exhibits representing various stages of farm life. There aren't any other attractions along this route, but there isn't much traffic either. You'll appreciate the solitude of this region – it's a welcome reprieve from the busier peninsula. Restrooms are available at the Visitor's Center at the ride's start and in the Surry Government Center when it is open. There are also several restaurants and convenience stores in Surry.

Mi	Go	Notes	For
0.1		Start in Parking Lot at Chippokes Plantation State Park Visitor's Center - $4 parking fee. (Does not apply to bicycles). Leave the parking lot and turn **left** onto Plantation Rd. / Rt. 783.	
0.8		You'll pass the Park's small museum of farm and forestry equipment as well as several manor houses.	
1.2	R	Chippokes Farm Rd. / Rt. 633.	1.4
2.6	S(SS)	Continue **straight** at the stop sign on Chippokes Farm Rd. / Rt. 633 / 634.	0.3
2.9	S	Continue **straight** on Rt. 633, where Highgate Rd./Rt. 634 goes **left**.	1.6
4.5	R	Golden Hill Rd. / Rt. 616.	0.5
4.9	S(SS)	Continue **straight** on Golden Hill Rd. / Rt. 616. Cross Rt. 10.	3.1
8.0	R(SS)	Stop sign on Beechland Rd. / Rt. 626.	3.8
11.8	R(SS)	T onto Rt. 10	0.4
12.2	R(TL)	Rt. 10.	0.2
12.3		Enjoy a quick loop around Surry. There is a pizza parlor on your **right**. If you continue **straight** on Colonial Trail (rather than turning on Bank St.), you'll shortly find a 7-11 on the **left** and a restaurant on the **right**.	
12.3	R	Bank St	0.4
12.6		To find restrooms, turn **right** on School St and visit the Surry County Government Center.	
12.7	L(SS)	T onto Old Burrough Rd./Rt. 626.	0.5
13.3	S	Beechland Rd./ Rt. 626	0.7
14.0	L	Brownsview Ln./Rt. 634	1.5
15.5	R(SS)	Stop sign on Rt. 10 East, then make the immediate **left** on Alliance Rd. / Rt. 634. Use caution at this intersection.	0.1
15.6	QL	Alliance Rd./Rt. 634	3.6
19.2	L	Chippokes Park Rd. / Rt. 665. Continue through the park entrance	0.6
19.9	L	Return to the parking lot.	0.0
19.9		End of Route	

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Surry County Tour			
Starting Loc:	Chippokes State Park	**Distance:**	28.4 miles



Surry County Tour (28.4 miles; Elevation Gain +1,041 feet)
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This Tour includes some of the same roads as the Surry ride but adds more miles north and west of Surry through pleasant and lightly traveled roads in rural Surry County. As with the other rides starting a Chippokes, you may want to visit the Farm & Forestry Museum near the start/end to see exhibits representing various stages of farm life (either before or after the ride). Restrooms are available at the Visitor's Center at the ride's start and in the Surry Government Center when it is open. There are also several restaurants and convenience stores in Surry.

Mi	Go	Notes	For
0.1		Start in Parking Lot at Chippokes Plantation State Park Visitor's Center - $4 parking fee. (Does not apply to bicycles).	
0.1	**QR**	Exit park on Chippokes State Park Rd./Rt. 665.	0.6
0.7	**R(SS)**	Alliance Rd./Rt. 634.	3.6
4.4	**R(SS)**	Colonial Tr./Rt. 10.	0.1
4.5	**QL**	Brownsview Ln./Rt. 634.	1.5
6.0	**R(SS)**	Beechland Rd./Rt. 626 (unmarked).	1.4
7.4	**R(SS)**	Rolfe Hwy.(unmarked)/Rt. 10 .	0.4
7.5		To find restrooms, turn **right** on School St and visit the Surry County Government Center.	
7.7		Qwick Stop store on **left** just before the TL. For a 7-Eleven and other food, turn **right** at TL, then retrace back here.	
7.8	**L(TL)**	Oakwood Dr./Rt. 626.	2.8
10.5	**S**	Lebanon Rd. becomes Hollybush Rd./Rt. 618.	2.6
13.1	**S(SS)**	Cross Colonial Tr./Rt. 10.	2.1
15.2	**L**	Gilpark Rd./Rt. 648.	2.1
17.3	**L(SS)**	Rolfe Hwy./Rt. 31.	0.1
17.4	**QR**	Moorings Rd./Rt. 644.	0.9
18.3	**R(SS)**	Runnymeade Rd./Rt. 622.	1.1
19.4	**L**	Golden Hill Rd./Rt. 616.	2.0
21.4	**S(SS)**	Remain on Golden Hill Rd./Rt. 616	3.0
24.4	**S(SS)**	Cross Colonial Tr./Rt. 10.	0.5
24.9	**L(SS)**	Chippokes Farm Rd./Rt. 633.	1.8
26.7	**L**	Alliance Rd./Rt. 634.	0.9
27.7	**R**	Chippokes State Park Rd./Rt. 665.	0.6
28.3	**L**	**Left** into the parking lot.	0.1
28.4		End of Route	

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Historic Williamsburg (Page 1/2)			
Starting Loc:	Merchant's Square	**Distance:**	6.2 miles



Historic Williamsburg (6.2 miles; Elevation Gain +155 feet) Route Number: 8216682
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This is a very easy ride around the Colonial Williamsburg Historic Area and through The College of William & Mary. Pick up a Colonial Williamsburg This Week guide at the ticket office, corner of Duke of Gloucester and Henry Streets - it will help identify the many buildings, gardens and attractions in the hitoric area. Pay attention to the map and cues, as many of the road names, particularly in the historic area, are not marked. By following the tour as described, you'll pass near or in front of practically every major historic building. Keep in mind, that in order to enter the historic buildings, you will need to purchase a ticket. Cycling thrugh the area and entering shops and restaurants, however, is permissible and free of charge. Halfway through the ride, you'll find several deli/cafes. The next several miles take you through the beautiful campus of The College of William & Mary, before passing the Williamsburg Lodge and Inn on the way back to Merchants Square. Restrooms are available at the ride's start and at many places along the route.

Mi	Go	Notes	For
0.0		Leave Merchants Square area on Duke of Gloucester St., away from Boundary St. and the College of William & Mary. The Craft House, ticket office and restrooms should be on your **right**. You'll pass Bruton Parish Church and the Palace Green on your **left**. You'll soon see the Courthouse on your **left**, and soon after, also on the **left**, Chowning's Tavern.	
0.4	L	Turn **left** immediately after Chowning's Tavern on Queen St. (unmarked). Note that not all Colonial Williamsburg streets are signed at all intersections.	0.1
0.5	QR	E Nicholson St	0.4
0.9	R(T)	"T" onto N Waller St. Continue past the Christiana Campbell's Tavern on the **left** until you reach the "T" and a Yield sign.	0.1
1.0	QR(T)	Francis St E	0.1
1.2	R	Blair St. Continue about 100 yards and bear **left** on Duke of Gloucester St. Before you make the turn, note the Capitol on the **right**.	0.3
1.5	R	N Queen St immediately before Chowning's Tavern (unmarked). This is the same Queen St. you were on earlier.	0.1
1.6	QL	E Nicholson St	0.1
1.6	QR	N England St., just after the Randolph House.	0.1
1.7	QL	Scotland St	0.1
1.8	QL	You'll soon come to the Governor's Palace on your **right**. Just after the Palace, turn **left** on Palace St., keeping the Palace Green (grassy area) on your **left**.	0.1
1.9	QR	Prince George St. and continue for about 150 yards until you leave the historic area.	0.1
2.0	QR	N Nassau St	0.1
2.1	QL(T)	When you reach Mathew Whaley School directly in front of you, turn **left** on Scotland St.	0.1
2.2	S(SS)	Use caution crossing N. Henry St.	0.1
2.3	S(SS)	Continue **straight** at Boundary St. Note that the Williamsburg Visitor Center is located just to the **right** on Boundary St.	0.3
2.6	S(TL)	Continue **straight** (cross Richmond Rd. with caution) on College Terrace Drive. After you cross, the football stadium will be directly in front of you. Bear to the **right** to get on College Terrace Dr., keeping the stadium to your **left**. When you reach Harrison Ave., continue **straight** to remain on College Terrace. The throughway is closed to autos, but there is a walkway for bikes and pedestrians.	0.3
2.9	L	Ukrop Way (marked Dillard St.)	0.2

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Starting Loc:	Merchant's Square	**Distance:**	6.2 miles

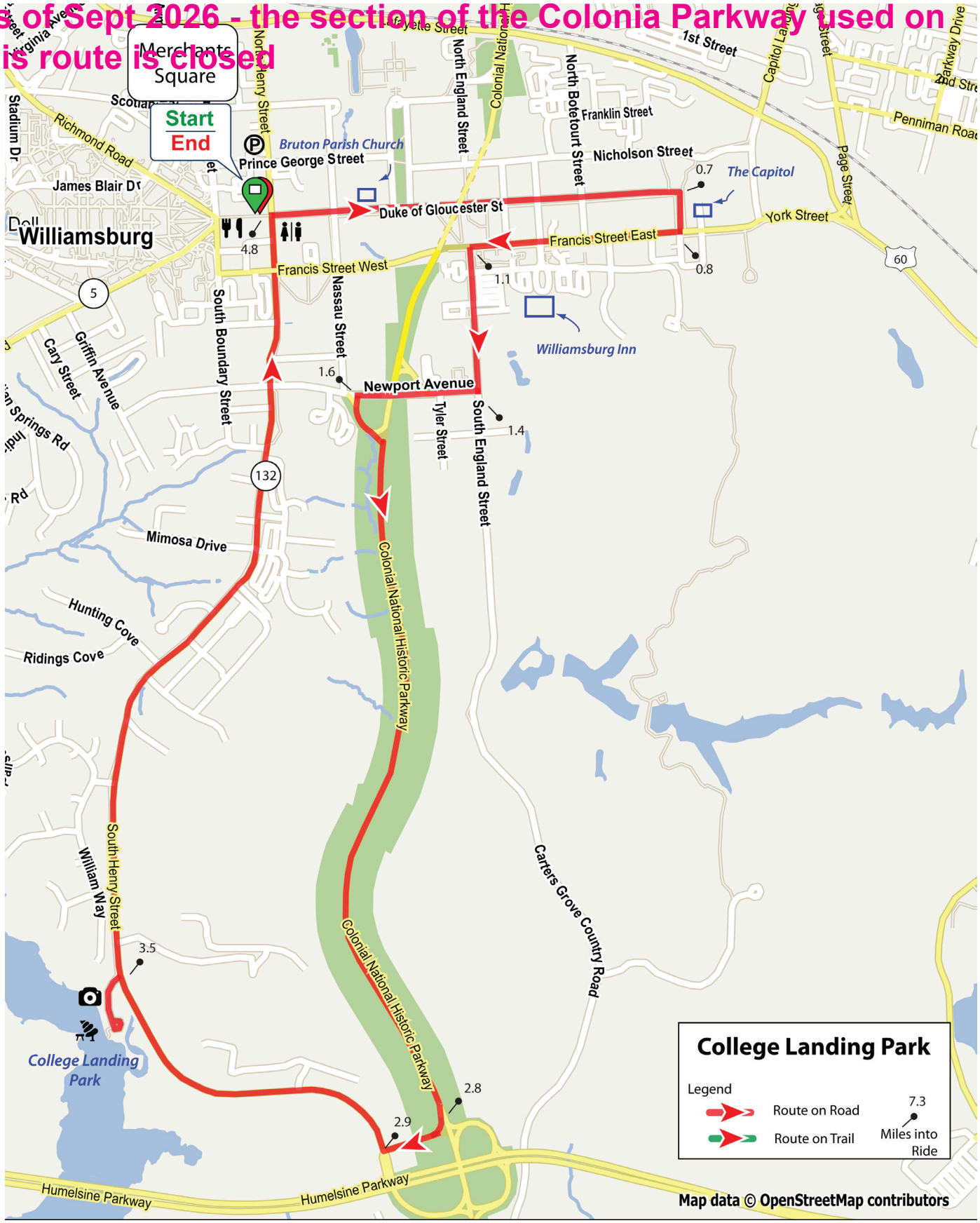
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Mi	Go	Notes	For
3.2	**L**	Yates Dr. (just past the Fraternity-Sorority Community Building and across from William & Mary Hall).	0.1
3.3	**QR(SS)**	Gooch Dr.	0.2
3.5	**R**	You'll reach the University Center on the **left**. You'll cycle into a courtyard with outdoor tables and seating. Just past the eating area, turn **right** on limited access road. Pass the pond on the **left**.	0.1
3.6	**QR(T)**	Landrum Dr (unmarked).	0.2
3.8	**S(SS)**	Campus Dr/Ukrop Way.	0.2
4.0	**L(SS)**	Jamestown Rd. Note: Bike Lane along Jamestown is open for car parking on Sundays until 1 PM	0.7
4.7	**R**	S Boundary St (via short connector from Jamestown Rd. to Boundary St.)	0.2
4.9	**L(SS)**	Newport Ave.	0.1
5.0	**S(SS)**	Use caution crossing S. Henry St.	0.3
5.3	**L(SS)**	S England St. The Williamsburg Lodge will be on the **left** and the Golden Horseshoe Golf Course will be on your **right**.	0.2
5.6	**R(SS)**	Francis St E	0.1
5.7	**QL**	Colonial St. (unmarked). This will be your second **left** directly across from the main entrance to the renowned Williamsburg Inn.	0.1
5.7	**QL**	E Duke of Gloucester St to return to the Merchants Square to end the ride.	0.5
6.2		End of Route	

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College Landing Park			
Starting Loc:	Merchant's Square	**Distance:**	5 Mi

As of Sept 2026 - the section of the Colonia Parkway used on this route is closed



HBC Williamsburg College Landing Park 5 mi (4.9 miles; Elevation Gain +206 feet) Route Number: 29241545

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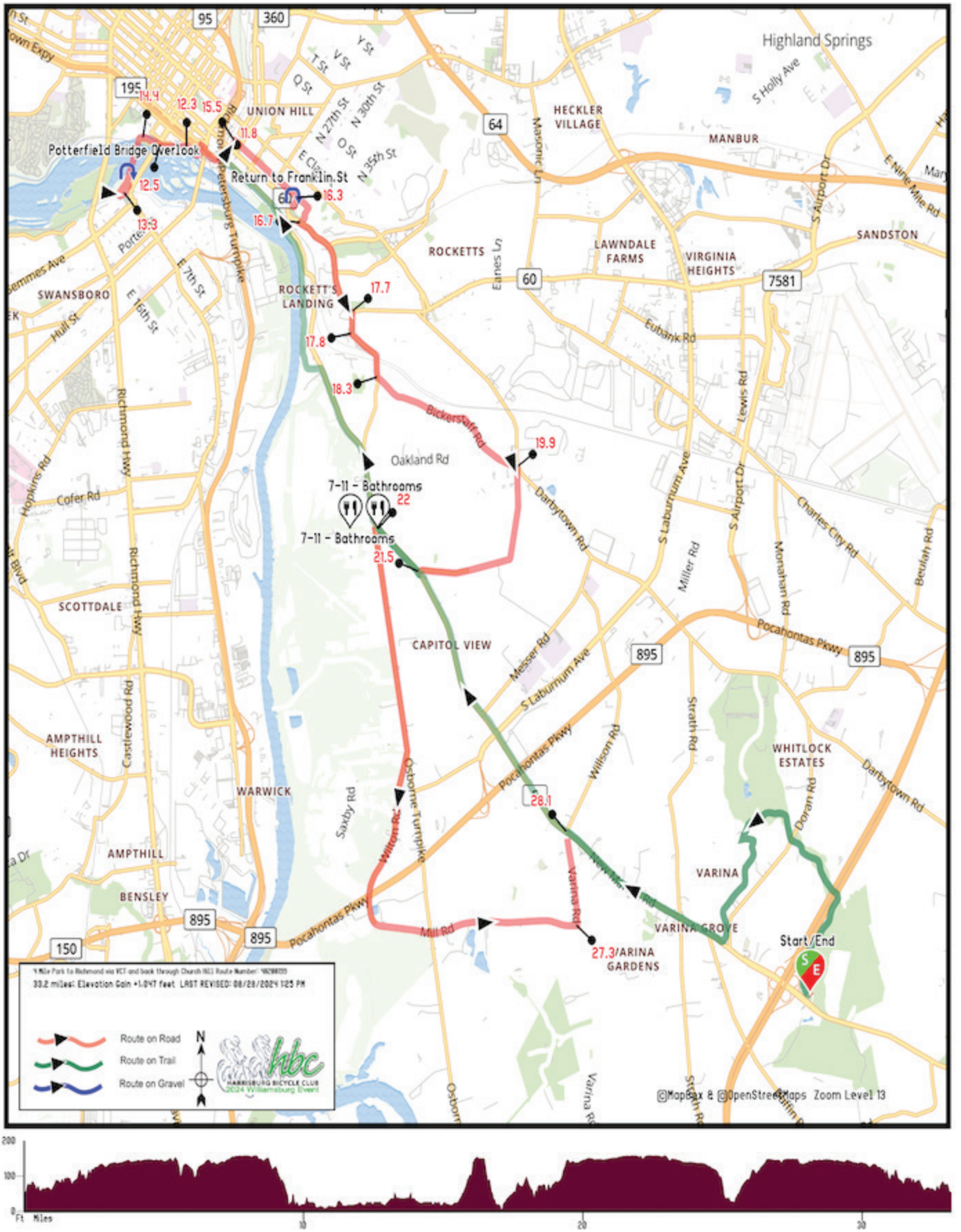
This is an easy ride that starts and ends in the colonial area and heads south on the Colonial Parkway. The Parkway riding, although rough, is always enjoyable and beautiful, especially in the spring and fall. Just before Rt. 199, you turn off the Parkway and head back towards Williamsburg on South Henry Street's bike lane. Turn left off of S. Henry into College Landing Park and enjoy great views of College Creek. After your break, continue up a short hill on S. Henry Street and follow the bike lane back to Merchants Square. Restrooms are available at the ride's start.

Mi	Go	Notes	For
0.0		Leave Merchants Square area on Duke of Gloucester St., away from Boundary St. and the College of William & Mary. The Craft House, ticket office and restrooms should be on your right. You'll pass Bruton Parish Church and the Palace Green on your left. When you reach the Capitol, bear right onto Blair St. at the "T"	
0.7	R	Slight right onto Blair St	0.1
0.8	QR(SS)	Turn right onto Francis St (unmarked).	0.3
1.1	L	Turn left onto S England St just after you pass the Williamsburg Inn on the left	0.2
1.4	R	Turn right onto Newport Ave., just after you pass the Williamsburg Lodge on the right.	0.2
1.6	L	Turn left to enter the Colonial Parkway (towards Jamestown). Bear right onto the Parkway with caution.	1.2
2.8	R	Turn right off the Colonial Parkway at the exit marked for "Rt. 199 West". Continue 0.1 miles to the intersection with S. Henry St./Rt. 132 and turn right.	0.1
2.9	QR(SS)	Turn right onto S Henry St	0.5
3.5	L	With caution, turn left into College Landing Park. Enjoy your rest stop here but note that there are no restrooms or food and drinks available. To continue on the route, exit the park and turn left on S. Henry St. Follow the bike lane and South Henry St. all the way back to Merchants Square.	1.4
4.8	L(SS)	Turn left onto W Duke of Gloucester St to return to Merchants Square to end the ride.	0.1
4.9		End of Route	

As of Sept 2026 - the section of the Colonia Parkway used on this route is closed

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VCT On to Richmond - Tyler Potterfield Bridge			
Starting Loc:	4 Mile Creek Park	**Distance:**	26 or 33 miles



4 Mile Park to Richmond via VCT and back through Church Hill (33.2 miles; Elevation Gain +1,047 feet) Route Number: 48208199

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Ride starts at Four Mile Creek Trailhead, rides into Richmond on the Capital Trail, continues on the Canal Walk Trail to the Potterfield Bridge Overlook, then back through Church Hill neighborhood and assorted neighborhood streets in Henrico then back on the Capital Trail to finish at Four Mile Creek Trailhead. Store stop with bathroom at 7-11 at mile 8.2 and 22.1. Note: this ride can be shortened to 26 miles by coming back on the VCT instead of via Chuch Hill

Mi	Go	Notes	For
0.0		Start at Four Mile Creek Park and proceed towards the Virginia Capital Trail	
0.0	S	Get on the Virginia Capital Trail	11.1
8.2		7-11 - Bathrooms	
11.1	S	Straight at Great Shiplock Park	0.7
11.8	L	Turn left onto Canal Walk at flood wall	0.0
11.8	QL	Turn left to stay on Canal Walk	0.2
12.0	R	Turn right onto ped walkway after underpass	0.0
12.0	QL	Turn left onto sidewalk	0.0
12.0	QL	Turn left onto Virginia St	0.1
12.1	QR	Turn right into parking lot	0.2
12.3	L	Turn left onto Canal Walk	0.2
12.5	R	Slight right	0.1
12.6	S	Continue onto Canal Walk	0.1
12.8	S	Straight onto T Tyler Potterfield Bridge	0.5
13.3	L	Slight left to cycle up the path to the overlook	0.2
13.5	R	Sharp right	0.1
13.6		Potterfield Bridge Overlook	0.1
13.6	L	Retrace back to the T-Pot bridge	0.7
14.3	S	Straight onto Canal Walk after bridge	0.1
14.4	QL	Slight left onto Canal Walk	0.1
14.5	QL	Slight left	0.4
14.8	R	Turn right onto parking lot	0.1
15.0	L	Turn left onto Virginia St	0.1
15.0	QR	Turn right onto sidewalk	0.0
15.1	QR	Turn right onto ped walkway	0.0
15.1	QL	Turn left onto Canal Walk	0.2
15.3	R	Turn right toward VCT	0.1
15.3		At this point, you can either go back through the flood wall and take the VCT back to 4-Mile Creek park, or you can proceed across Dock St onto 17th to follow the longer route back over Church Hill	

Mi	Go	Notes	For
15.3	S	Straight onto S 17th St	0.1
15.4	S	Straight at traffic light	0.1
15.5	QR	Turn right onto E Franklin St	0.8
16.3	R	Turn right onto N 29th St	0.1
16.4		Historic Richmond view at roundabout	
16.4		Return to Franklin St	0.1
16.5	R	Turn right onto E Franklin St	0.3
16.7	L	Turn left onto Williamsburg Ave	0.9
17.7	R	Turn right onto Hatcher St	0.2
17.8	L	Turn left onto Newton Rd	0.5
18.3	L	Turn left onto Bickerstaff Rd	1.2
19.5	S	Straight at stop sign	0.3
19.8	S	Straight at stop sign	0.1
19.9	QR	Turn right onto N Midview Rd	1.6
21.5	L	Turn left onto John Tyler/Rt 5	0.0
21.5	QR	Turn right onto Virginia Capital Trail	0.5
22.0	L	Turn left into 7-11	0.0
22.1		7-11 - Bathrooms	
22.1	QL	Turn left onto Osborne Turnpike	1.8
23.9	R	Turn right onto Wilton Road	2.0
25.9	S	Straight at stop sign	1.4
27.3	L	Turn left onto Varina Rd	0.8
28.1	R	Turn right onto Virginia Capital Trail	5.1
33.2		Finish at Four Mile Creek Trailhead	
33.2		End of Route	

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