

## Collinsville Connection

Start: Canton Village Shopping Plaza, Rt. 44 in Canton

Ride Write-up: Wu-IL031

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Mile	Dir	Road Info/Description
0.0	O	Start: Go through lot to Old Canton Rd @ CITGO station
0.2	L	Old Canton Rd
0.8	ST	@ SS onto Simonds Rd
1.5	R	@ end onto Rt. 179 (River Rd)
1.6	L	Town Bridge Rd
1.8	O	<i>Regroup – nice view from bridge</i>
-	RD	Retrace out on Town Bridge Rd
2.1	R	@ end w/ SS onto Rt. 179
2.9	R	Paved bike path @ intersection
3.2	ST	Cross road on crosswalk TCO bike path (just past canoe store)
3.5	L	After bridge onto Arch St (use extra caution coming down off bridge)
3.9	L	Farmington River Greenway Trail
4.2	Look	<i>View of dam on your left</i>

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12.8	O	<i>Countryside Park on left</i>
14.8	ST	Onto Center St
14.9	ST	@ SS TCO Center St (downhill)
15.0	ST	@ SS onto Rt. 179 north
15.1	L	@ fork TCO Rt. 179 north
15.5	R	Gildersleeve Ave (don't miss turn)
16.1	R	@ end w/ SS onto Simonds Ave (n/s)
16.2	R	@ SS onto East Hill Rd and...
16.2+	QL	@ end w/ SS onto Dowd Ave
16.6	Bail	<i>Left here for shorter ride; thru parking lot to starting point</i>
17.0	R	@ TL onto Rt. 44 east (very busy road with narrow shoulder; consider using sidewalk, but watch traffic)
17.3	L	@ 2 <sup>nd</sup> TL onto Lawton Rd (cross w/ light only (busy intersection))

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5.6	R	Exit trail @ parking area & go up road/ramp to the right
5.6+	R	Onto Rt. 4 west
5.6+	ST	@ TL onto Rt. 179 (Rt. 4 goes left)
6.0	L	Ford Rd (careful turning)
6.9	BR	Claire Hill Rd @ fork (reservoir steps on your left)
7.7	R	@ SS onto Bridge St
7.9	ST	@ SS onto Rt. 179 north
7.9+	O	<i>Regroup: view of river/dams</i>
8.0	R	Main St (after crossing bridge )
8.1	R	The Green
8.2	ST	@ church onto Spring St
8.4	BR	@ end onto New Rd
11.7	L	@ end w/ SS onto Huckleberry Hill Rd

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17.7	BL	@ fork TCO Lawton Rd
18.3	ST	@ SS onto Gracey Rd (Bahre Corner Rd goes left, Dry Bridge Rd goes right)
18.7	O	<i>Roaring Brook Nature Center on the left</i>

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