

Easing Past Essex Meadows

Start: Rt. 9 Exit 8 CPL (Rt. 148) in Chester

Ride Write-up: Wu-IL040

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Mile	Dir	Road Info/Description
0.0	O	Start
0.0+	R	Out of CPL onto Rt. 148
0.6	R	Spring St (opposite gas station)
0.7	ST	Cross Bokum Rd TCO Spring St
1.0	R	@ SS onto Straits Rd >> Union St at Deep River town line
2.5	ST	Cross Rt. 80 (Elm St) TCO Union St
2.9	ST	@ TL blend onto Rt. 154 south
5.0	ST	Cross Main St diagonally @ TL onto Westbrook Rd
5.9	ST	Cross Rt. 153 @ TL to Bokum Rd
8.6	R	@ end w/ SS on Rt. 154 (traffic)
8.9	R	Connally Dr >> Mill Rock Rd
10.2	L	@ end w/ SS on Ingham Hill Rd
10.5	ST	After I-95 onto Elm St (Ingham Hill Rd goes right here)
11.1	R	Lynde St (opp. entrance to mall)
11.2	ST	Cross Rt. 1 @ TL onto Pennywise Lane

Mile	Dir	Road Info/Description
16.1	L	Off path onto Old Post Rd
Note: Using sidewalk (above) precludes having to make left turns at 2 traffic lights...a safer route		
16.7	L	@ TL onto Rt. 1 (heavy traffic)
17.4	R	@ TL onto Spencer Plain Rd (Rt. 166)
19.0	R	@ end w/ TL on Rt. 153 (traffic)
19.4	L	McVeagh Rd (careful turning)
20.4	R	@ SS onto Pond Meadow Rd
21.5	BR	@ fork on E. Pond Meadow Rd (W. Pond Meadow Rd bears left)
23.0	R	@ SS TCO E. Pond Meadow (Dennison Rd goes left here) >> Pond Meadow @ 24.6 >> Main St @ SS @ 25.1 (Bushy Hill Rd goes left here)
25.6	O	Rest @ gazebo in park on left
25.6+	L	N. Main St (uphill) >> Warsaw Rd @ town line (top of hill)

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11.6	ST	Cross Old Boston Post Rd @ SS TCO Pennywise Lane
11.8	R	@ end w/ SS on Rt. 154 (Main St)
12.1	R	@ TL onto Maple Ave
13.4	ST	Cross Rt. 154 @ SS onto Town Beach Rd
13.6	L	Mohican Rd
13.8	R	@ end w/ SS onto Hartlands Dr
13.9	O	<i>Cornfield Pt: rest/lunch/views</i>
-	R	Pratt Rd
14.0	L	Billow Rd
14.1	R	@ end w/ SS on W. Shore Dr (go to end, against one-way traffic)
14.3	R	@ end to Rt. 154 intersection
14.3+	L	@ end w/ SS on Rt. 154 (traffic)
15.9	L	@ end (before SS) onto sidewalk, then path, along Boston Post Rd (Rt. 1)

Mile	Dir	Road Info/Description
27.5	R	@ SS onto Rt. 80 (W. Elm St)
28.5	L	W. Bridge St (part way down hill after right hand bend – careful)
29.1	L	@ SS on Union St >> Straits Rd
30.4	L	@ end w/ SS onto Rt. 148 (traffic)
31.3	L	Into CPL
31.3+	O	Finish

Key:

O = Start, Regroup, Finish X = Cross
 L = Left Turn R = Right Turn
 BL = Bear Left BR = Bear Right
 QL = Quick Left QR = Quick Right
 ST = Straight TCO = To Continue On
 SS = Stop Sign RD = Reverse Direction
 TL = Traffic Light n/s = no street sign
 >> = road name becomes