John K's Jo-Anne Fabrics Ride

Total Distance: **32.7 miles** Elevation Gain: **619 feet**

Degree of Difficulty Index: 619' / 32.7 mi. = 18.93 ft/mi

Terrain: Flat

Killer Hills: None

Geographical Region: North Central Connecticut

City/Town: Manchester

Starting Location: Buckland Hills Plaza in front of Jo-Anne Fabrics near the Bugaboo Creek Steak House.

Special Directions: From I-84 East take Exit 62 (Buckland St), turn left at the end of the ramp (it's a long ramp) onto Buckland Rd., turn left at the 3rd traffic light onto Pleasant Valley Rd. and take a quick right into the plaza. From I-84 West take Exit 62, turn left at the end of the ramp and then take a quick right into the plaza.

Ride Description: This is a mostly flat ride through rural and suburban sections of South Windsor, East Windsor and Enfield with some interesting views of the Connecticut River and a ride through the historic district of South Windsor with its lovely old homes. Park away from store entrances.

Facilities and *Points of Interest*:

Mile	Facilities - Points of Interest
0.0	Buckland Hills Shopping Plaza: Various facilities
14.1	Skylark Airport on left
~19.0	Volunteer Park on right; good spot for lunch/snack break; bathrooms in WPCV
	bldg across road
25.8	Start of Historic District of So. Windsor (note lovely old homes)
32.7	Buckland Hills Shopping Plaza: Various facilities

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