## **Cheshire – There Is No Escape**

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Total Distance: 25.2 miles Elevation Gain: 1073 feet

Degree of Difficulty Index: 1073 ft / 25.2 mi = 42.58 ft/mi Terrain: Rolling

Killer Hills: None

Geographical Region: Southwest Connecticut

Starting Location (city/town): Cheshire

Starting Location (detailed directions to): Cheshire Park, Rt. 10, opposite the Connecticut Correctional Institution approximately 2 miles north of the intersection of Rt. 68 & 70 w/ Rt. 10 in Cheshire.

Ride Description: This ride is over mostly rolling terrain and traverses the outer boundaries of Cheshire while never leaving the town limits. It offers views of the varied character of the town that includes many industrial parks, farmland, plant nurseries, farm stores, residential areas, businesses, the Connecticut Correctional Institution and much, much more. While some of the ride route uses busy state routes (take care), much of the ride is on less-traveled back roads with lots to see and admire.

Facilities and *Points of Interest*:

Mile	Facilities - Points of Interest
0.0	Cheshire Park; recreational facilities
16.1+	Notch Store with deli on left
24.0	Connecticut Correctional Institution
25.2	Cheshire Park; recreational facilities

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