

Directions to Other [Saturday] Trails

[The numbers correspond to the numbers on the MTGA Trail Map]

76 The Saginaw Valley Trail

Take I-75 north to M-46 [Holland Rd]

Go west [left] on Holland Rd

Cross the river

Turn left on Michigan - south;

[Michigan bends and goes west]

Go to Center Rd and turn south [left];

Cross the river and turn right [west] on Strobel;

Continue until you see the RR crossing sign.

Park there.

There are restrooms about 3 miles down the trail and at the St Charles end.

77 The Harger Trail

Take I-75 north to M-46 [Holland Rd]

Go East [right] on Holland Rd

Turn left [north] onto N Towerline Rd.

Go about $\frac{1}{4}$ mile and park in the

Buena Vista Administration Building parking lot.

Go 100 yards farther north to the trail

The trail goes east for 10 miles to M-15 where there is parking.

64 Lansing River Trail

Take I-69 west from Flint towards Lansing. Follow I-69 to US-127 south into Lansing. From 127, go onto I-496 west towards downtown Lansing, and exit almost at once onto Pennsylvania. Take a left onto Pennsylvania. Go under the freeway. Go about 4-5 blocks, and under the railroad viaduct, and watch for the sign for the "**Potter Park Zoo**" immediately after the viaduct on your left. (There is a \$5.00? per car admission fee to the park. Admission to the zoo is extra) The trail crosses the entrance to the parking lot. Park in the second or third section of the parking area. Bathrooms are next to the parking area.

74 Bay City Ride

Directions: Take I-75 north. Go past Saginaw.

At the US-10 interchange, [exit 162A]turn RIGHT [east] {M-25}

This road remains one way into Bay City and will be called W Thomas St.

Before you cross the river, turn left [north] onto S Henry St

Take S Henry to E Midland St - turn right [east]

Take Midland into the parking area and park. Look for other bikes.

85 The Polly Ann Trail [Oakland County Section]

- 1) The easiest way is to go south on I-75 to M-24. Take M-24 north to and through Lake Orion.
- 2) *{{An alternative way is to exit I-75 at Clarkston, take M-15 south to Clarkston Rd - turn left and take Clarkston Rd to M-24. Go north on M-24}}*
- 3) Or take 1-69 to Lapeer, take M-24 to and through Oxford [there is some construction on M-24]

*From the south Go through Lake Orion to **Drahner Rd** and turn left [west]. In about a mile, look for a small white church back a bit on the left on a hill - Pathway Baptist Church. *[[If you come south from Lapeer on M-24, Drahner Rd is on the south side of Oxford.]]**

Park in the Pathway Baptist Church lot.

Directions to Rochester

[Rochester is a staging area for several trails; ***#89 Paint Creek Trail; #93 Clinton River Trail; #88 Macomb Orchard Trail***]

Go south on I-75 to Walton Rd; take Walton east into Rochester. (Walton becomes University) then north to the park on Oak Street or Pine Street [Before the traffic light] Park at the park.

40 Pere Marquette Trail

Directions to the Midland - Chippewa Ride

->Option One<-

Take I-75 north

Turn onto US-10 west

Take US 10 west to the Midland exit-Business US 10.

Take the first exit-Waldo Rd.,

Turn right onto Patrick Rd.

Davenport University will be on your left

Park in their lot

->Option Two<- [to Sanford] Can go north to Clare or south to Midland and Chippewa Center from Sanford

Take I-75 north to US 10

Go west on US 10 past Midland to Sanford

Exit on Meridian Rd - Go left [south]

Turn right [west] on Saginaw

. (You may see the bike trail on your left after you turn.) Go through town to the point where the three lane road goes down to two lanes and **turn left on Maple**. (There is a sign, "Pere Marquette Trail head Parking". Cross the trail and the parking area is on your left

62 Portland Trail

To get there, take the first exit off I-96 into Portland, turn right at the second street [Rowe Ave.] into the park.

103 Kensington Park

From Flint, go south on US 23 to I-96 east (at Brighton, exit). Take I-96b east to the Kent Road exit. Go left under the freeway, and follow the signs into Kensington Metro Park. (There is a park fee: you can buy a day or an annual pass.) Just past the toll booth, take a left into the boat launch area: the bike trail crosses this road, and you should park before you get to the beach area.

From this trail you can also go under the expressway to **# 104 Island Lake Recreation Area** which has a bike path also.

79 Southern Links Trailway

Take I-69 east to Davison

Go north on M-15

Turn right [east] on Dodge Rd [before Otisville]

Dodge dead-ends at Washburn; turn left there [north]

Turn right [east] on Columbiaville Rd [CR 44]

Stay on 44 across the bridge into Columbiaville,
turn left on WATER street

Look for the parking area on the left

111 Lakelands Trail

Go down US-23 to M-36 and drive west to Hamburg, [go straight and then left when M-36 makes a hard right turn in town] go to the bottom of the hill and park . *There we found the beginning of a newly paved section of the "Lakelands Trail" which is a state linear park. It is paved through Hamburg township - about 6 miles. It continues as dirt and two track into Pinckney [8.38 miles to the Pinckney RR depot] and continues on, unimproved, to Stockbridge and beyond. We only rode from Hamburg to Pinckney. There are Porta-Potties along the way and access to food. It is on an abandoned RR bed, and goes near to M-36 most of the way.*

86 Wadhams to Avoca Trail

[Now goes past Wadhams to Griswold in Port Huron]

Take I-69 east to exit 196 [Wadhams Rd]

Go north [left]

Parking is on the left

This trail is paved into Port Huron and for several miles northwest, then is limestone and then gravel. There is a wonderful bridge just before Avoca.

63 Northern Tier Trail

From I-69 get on Bus 69 At exit 94

Take Bus 69 {Saginaw} past Hagadorn to Abbott Rd, turn right [north]

Cross Woodland Pass; Park just beyond Bessemaur Dr [behind Fire Station]

OR

Take I-69 west toward Lansing. Take US 127 south at exit 89.

Exit at Lake Lansing Rd. - go east. Go to Abbott Rd and turn right [south].

Go to Bessemaur Rd and park behind Fire Station