

Missoula Marathon 2010

Relay Driving Directions

Thanks for being a part of the Missoula Marathon Relay! Below are directions in order for you to find your way around Missoula Marathon's course. Please keep in mind that although some portions of the course are closed to traffic, many portions are not. We encourage cheering for teammates, but if you pull off the side of the road to do so, you may be blocking the course to racers. Anytime you park at an exchange zone, please be aware of other vehicles and racers around you. Thank you for your cooperation and good luck!

To Exchange Zone #1 (Harpers Bridge & Mullan Road)

From the corner of Mullan & Reserve:

- Head west on Mullan (Wal-Mart will be on your left) for 8.2 miles.
 - NOTE: Portions of Mullan are the marathon course. Please be aware of runners.
- Take a left onto Harpers Bridge Road. You will see Exchange Zone #1. You may park about 150 meters down off of Fawn Lane on your right side.
- *The recommended drop off time for this runner is 6am.*

To Exchange Zone #2 (Big Flat & Paradise)

From Harpers Bridge:

- Take a right onto Mullan and follow Mullan for 3.2 miles.
- Take a right onto Kona Ranch Road and drive 1.3 miles.
- Take a left onto Big Flat Road and continue for 0.6 miles.
- You will see Exchange Zone #2 on Paradise. Take a right onto Paradise. You may park on this road.

To Exchange Zone #3 (3rd & Hiberta by Hawthorne Elementary)

From Paradise & Big Flat:

- Take a left from Paradise and retrace your steps back to Mullan by taking a right on Kona Ranch Road.
 - NOTE: You may not continue driving up Big Flat Road as this portion of the road is closed. Please retrace your steps from Big Flat Road to Kona Ranch Road to Mullan.
- From Kona Ranch Road, take a right onto Mullan. Follow Mullan 4.9 miles to Reserve.
- Take a right onto Reserve and follow Reserve for 1.6 miles.
- Take a right onto 7th Street and follow 7th Street for 0.6 miles.

- Take a right onto Hiberta. You will immediately see Exchange Zone #3.
 - NOTE: This is a portion of the course. Please be aware of runners and other relay vehicles.
 - You may use the parking spaces by Hawthorne School (The parking spaces are on the right side of the road, next to the school's playground). There are a limited number of spaces; please be courteous to other vehicles. Also be aware of runners when backing up.

To The Finish:

From Exchange Zone #3:

- Turn around and retrace your steps back to Reserve by heading back on 7th Street.
- Take a left on Reserve and follow Reserve for 1.5 miles.
- Take a right on Mullan and follow Mullan for 0.8 miles
- Take a right on W. Broadway to proceed downtown (note: stay in the middle lane).
- You will continue down W. Broadway for 1 mile and take a slight right on Front Street (you will pass Taco John's on your right).
- Almost immediately, you will take a right and head down a slight hill into the West Front Lot. You may park in the open lot off to the left (not in the parking garage).
 - NOTE: The West Front Lot sits next to the paved river trail. If you take the paved river trail to the left, you will find Caras Park about 200 meters ahead. Caras Park is where the awards will be given. You can access the finish and cheer for your teammate by going up the stairs to Higgins Bridge in Caras Park.