Glass City Marathon 2012 - 5-Person Relay

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The following pages contain detailed maps of each exchange point along with directions to the next exchange point. The directions to the next exchange point are intended to avoid the runners as much as possible and to avoid road closures.

Event Details
A team of five runners will complete the entire marathon distance. Each runner will run one leg of varying distance handing off a runners belt containing your scoring chip to the next team member at each relay exchange zone. The course is the same as the marathon course. Exchange zones will be marked with flags and cones and handoffs must occur within these zones. The course will begin in the center of the University of Toledo campus between Lot 10 and the tennis courts. Heading north into the quiet neighborhoods of Old Orchard and Ottawa Hills, the course leads you to the area's finest Metroparks system utilizing the University Parks bike Trail. A tour through Sylvania leads you to Olander Park, passing the statue of Sy Mah then back down the bike trail to a short tour of the UT campus concluding with a grand finish in the Glass Bowl Stadium.

Start Time: 7:00 am

Awards
Awards to the top three (3) teams in each of the 6 relay divisions. Please note that the relay team members are not eligible for age group awards.

Timing Chip and Numbers
All team members are required to wear a race number visible on their front. Your chip timing device will be attached to a runner belt. Only ONE runner belt will be provided to each team. Each runner belt must be turned in at the finish line.

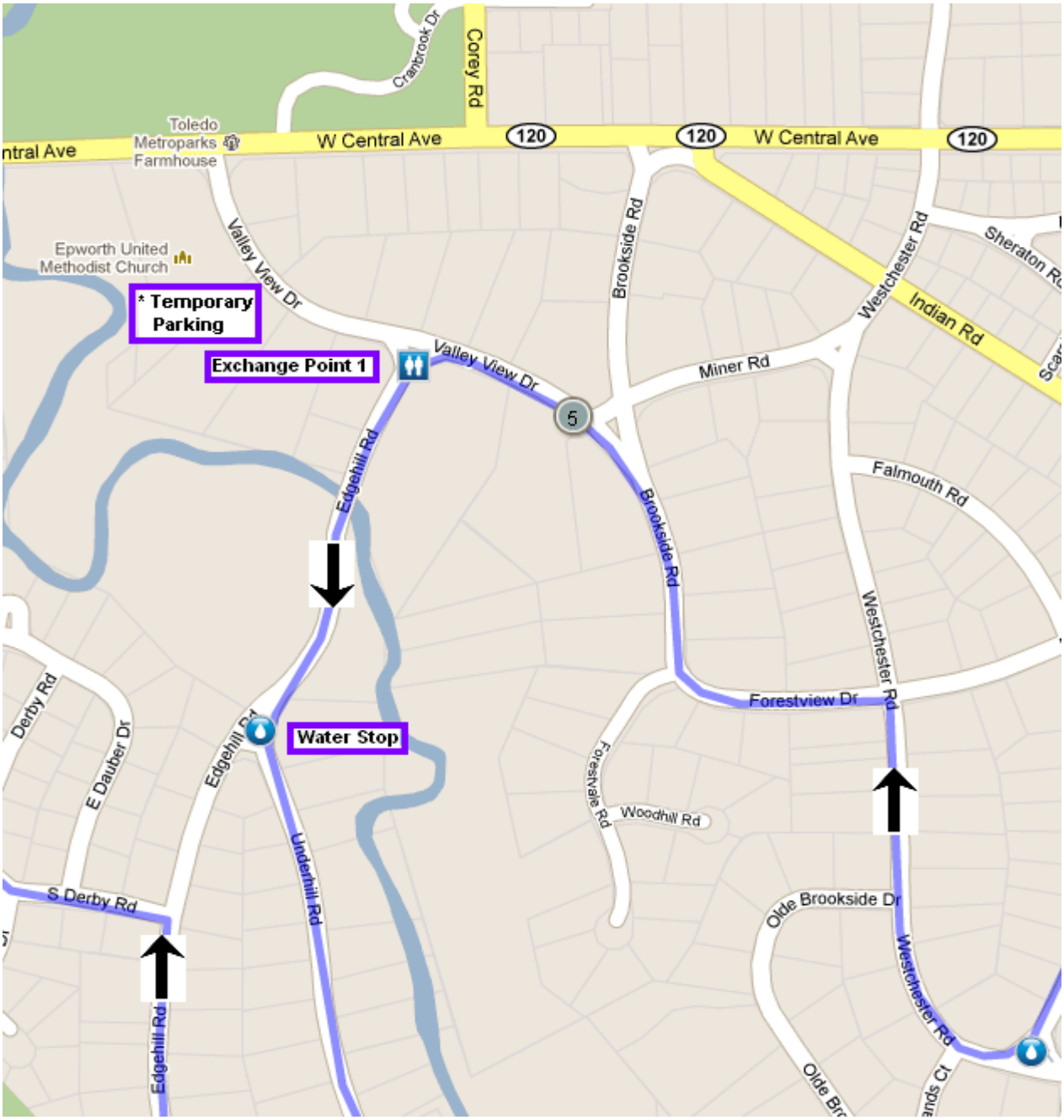
Transportation
ALL RELAY ENTRANTS MUST USE THEIR OWN TRANSPORTATION! All parking must be in legal spots or lots. The course is not closed to traffic. There will be congestion in several areas. Allow plenty of time and be careful.

Relay Exchange Zones
Corrals are available at each relay exchange point. All team members must remain in or behind the corrals until their team member arrives at the exchange zone. RELAY TEAM MEMBERS MUST KEEP THE EXCHANGE ZONES AND THE MARATHON COURSE CLEAR.

Relay Leg Distances (approximate distances):
1 - 5.1
2 - 6.1
3 - 4.75
4 - 4.95
5 - 5.3

Exchange Point 1 (5.1 Miles)

Location: The corner of Edgehill and Valley View Drive in Ottawa Hills, OH. Parking is available at Epworth Church in the back lot, south side of the building. Restroom available at Epworth parking lot. *Epworth needs the parking lot for 8:30am service **so please use the church as temporary exchange point 1 parking only.**
Map Number: 41.675877, -83.657627



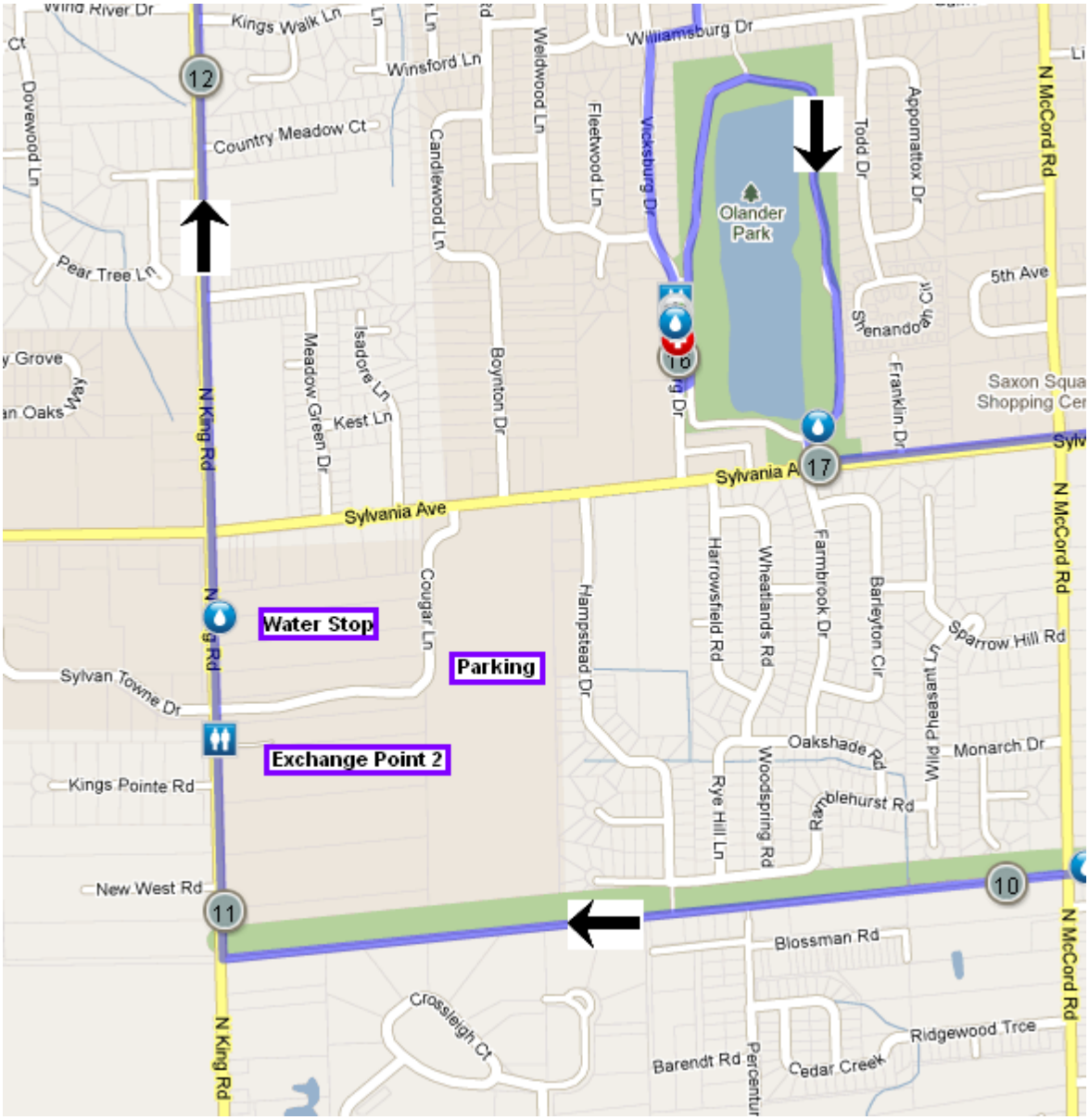
Nearest Water Stop: South less than a half mile on Edgehill and Underhill Road

Directions: To Exchange Point 1 – Please try to make your way to the exchange point before the start of the race because you need to cross over the runners' course. Roads will be closed off starting at 7am.

1. Go north on Tower View Blvd to W Bancroft Street and take a left
2. Head west on W Bancroft Street to Secor Road and take a right
3. Head north on Secor Road to Central Ave. and take a left
4. Continue west on Central Ave about 2 miles to Epworth United Methodist Church on left
5. Take a left on Valley View Drive and park in back, south lot of the church

Exchange Point 2 (11.2 Miles)

Location: The entrance to Cougar Lane in Sylvania, OH. Parking is available at Sylvania Southview High School in the back lot. Restroom available at the exchange point.
Map Number: 41.68546,-83.723094



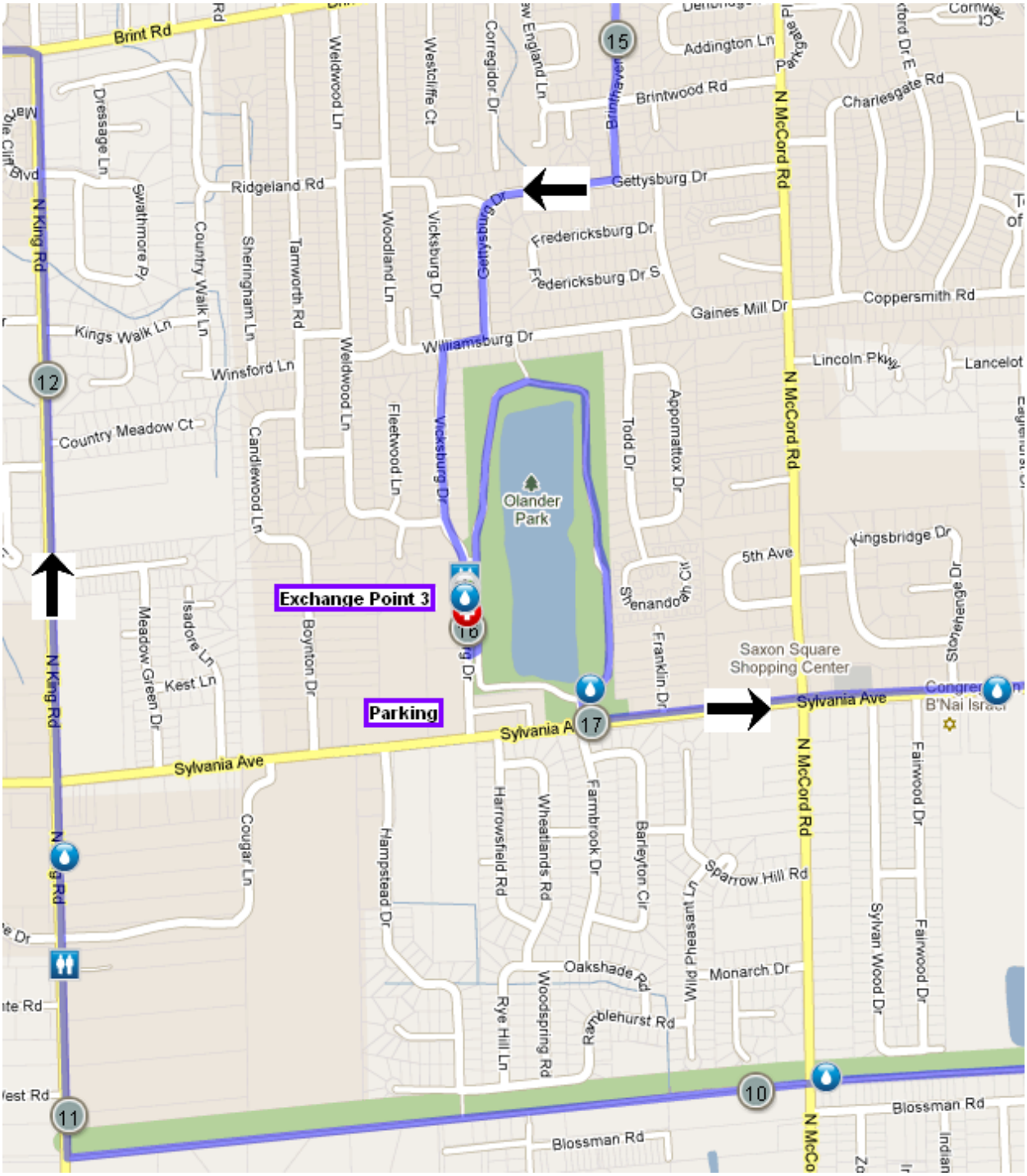
Nearest Water Stop: Just north on King Road

Directions: To Exchange Point 2 from Exchange Point 1 – Includes miles 17 – 20 of course

1. Go north on Valley View Drive to Central Ave. and take a right
2. Head east on Central Ave. about 0.2 miles to Corey Rd. and take a left
3. Head north on Corey Road about a mile to Sylvania Ave. and take a left
4. Go west on Sylvania Ave. for about 2.5 miles to Cougar Lane / Sylvania Southview High School
5. Head south on Cougar Lane and park in back lot

Exchange Point 3 (15.95 Miles)

Location: Tam O Shanter, Sylvania OH. Parking is available at Tam O Shanter facility. Restroom available at the exchange point.
Map Number: 41.689867, -83.712816



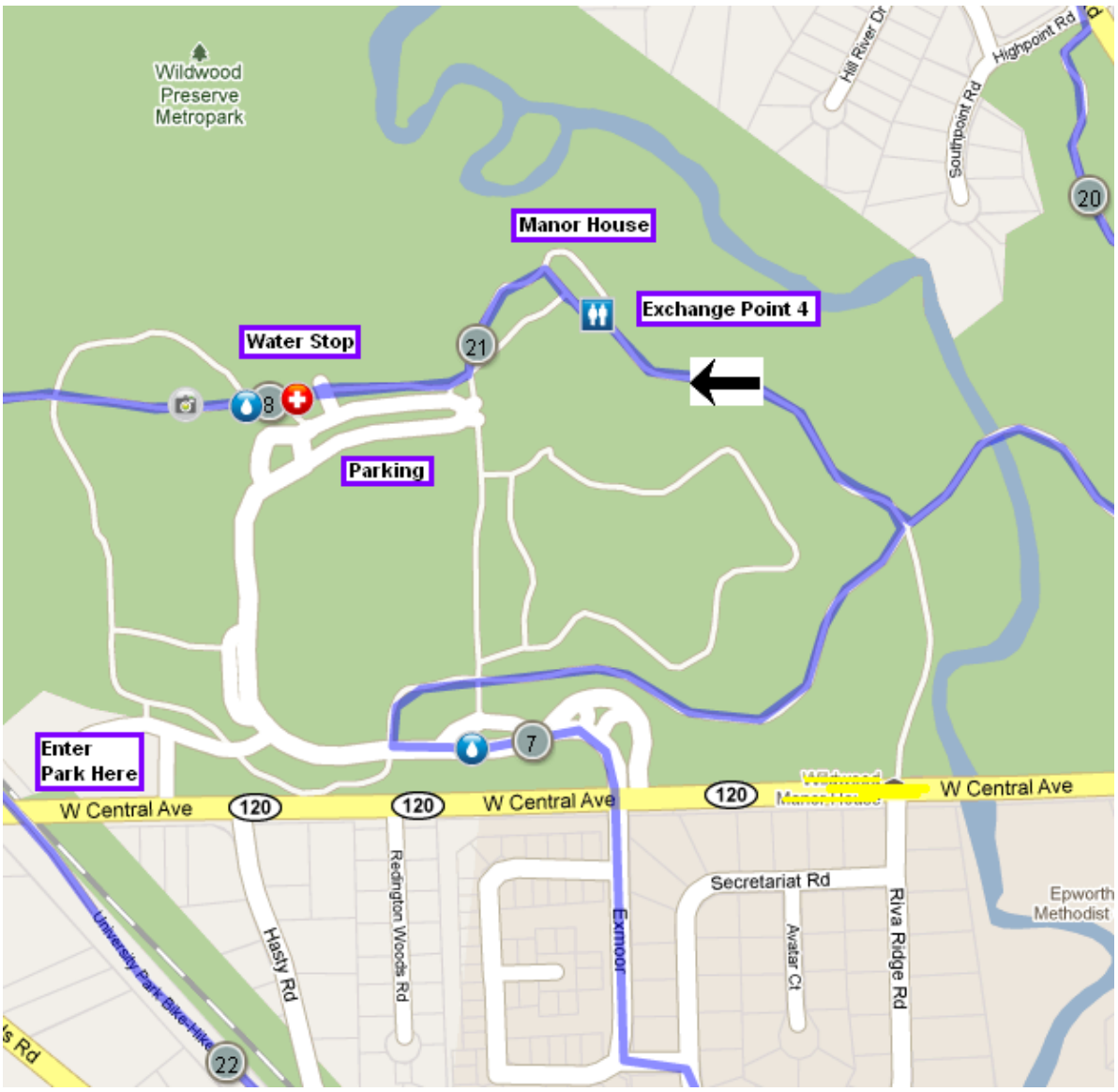
Nearest Water Stop: At exchange point

Directions: To Exchange Point 3 from Exchange Point 2 – Consider leaving car parked at Exchange Point 2 and take a quarter mile warm up (or cool down) run to Tam O Shanter.

1. Tam O Shanter is located about a quarter mile east on Sylvania Ave
2. Parking is available on the left at Tam O Shanter

Exchange Point 4 (20.9 Miles)

Location: Just before the 21 mile mark in front of the historic Manor House, Wildwood MetroPark, Toledo, Ohio. Parking is available near Metz Visitor Center. Restrooms available at the exchange point.
Map Number: 41.681118,-83.664494



Nearest Water Stop: About a quarter mile down the course

Directions: To Exchange Point 4 from Exchange Point 3 – Watch for runners on course. Note: the main entrance to Wildwood will be closed until 9am. The private entrance just west of the main entrance will be open race day.

1. Take Sylvania Ave back west to King Rd and take a left
2. Head south on King Rd. about a mile to Central Ave and take a left
3. Head west on Central Ave. about 3 miles to the Wildwood private entrance on the left (north side of Central Ave).

Directions: To finish

1. Head south back to Central Ave and take a left (east)
2. Go east on Central Ave. about 2 miles to Secor Rd. and take a right
3. Go south on Secor Rd. for about 1.5 miles to UT Campus
4. There's parking available at lot 25 just before Dorr St.