

# Front Street Community Bike Works

## City Bike Riding Trails



Cycling trail maps from no hills to dare devil runs for all ages

Front Street Community Bike Works  
791 N Front Street  
Coos Bay, Oregon 97420

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### Dare Devil Rides

These are rides meant for an intense 30-45 minute workout with serious uphill and downhill action. You can mix in other sports if you wish for cross training purposes.

**CITY TRAIL BLAZER**

**F-BOMB**

**10<sup>th</sup> STREET DOWNHILLS**

### Need an Excuse Rides

Combination activity rides are available for those who are not cyclists per say but will if there is an incentive.

**BARGAIN SHOPPER**

**BLACKBERRY RIDE**

**BOARDWALK TO BOARDWALK**

**PUB CRAWL**

### No Hills Rides

This is a set of leisurely rides meant for short distances depending on what you would like to do.

**ALLEY CAT**

**KID ROW**

**MUSEUM RIDE**

### Sightseer Rides

These rides explore different attractions within city limits. They tend to be longer and are great for the seasoned cyclist

**CATCHING SLOUGH COUNTRY RIDE**

**CHARLESTON COASTAL CLASSIC**

**CIRCLE THE BAY**

**MILLICOMA MARSH RIDE**

**RIDE THE WAVE**

### Appendix

The following trails are great to explore. John Topits and Mingus Park are close enough to ride to while Blue Ridge, Whiskey Run Winchester Trails are ones to drive to.

**BLUE RIDGE TRAIL SYSTEM**

**JOHN TOPITS TRAIL MAP**

**MINGUS PARK TRAILS**

**WHISKEY RUN MOUNTAIN BIKING TRAILS**

**WINCHESTER TRAILS**

**hiking, biking, motor cycling, horseback riding**

**easy paved walking/biking trails**

**steep unpaved up and down trails behind pond**

**mountain biking ONLY**

**ATV trail that is a multi-use area. Not easy to bike.**

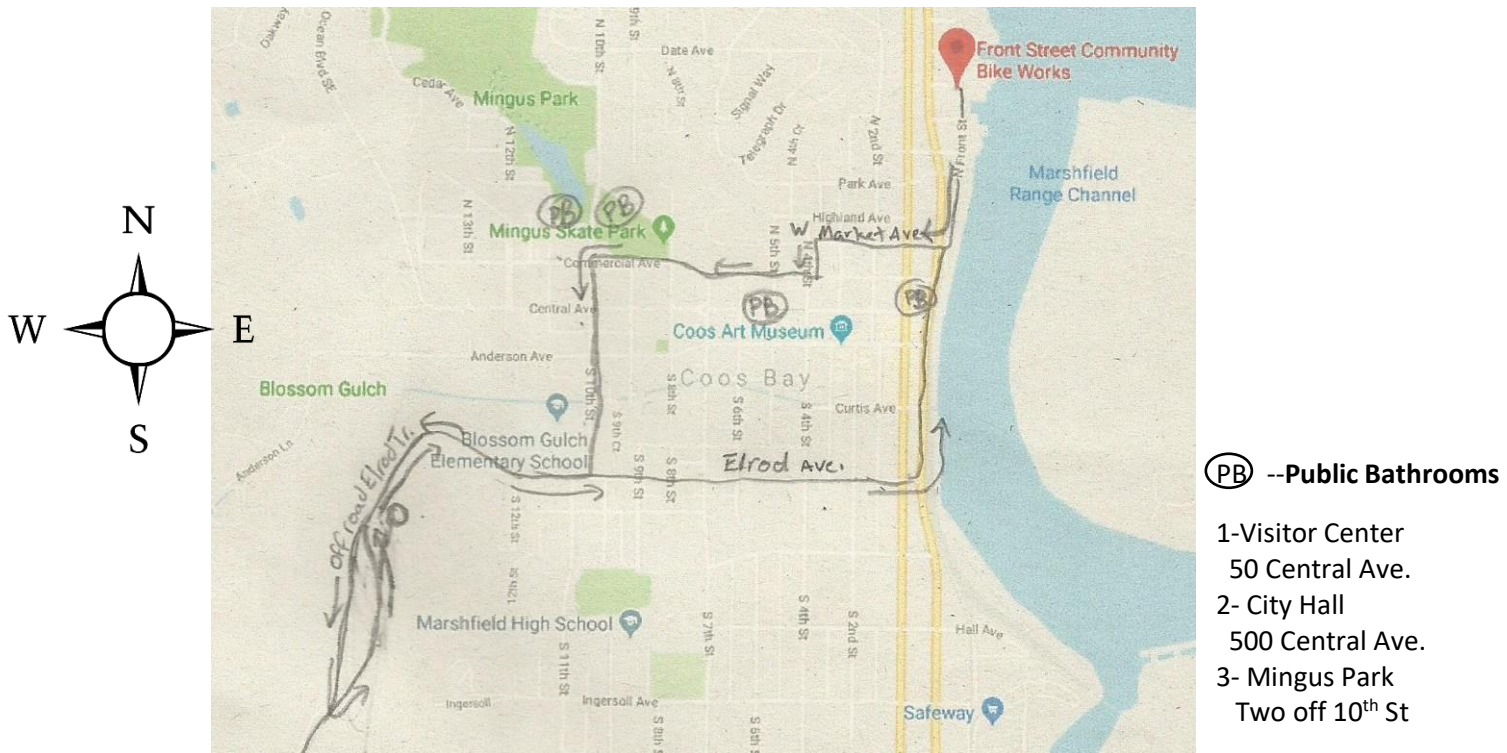
## Dare Devil Rides



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## CITY TRAIL BLAZER

City Trail Blazer is about 3 miles long and includes a backcountry trail in the heart of the city. It is a great workout away from car exhaust and people. The off-road path goes uphill a fair way so you can imagine the downhill is pretty incredible. You'll be able to rest and coast most of the way back. This trail is best to do in dry months for better traction up and downhill.



**(PB) --Public Bathrooms**

- 1-Visitor Center  
50 Central Ave.
- 2- City Hall  
500 Central Ave.
- 3- Mingus Park  
Two off 10<sup>th</sup> St

### Directions:

**Start** at Front Street Community Bike Works (791 N Front Street)

Right (south) on Front Street

Right (west) on W Market Ave. at stop sign near Sause Bros. Towing Co.

Left (south) on N 4<sup>th</sup> St one block

Right (west) on Commercial Ave at lights

Left (south) on N 10<sup>th</sup> St at stop sign-N 10<sup>th</sup> becomes S 10<sup>th</sup> after Central Ave.

Right (west) on Elrod Ave. past Blossom Gulch School right to the end of the road. There is a trailhead

Follow trailhead uphill (wicked workout). You might want to walk part of it.

Trail ends on a dirt road. Turn left (NE) onto road

Follow road until you see a narrow path on left hand side (follows electrical lines). If you miss this you will run into a fence with a round concrete tower behind. Go back and take the downward path along electrical lines.

**ENJOY THE RIDE**

Eventually this smaller path meets up with the path you rode uphill on. It is a steep reunite. **BE CAREFUL**

Keep coasting all the way down to the paved part of Elrod Ave.-stop signs along the way

Left (north) on N 101 Hwy (also known as Bayshore Dr., First Ave). At second set of lights off Elrod.

Right (north) on Front Street by Sause Bros. Towing Co,

**End** at the bike shop

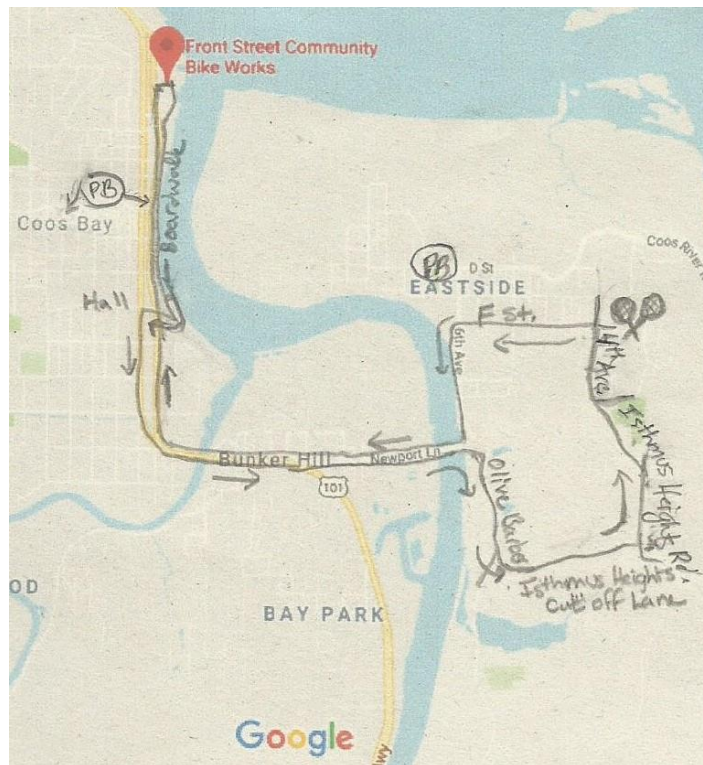
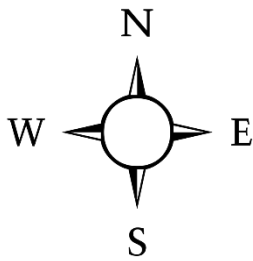
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## F-BOMB

The F-Bomb is approximately a 7 mile intense ride that includes both serious uphill and downhill action. It is not for the faint of heart. This ride has a cross training opportunity at the top of F street where you will find a public tennis court. Take a racket and some balls if you want. Afterwards, you are rewarded with an awesome downhill ride. **BE CAREFUL.** If someone can spot you on the way down to 6<sup>th</sup> street you may be able to do the full speed “F-bomb”.



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- 1-Visitor Center  
50 Central Ave.
- 2- City Hall  
500 Central Ave.
- 3- Eastside Park  
Btwn D & E St. on 5<sup>th</sup> Ave  
(sanican)

**Tennis court-**  
Top of F St.

### Directions:

**Start** Front Street Community Bike Works (791 N Front Street)  
Right (south) on Front Street onto boardwalk to end  
Go over railroad tracks and right (north) between trucks parking lot and railroad tracks  
Left (west) on Hall Ave  
Left (south) on S Hwy 101 one way at the McDonalds and continue over bridge.  
Left (east) on Newport Ln. -Coos River/Allegany exit  
Right (south) on Olive Barber Rd.  
Left (east) on Isthmus Heights Cutoff Ln. (large uphill ride)  
Left (north) on Isthmus Heights Rd.  
Straight (north) on 14<sup>th</sup> Ave. (some downhill fun)  
**Rest and/or play tennis at the top of F street**  
**F-Bomb** when you're ready – there is a stop sign along the way  
Left (south) on 6<sup>th</sup> Avenue  
Right (west) on Newport lane over bridge  
Right (north) on N Hwy 101 one way (Bayshore Dr., First Ave)  
Right (east) on Cedar Avenue  
**End** at bike shop

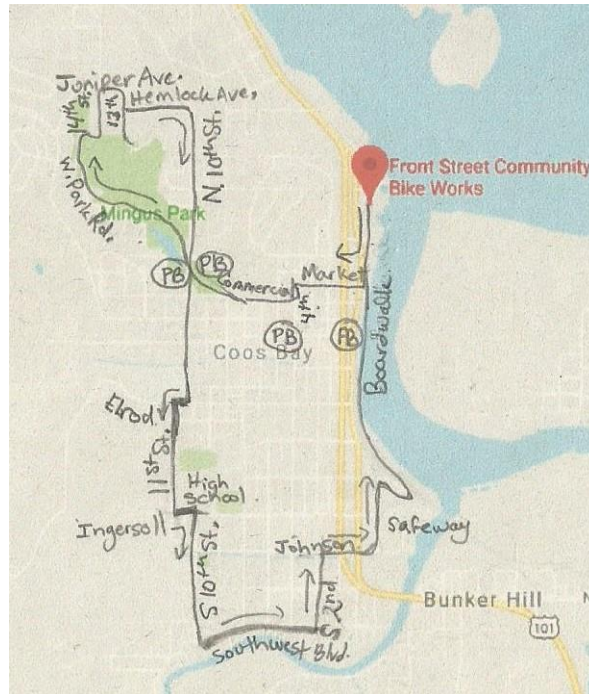
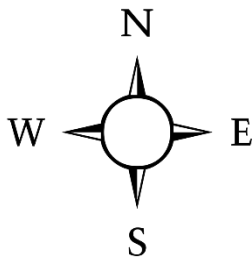
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## 10<sup>th</sup> STREET DOWNHILLS

The 10<sup>th</sup> Street Downhills ride is an opportunity to experience Mingus Park and get two great hill workouts with killer downhill rides. It is about 5 ½ miles long and takes you from the front side of the park to the backside and out to 10<sup>th</sup> street's roller coaster ride. If you like, there is opportunity to skateboard, play tennis, swim and/or play frisbee golf at the park.



### (PB) --Public Bathrooms

- 1-Visitor Center  
50 Central Ave.
- 2- City Hall  
500 Central Ave.
- 3- Mingus Park  
Two off 10<sup>th</sup> St

### Pool-

10<sup>th</sup> & just north of 8<sup>th</sup> Ave

### Tennis courts-

N 10<sup>th</sup> St.  
W Parkway Rd.

### Frisbee golf-

N 13<sup>th</sup> St (E Parkway Rd)

### Directions:

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Right (south) on Front St

Right (west) on Market Ave. at stop sign near Sause Bros. Towing Co.

Left (south) on N 4<sup>th</sup> St one block

Right (west) on Commercial Ave. through park (path begins at skatepark). After red bridge in park look for dirt path up to road. This road will take on many names as you go around the park (Birch, Cedar, W Park Rdwy, N 14<sup>th</sup> St.). You'll go past tennis courts at backside of park.

Right (east) on Juniper Ave. at stop sign

Right (south) on N 13<sup>th</sup> St. one block

Left (east) on Hemlock Ave.

Right (south) on N 10<sup>th</sup> Street for a **great downhill**. This road will become S 10<sup>th</sup> St. after Central Ave.

Right (west) on Elrod one block

Left (south) on 11<sup>th</sup> St uphill

Left (east) on Ingersoll one block and **rest** in front of Marshfield High School

Right (south) on S 10<sup>th</sup> St. for **wicked up and downhill action**. Not too busy but watch for cars along the way

Left (east) on Southwest Blvd.

Left (north) on S 2<sup>nd</sup> St

Right (east) on Johnson Ave. past second set of lights to side road (N Front Street). Just left (west) of railroad tracks and the Safeway. Past Napa Auto.

Right (east) on Ingersoll past warehouse parking towards railroad tracks and get on boardwalk near railroad bridge

**End** at bike shop as you go north up boardwalk to Front Street

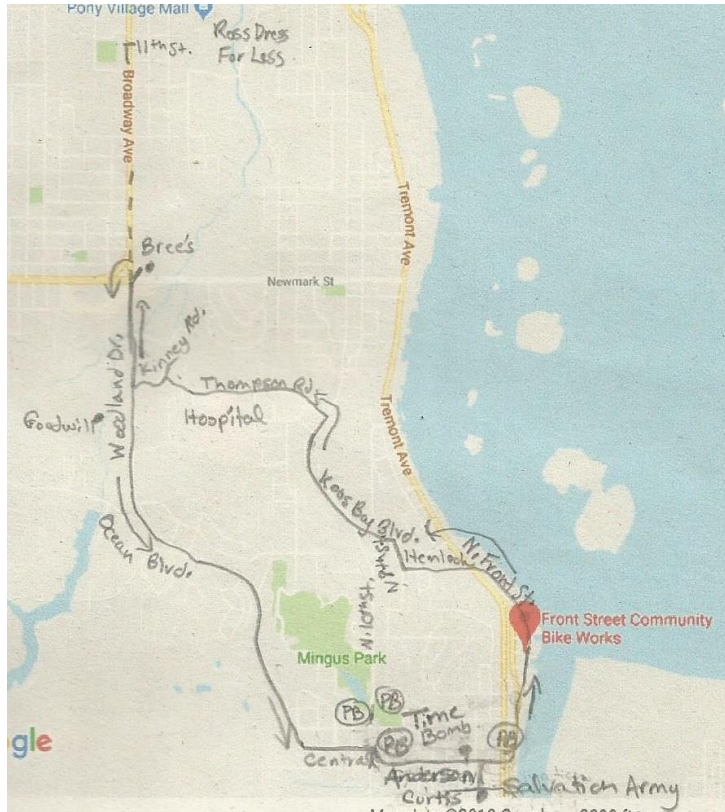
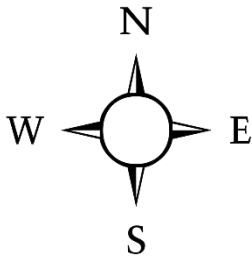
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## BARGAIN SHOPPER

Everyone likes a funky bargain. Bring a backpack on this 6 mile ride. Extra 2 ½ miles if you go to Ross Dress for Less. You will get a bit of an uphill workout to get to your first two destinations (Bree's Upscale Resale and Goodwill). Rest up and shop. There is an optional ride at this point to hit Ross Dress for Less at the mall in North Bend if you like. Afterwards, head on down the road to hit the classic Time Bomb used clothing store (and other cool stuff) for some killer deals. The ride ends at the Salvation Army store. Your bound to find something that tickles your fancy.



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### Shops:

Bree's Upscale Resale  
3229 Broadway Ave.

Goodwill Industries  
3698 Broadway Ave.

Time Bomb  
175 S 3<sup>rd</sup> St

Salvation Army Family Store &  
Donation Center  
306 S 2<sup>nd</sup> St

### Directions:

**Start** at Front Street Community Bike Works (791 N Front Street)

Right (north) on Front Street past the Coos History Museum to end and cross Hwy 101 carefully

Straight ahead (west) on Hemlock Ave. Red Lion Hotel on right hand side

Right (north) on 8<sup>th</sup> St

Left (NE) on Koos Bay Blvd.

Right (north) on N 10<sup>th</sup> St.

Left (west) on Thompson Rd. past hospital

Left (SW) on Kinney Rd

Right (north) on Woodland Dr. Pick either **Goodwill** or **Bree's** (in strip mall at Newmark and Broadway) to visit first

**Optional extra 2.5 miles**---right (north) on Broadway and turn right (east) on 11<sup>th</sup> St. to hit **Ross Dress for Less** in Pony Village Mall

Left (south) on Broadway Ave. back down to Woodland Dr.

Left (east) on Ocean Blvd., turns into Central, S7th St. and then Anderson

Left (north) on 3<sup>rd</sup> off Anderson to **Time Bomb**

Right (south) on 2<sup>nd</sup> from Anderson to **Salvation Army Family Store**

Right (east) back on Anderson

Left (north) on Hwy 101 (Bayshore Dr.) at second set of lights and back on Front Street

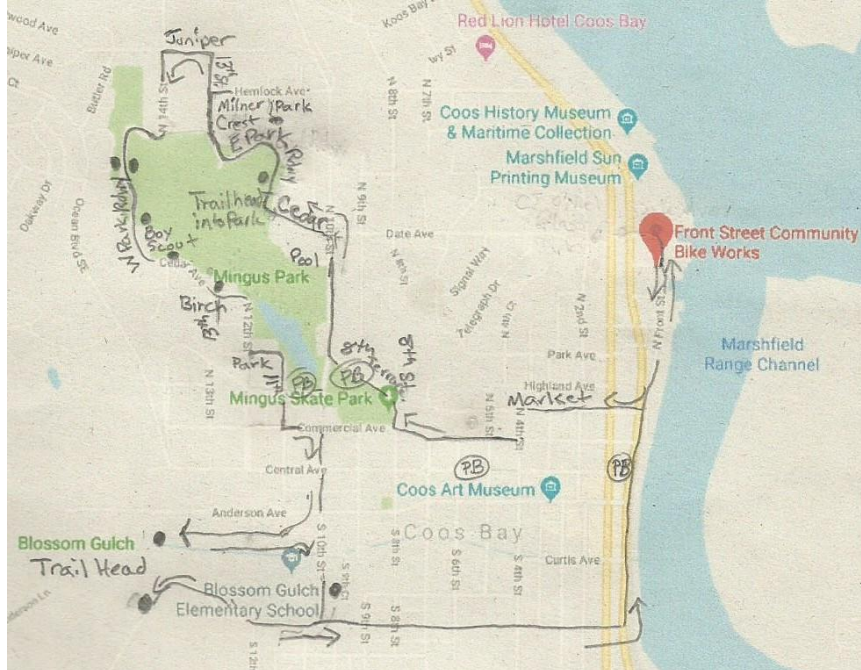
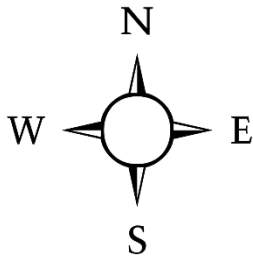
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## BLACKBERRY RIDE

In season, cycle to interesting spots for blackberry picking. You can eat while you bike and/or bring a covered bowl to take back with you. Blackberries ripen in August and September. Some bushes bloom earlier than others. Make time limited stops at each location (ex. all you can pick in 3 min). It is about 5 miles long. Within this trail is a hidden treasure-The Blossom Gulch Hiking Trail. The trailhead is at the back of the school. Stop & walk if you like.



### **PB** -Public Bathrooms

- 1-Visitor Center  
50 Central Ave.
- 2- City Hall  
500 Central Ave.
- 3- Mingus Park  
Two off 10<sup>th</sup> St

### Directions:

**Start** at Front Street Community Bike Works (791 N. Front St)

Right (south) on Front St

Right (west) on W Market Ave. at stop sign near Sause Bros. Towing

Left (south) on 4<sup>th</sup> St one block

Right (west) on Commercial Ave.

Right (north) on N 8<sup>th</sup> St one block

Left (west) on 8<sup>th</sup> Terrace one block

Right (north) on N 10<sup>th</sup> St to Cedar Ave. (not pool entrance)

Left (west) on **Cedar Ave. and take trailhead** (all along trail are blackberry patches)

Straight and left (west) on dirt road which is called East Parkway

Right onto Hemlock Ave. (**Milner Crest park** blackberry patch in back)

Right (north) on N 13<sup>th</sup> St.

Left (west) on Juniper Ave.

Left (south) on N 14<sup>th</sup> St. becomes **W Park Rdwy, Cedar, Birch, N 12<sup>th</sup> St.** (patches all along & at Boy Scout Lodge)

Left (east) Park Ave.

Right (south) on 11 St.

Left (east) on Commercial Ave.

Right (south) on N 10<sup>th</sup> St. which becomes S 10<sup>th</sup> St. (patches at **trailhead behind Blossom Gulch school**)

Blossom Gulch Hiking Trail here

Right (south) on S 10<sup>th</sup> St (**patch just before Elrod**)

Right (west) on **Elrod Ave. to trailhead** (patches near and on trail). When done go straight down (east) on Elrod

Left (north) on Hwy 101 (Bayshore Dr.) which is second set of lights

**End** turning right (north) onto Front St. back to bike shop.

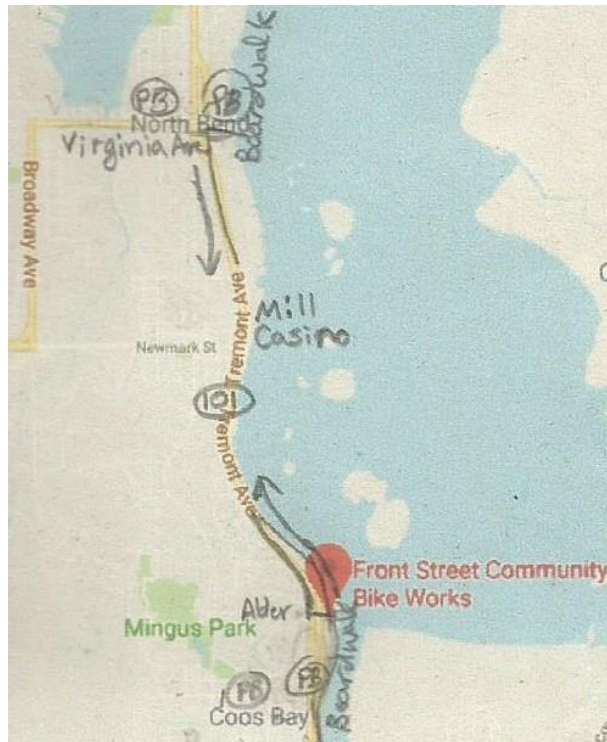
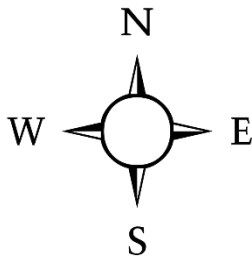
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## BOARDWALK TO BOARDWALK

Both North Bend and Coos Bay city governments have been working off and on for years to connect these two boardwalks through the Pathways project. We are slowly getting there. As a cyclist you have an advantage travelling between the cities using the sidewalk or the road on this 6 mile ride. I suggest the sidewalk as the bike lane is not solidly marked. Start by making a trip up to North Bend and walk around. When done go back south along 101 to Coos Bay. The northerly afternoon wind will be at your back helping you along. You can make a pit stop at the Mill Casino if need be.



### PB --Public Bathrooms

- 1-Visitor Center  
50 Central Ave., Coos Bay
- 2- City Hall  
500 Central Ave., Coos Bay
- 3- Boardwalk Boat Basin  
End of California St, North Bend
- 4- City Hall  
835 California St., North Bend

### Directions:

**Start** at Front Street Community Bike Works (791 N Front Street, Coos Bay)  
Left (north) on Front St. past Coos History Museum to the end  
Right (north) along Hwy 101 but first cross the highway for **sidewalk** as bike lane is not well marked  
Right (east) on Virginia to end at **North Bend Boardwalk**, rest and walk around the vicinity

### When you are ready to head back from Virginia St.:

Left (south) on Hwy 101 along sidewalk on right hand side (wind should be at your back)  
Left (east) on Alder two blocks to Front St  
Right (south) on Front St to **Coos Bay Boardwalk**, rest and walk around the vicinity  
**End** going north back to shop on Front St



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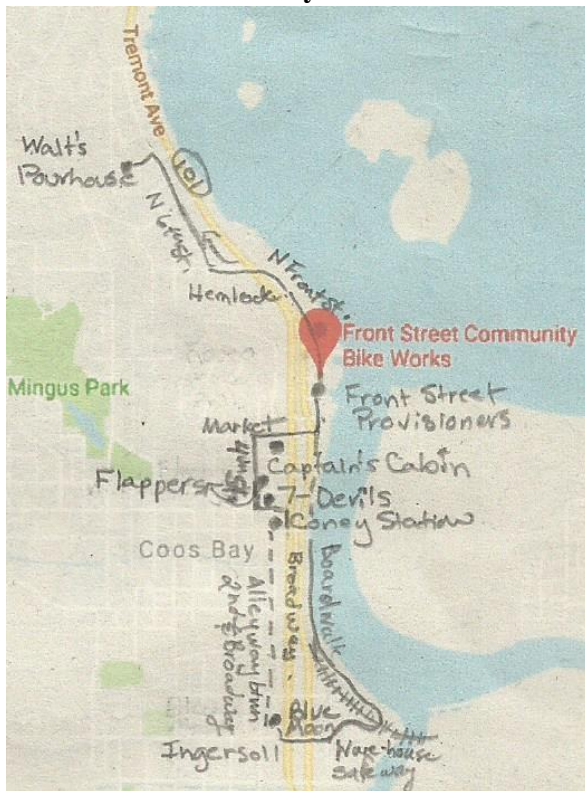


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## PUB CRAWL

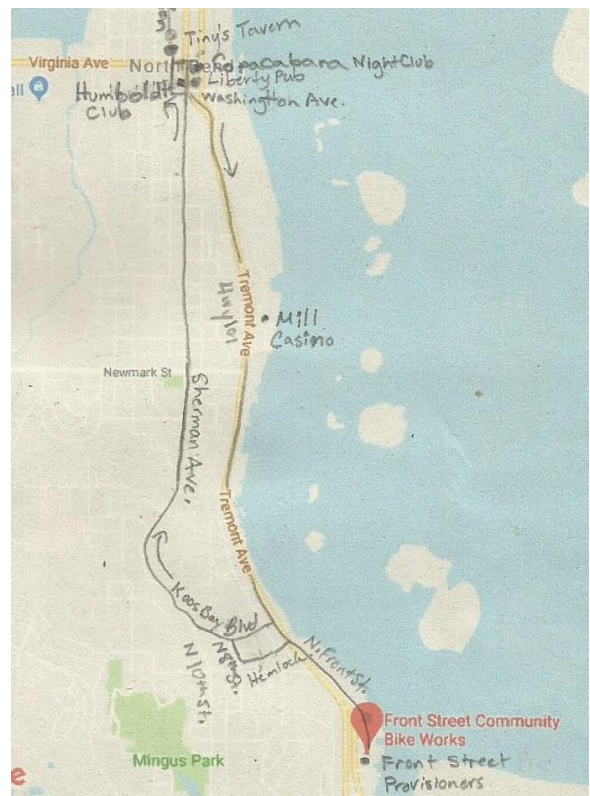
Touring local hangouts is fun and the Pub Crawl rides takes you to some of the popular places in Coos Bay and North Bend. If you are a non-alcoholic drinker, may I suggest doing an appetizer/dessert crawl. You are going to have to pick and choose where to go. As a guide, head to North Bend pubs if you really want to cycle (about 6 miles). If you want more of a leisurely no hills ride stay in Coos Bay (4.5 miles). Make sure to have lights on your bike for night time touring and don't get a BUI (Biking Under the Influence).

### Coos Bay Pub Crawl



- Front Street Provisioners**-737 N Front St  
Woodfired pizza and wine bar with indoor/outdoor seating
- Walt's Pourhouse**-1880 N 6<sup>th</sup> St  
Sports bar, billiards, table shuffleboard, with indoor/outdoor seating
- Captain's Cabin**-275 N Broadway  
Local tavern with billiards
- Flappers Wine & Whisky Bar**-375 Central Ave.  
Upscale pub with billiards
- 7-Devils**-247 S 2<sup>nd</sup> St.  
Brewery with indoor/outdoor seating, firepit outside
- Coney Station**-295 S Broadway  
Train theme sports bar, billiards
- Blue Moon**-871 S Broadway  
Local tavern with billiards

### North Bend Pub Crawl



- Front Street Provisioners**-737 N Front St  
Woodfired pizza and wine bar with indoor/outdoor seating
- Tiny's Tavern**-1971 Union Ave.  
Local pub, billiards and laundry facilities
- Copacabana Night Club**—699 Virginia Ave.  
Downstairs for late night dancing
- Liberty Pub**-2047 Sherman Ave.  
Local pub with dart boards
- Humboldt Club**-2056 Sherman Ave.  
Local pub with billiards
- Mill Casino**-3201 Tremont Ave. (Hwy 101)  
Non-smoking and smoking bars, gambling

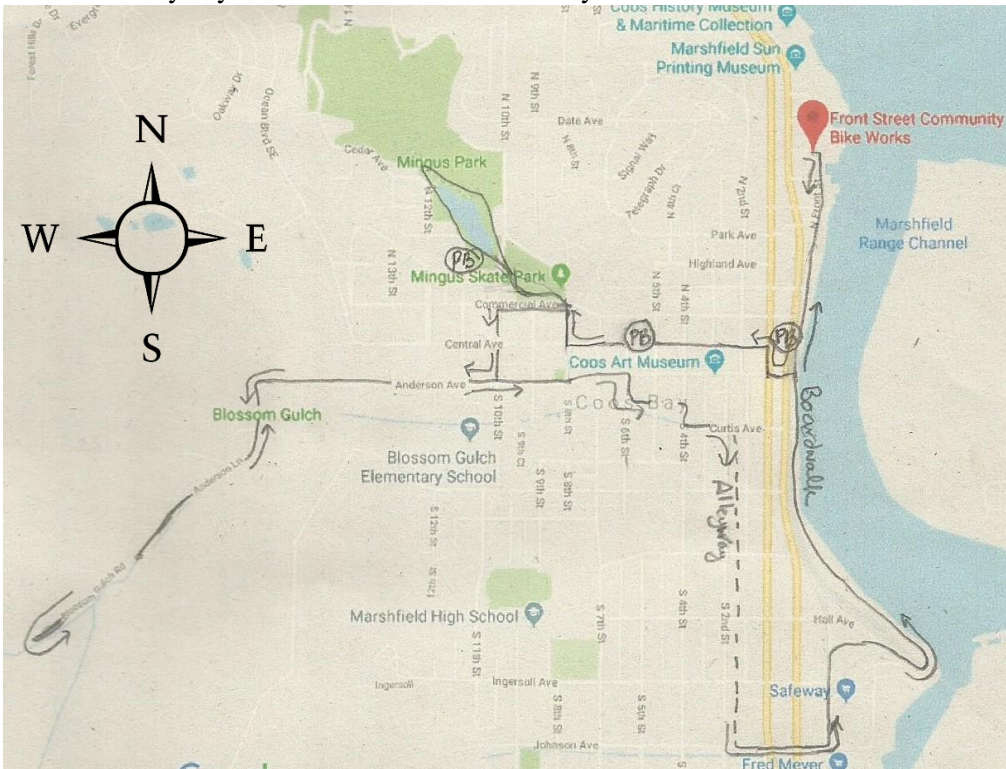
No Hill Rides



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### ALLEY CAT

The Alley Cat is about a 6.5 mile moderate exercise ride that allows you to see what it is really like to live in Coos Bay. Initially, the ride takes you into Mingus Park to promenade around the pond and enjoy the Japanese garden in the back. You then progress to a tour of the typical homes in the area. The ride comes to an end with a trip through an industrial alleyway and then back towards the bayfront boardwalk.



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50 Central Ave.
- 2- City Hall  
500 Central Ave.
- 3- Mingus Park  
Two off 10<sup>th</sup> St

#### Directions:

**Start** at Front Street Community Bike Works (791 N. Front St.)

Right (south) on Front St to Boardwalk entrance at lights

Right (west) on Anderson (one block)

Right (north) on Broadway (one block)

Left (west) on Central and travel underneath City Hall and cross 7<sup>th</sup> St. at crosswalk and keeping going up Central

Right (north) on S 8<sup>th</sup> St (one block) crosswalk into **park** pathway next to skatepark

Tour the park around the pond and the Japanese garden and make your way back to where you came in

Right (west) on Commercial

Left (south) onto N 10<sup>th</sup> St which will become S 10<sup>th</sup> St after Central Ave.

Right (west) on Anderson and tour it all the way to the end of paved road. Come back and follow Anderson to S 6<sup>th</sup> St

Right (south) on S 6<sup>th</sup> St (one block past library)

Left (east) on Bennett St (two blocks)

Right (south) on S 4<sup>th</sup> St (one block)

Left (east) on Curtis past S 2<sup>nd</sup> St. to alleyway

Right (south) down **alleyway** (watch for potholes)

Left (east) on Johnson to side road (Front Street) next to railroad tracks and Safeway and go left north one block

Right (east) on Ingersoll past warehouse parking towards railroad tracks and get on boardwalk near railroad bridge

**End** going north to shop

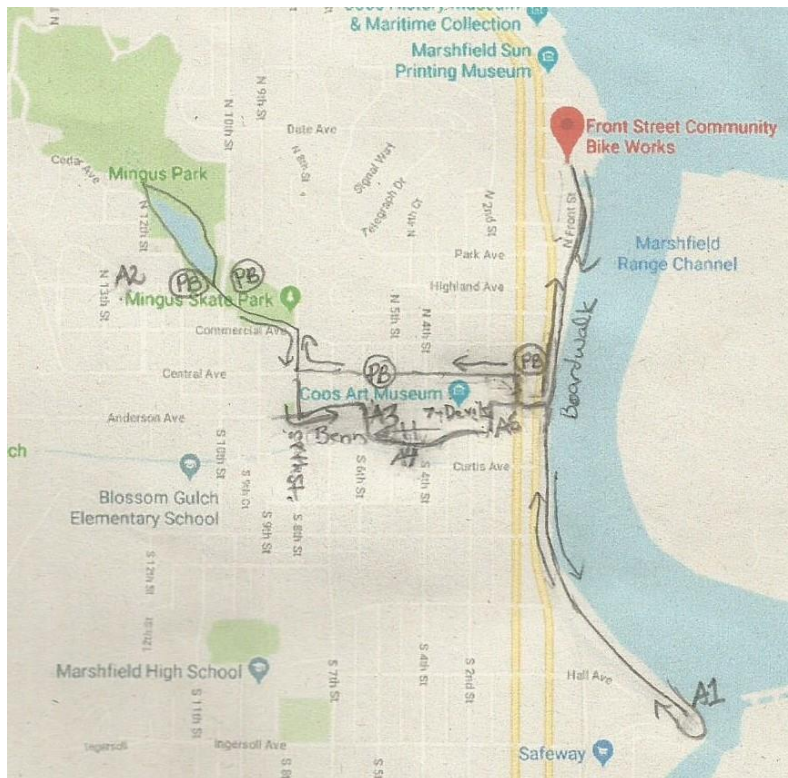
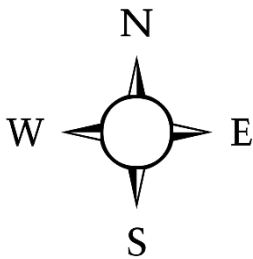
**No Hill Rides**



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**KID ROW**

Looking for something to do with the kids? Look no further. Kid Row is a fun no hills bike ride for the whole family that makes frequent stops in a row at kid friendly places. The ride is about 4 ½ miles and the stops include: the end of the boardwalk, Mingus Park, the library, Outdoor In, The Pottery Company, and the Prefontaine Murals. Most of the ride is on streets that have little traffic. All road crossings are done at crosswalks. Children need to be able to ride and follow adult directions to keep safe.



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- 1-Visitor Center  
50 Central Ave.
- 2- City Hall  
500 Central Ave.
- 3- Mingus Park  
Two off 10<sup>th</sup> St

### Activities:

- A1-Boardwalk ride
- A2-Mingus Park  
N 8<sup>th</sup> St & Commercial
- A3-Library  
525 Anderson Ave.
- A4-Outdoor In  
305 S 4<sup>th</sup> St
- A5-Pottery Co. & Prefontaine  
murals around corner  
254 S 2<sup>nd</sup> St

### Directions:

**Start** at Front Street Community Bike Works (791 N. Front St.)

- A1** Right (south) on Front Street to **boardwalk and ride** to end (rest) turn around and return to entrance  
Left (west) on Anderson crosswalk one block  
Right (north) on Broadway one block on sidewalk  
Left (west) on Central and travel underneath City Hall and cross S. 7<sup>th</sup> St at crosswalk  
Right (north) on S 8<sup>th</sup> St one block to crosswalk into **park** pathway next to skatepark
- A2** Play in the park and bike around the pond and back to the Japanese garden and make your way back to where you came in on N 8<sup>th</sup> Street  
Right (south) on N 8<sup>th</sup> St  
Left (east) on Anderson and use crosswalk to cross 7<sup>th</sup> St
- A3** Right (south) on S 6<sup>th</sup> St to **library**. Rest and read
- A4** Left (east) on Bennett past library to **Outdoor In** at S 4<sup>th</sup> St. **This restaurant is kid friendly**. Eat and play
- A5** Straight (east) on crosswalk to parking lot in front of 7-Devils restaurant. Follow it down to **Pottery Co.** on 2<sup>nd</sup> St  
Just around the corner ride to Prefontaine murals and check them out (2 blocks) and back to 2<sup>nd</sup> St.  
Right (north) on 2<sup>nd</sup> St. one block  
Right (east) on Anderson. Use crosswalks to get to boardwalk  
Left (north) on boardwalk to Front St.  
**End** at bike shop

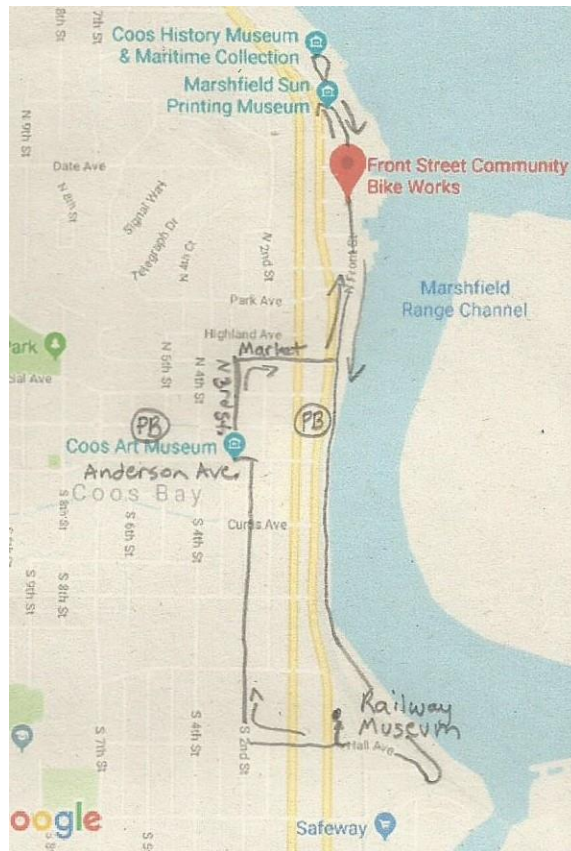
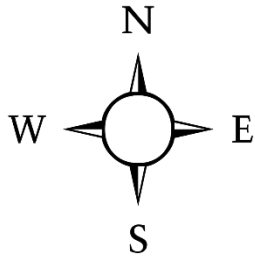
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## MUSEUM RIDE

The Museum Ride is an easy no hills ride that takes you to 4 different museums in close proximity. It is only about 2 ½ miles. Each one of the museums immerses you into a different world. The Oregon Coast Historical Railway is an outdoor tour where you can see many of the older model trains. Once done the trail takes you back to the Coos Art Museum where they have a gallery of varied artworks for all tastes. Further north along Front Street past the shop, The Marshfield Sun Printing Museum is devoted to newspaper printing with historic equipment. The last stop is the nearby Coos History Museum that explores regional history and maritime heritage. OPEN hours may change with season.



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500 Central Ave.

### **Oregon Coast Railway**

800 S 1<sup>st</sup> Wed. & Sat. 9-3

### **Coos Art Museum**

235 Anderson Ave Tue-Fri 10-4

Sat 1-4

### **Marshfield Sun Printing Museum**

1049 N Front St

summer Tues-Sat 1-4  
can call for appt's

### **Coos History Museum**

1210 N Front St

Tues-Sun 10-5

### Directions:

**Start** at Front Street Community Bike Works (791 N Front St.)

Right (south) on Front Street to end of boardwalk pathway go over railroad tracks near rail bridge

Right (north) up past the trucks and rail lines onto Hall Ave.

**Oregon Coast Railway Museum** on right behind fish and chip restaurant

Right (west) on Hall Ave. past set of lights

Right (north) on S 2<sup>nd</sup> St. (4 blocks) - **Coos Art Museum on left**

Left (east) on Anderson (less than a block)

Right (north) on S 3rd St.

Right (east) on Market Ave.

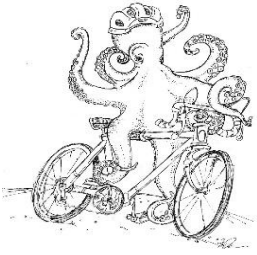
Left (north) on Front Street past the shop – **Marshfield Sun Printing Museum 3 blocks up on left**

**Coos Historical Museum and Maritime Collection just up ahead**

Left (south) back down Front St

**End** back at shop

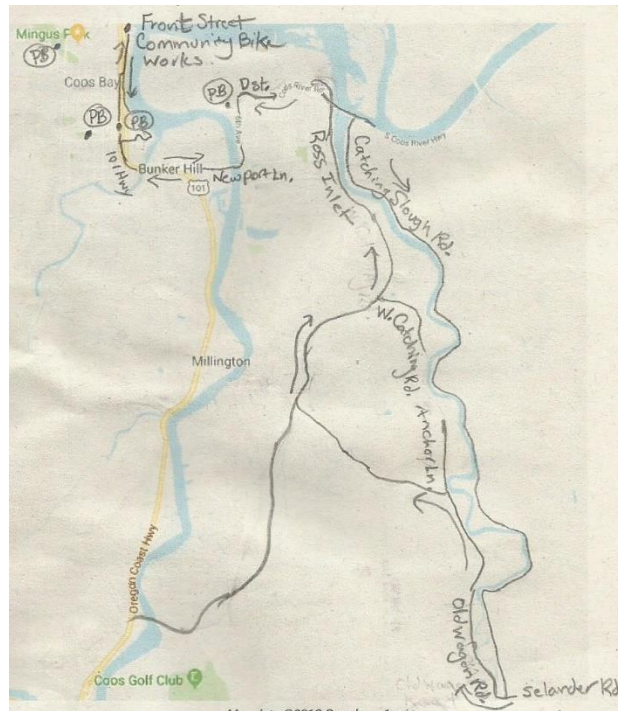
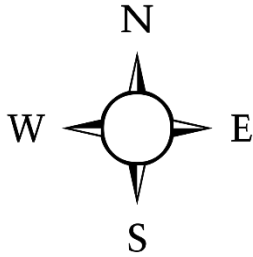
## Sightseer Rides



# Front Street Community Bike Works City Bike Riding Trails

## CATCHING SLOUGH COUNTRY RIDE

One of our biking friends Daniel loves this ride. It is a ride that starts on a picturesque tour of the slough for about 10 miles. As you head back on a country road called Old Wagon Road you will be able to view some of the farms in the community. If you prefer hills on the first part of your ride do Ross Inlet/Old Wagon Road first and then come back on Catching Slough. Either way this ride is very beautiful. About 21 miles.



### **(PB)**---Public Bathrooms

- 1-Visitor Center  
50 Central Ave.
- 2- City Hall  
500 Central Ave.
- 3- Mingus Park  
Two off 10<sup>th</sup> St
- 4-Eastside Park  
Btwn D & E St. on 5<sup>th</sup> Ave  
(sanican)

### Directions:

**Start** at Front Street Community Bike Works (791 N Front Street, Coos Bay)

Right (south) on Front Street to end of boardwalk pathway go over railroad tracks near rail bridge

Right (north) up past the trucks at the warehouse

Left (south) on S Front St. which is the road near Safeway to Johnson Ave.

Right (west) on Johnson Ave. 2 blocks

Left (south) on Broadway St. (Hwy 101 one way) over bridge

Left (east) on Newport Ln. -Coos River/Allegany exit

Left (north) on 6<sup>th</sup> Ave

Right (east) on D St which becomes Coos River Rd.

Right on Catching Slough Rd. after bridge. Enjoy the ride about 9 miles of beautiful water and country

Left at Selander Rd. over bridge and immediately turn

Right on Old Wagon Rd.

Right on Ross Inlet. Go under bridge and get back on Coos River Hwy

Right on Coos River Hwy becomes D Street

Left (south) on 6<sup>th</sup> Avenue

Right (west) on Newport lane over bridge

Right (north) on N Hwy 101 one way (Bayshore Dr., First Ave)

Right (east) on Cedar Avenue

**End** at bike shop

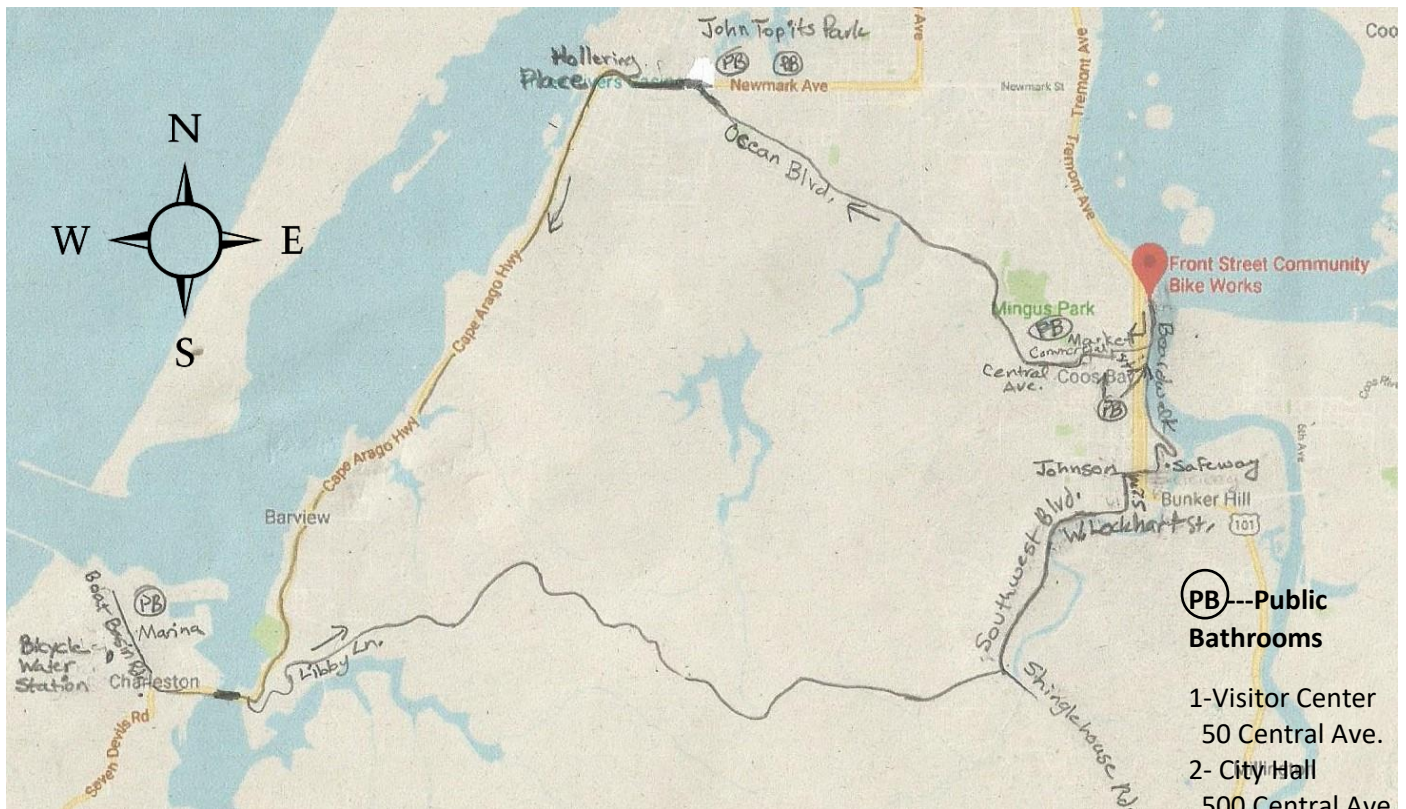
## Sightseer Rides



# Front Street Community Bike Works City Bike Riding Trails

## CHARLESTON COASTAL CLASSIC

Serious cyclists enjoy this ride. You get a great view of the ocean as you head down Cape Arago Hwy. Charleston is the classic beach town with small shops and a fish market. There is even a watering station for cyclists right in front of the local coffee shop. Cycling tourists from all over the world come through as they go south along the 101 scenic biking route. This route is about 19 miles.



**PB**---Public  
Bathrooms

- 1-Visitor Center  
50 Central Ave.
- 2- City Hall  
500 Central Ave.
- 3- Mingus Park  
Two off 10<sup>th</sup> St
- 4-John Topits Park  
Two at parking lots
- 5-Charleston Marina  
Near docks

### Directions:

**Start** at Front Street Community Bike Works (791 N Front St)

Right (south) on Front St.

Right (west) on Market Ave.

Left (south) on 4<sup>th</sup> one block

Right (north) on Commercial

Left (south) at fork of road (N 7<sup>th</sup> St.)

Right (west) on road that becomes Central Ave. (next to McKays market) then becomes Ocean Blvd.

Left (west) on Newmark Ave. and follow around

Left (south) on Cape Arago Hwy there is a bike lane to **Charleston (rest and tour around)**

**On way back**, north on Cape Arago Hwy

Right (east) on Libby Lane (no bike lane available).

Left (north) on Southwest Blvd. becomes Lockhart St.

Left (north) on 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave.

Right (east) on Johnson to side road (Front Street) next to railroad tracks and Safeway and go left (north) one block

Right (east) on Ingersoll past warehouse parking towards railroad tracks and get on boardwalk near railroad bridge

**End** going left (north) to shop

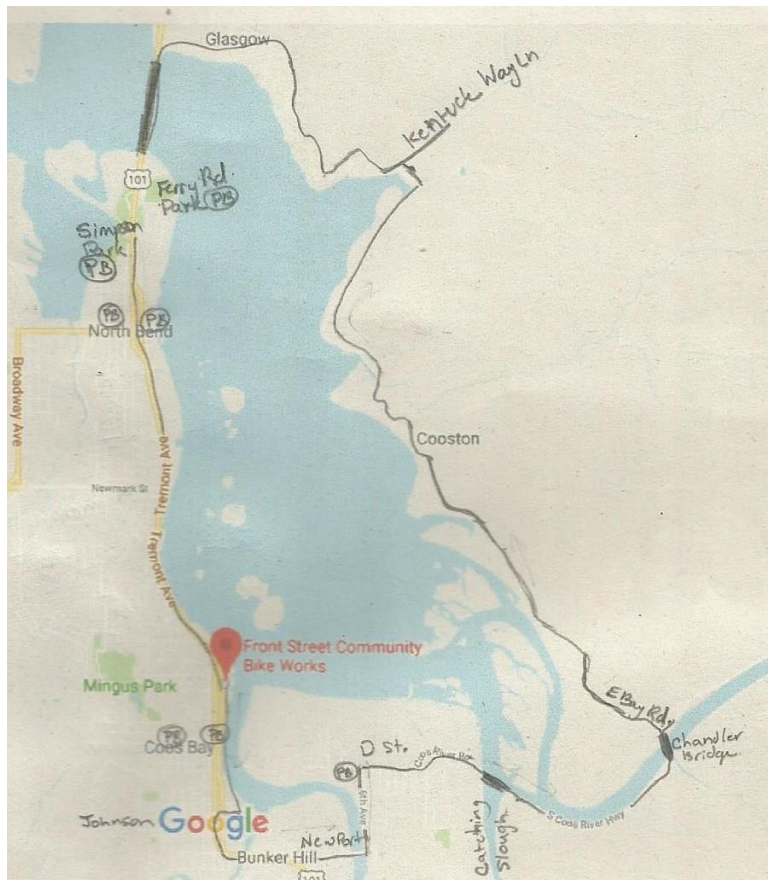
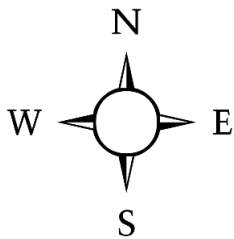
## Sightseer Rides



# Front Street Community Bike Works City Bike Riding Trails

## CIRCLE THE BAY

Circle the Bay is a popular ride with cyclists. It is just a beautiful around the bay. It is about 18 miles long. There are several scenic bridges that you will cross on this ride. It is best to head south first and circle north to return on the historic North Bend Bridge. On windy afternoons, it is best to go from north to south over this bridge as it can get quite gusty. At the end of the bridge are two great parks: Ferry Rd. and Simpson if you would like to stop and rest.



### **(PB)** --Public Bathrooms

- 1-Visitor Center  
50 Central Ave.
- 2- City Hall  
500 Central Ave.
- 3- Eastside Park  
Btwn D & E St. on 5<sup>th</sup> Ave  
(sanican)
- 4-Ferry Rd. Park  
496 Park Ave.
- 5-Simpson Park -Visitor  
Center  
Off Hwy 101
- 6- Boardwalk Boat Basin  
End of California St,  
North Bend
- 7- City Hall  
835 California St., North Bend

### Directions:

**Start** at Front Street Community Bike Works (791 N Front Street, Coos Bay)  
Right (south) on Front Street to end of boardwalk pathway go over railroad tracks near rail bridge  
Right (north) up past the trucks at the warehouse  
Left (south) on S Front St. which is the road near Safeway to Johnson Ave.  
Right (west) on Johnson Ave. 2 blocks  
Left (south) on Broadway St. (Hwy 101 one way) over bridge  
Left (east) on Newport Ln. -Coos River/Allegany exit  
Left (north) on 6<sup>th</sup> Ave  
Right (east) on D St which becomes Coos River Rd. and then after bridge becomes Coos River Hwy  
Left (north west) over Chandler Bridge on E Bay Rd. all the way to Hwy 101  
Left (south) over North Bend Bridge and stop at one of the parks if you like  
Keep going south on Hwy 101 until entrance to left to Front Street (across from lumber yard and Red Lion)  
**End** at bike shop

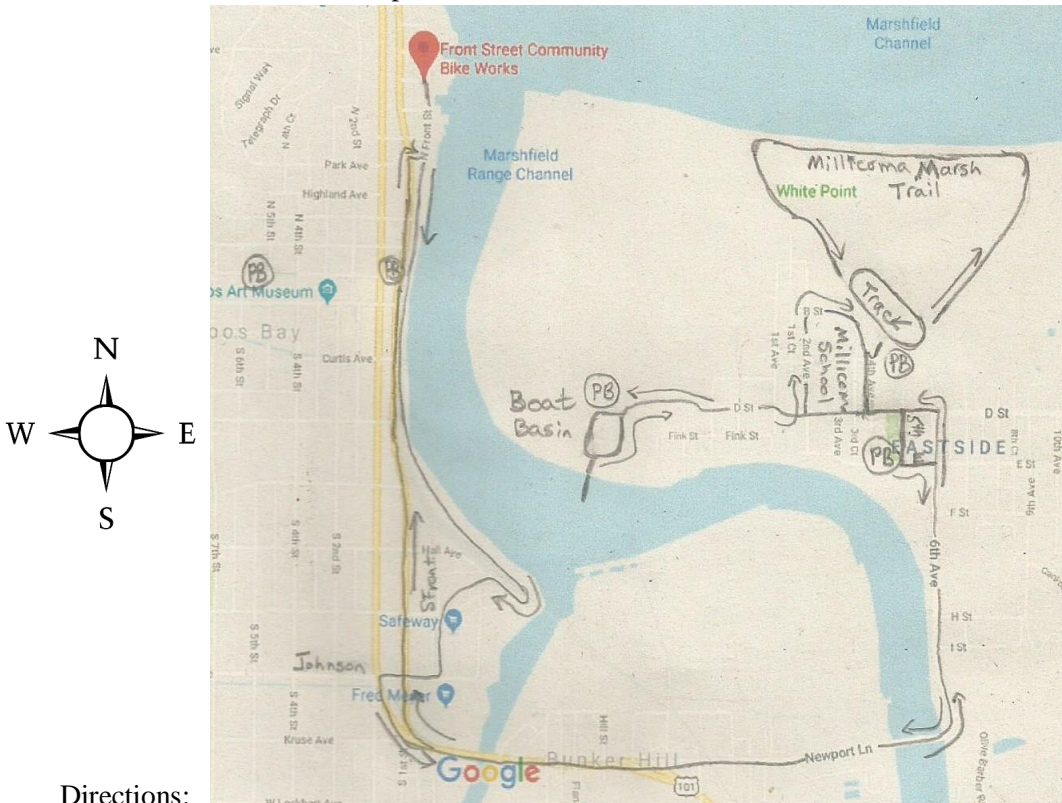
## Sightseer Rides



# Front Street Community Bike Works City Bike Riding Trails

## MILLICOMA MARSH RIDE

The Millicoma Marsh Ride is a scenic tour from the eastside district of town and is about 8-8 1/2 miles long. You will be able to see the hills surrounding Coos Bay from the public boat launch dock and then view the whole bay as you ride around the marsh. The marsh trail itself is unpaved and grassy. It is best to do in dry months. Bring binoculars if you have them to view the bird species who inhabit the area.



### (PB)--Public Bathrooms

- 1-Visitor Center  
50 Central Ave.
- 2- City Hall  
500 Central Ave.
- 3-Eastside boat basin  
End of D St.
- 4-Millicoma school track  
4<sup>th</sup> Ave (sanican)
- 5- Eastside Park  
Btwn D & E St. on 5<sup>th</sup> Ave  
(sanican)

### Directions:

**Start** at Front Street Community Bike Works (791 N Front St.)

Right (south) on Front Street to end of boardwalk pathway go over railroad tracks near rail bridge

Right (north) up past the trucks at the warehouse

Left (south) on S Front St. road near Safeway that pasts Napa Auto Parts to Johnson Ave.

Right (west) on Johnson Ave. 2 blocks

Left (south) on Broadway St. (Hwy 101 one way) over bridge

Left (east) on Newport Ln. -Coos River/Allegany exit over bridge

Left (north) on 6<sup>th</sup> Ave

Left (west) on D St to end at **Eastside boat basin** (rest)

Right (east) on D St.

Left (north) on 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave.

Right (east) on B St which becomes 4<sup>th</sup> Ave. near school, go down to track and head for the **Millicoma Marsh Trail**

Left (south) on 4<sup>th</sup> Ave.

Left (east) on D St one block

Right (south) on 5<sup>th</sup> one block

Left (east) on E Street

Right (south) on 6<sup>th</sup> Ave

Right (west) on Newport Ln across bridge

Right (north) on Bayshore Dr. (Hwy 101) to Front St.

**End** at bike shop



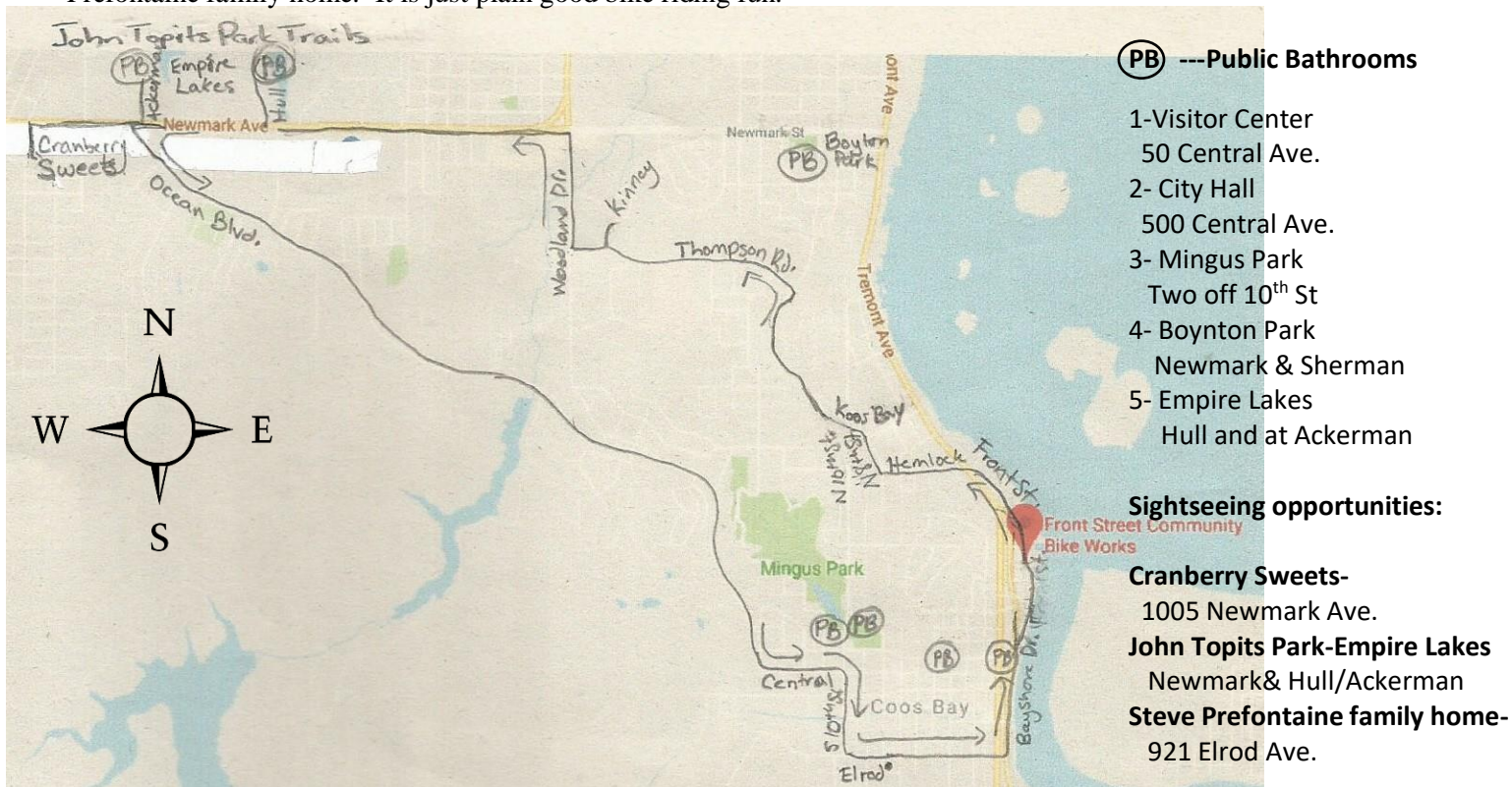
## Sightseer Rides



# Front Street Community Bike Works City Bike Riding Trails

## RIDE THE WAVE

If you'd like to experience part of the route that legendary runner Steve Prefontaine would train on, then choose this ride as it takes you through parts of the city and ends on Steve's Ocean Blvd. run home. This route is 8 ½ miles long and takes you close to Cranberry Sweets (taste testing encouraged). Steve would have bypassed this stop but you don't have to. John Topits Park Trails are on this route too (see appendix). Near the end of the ride you will pass the Prefontaine family home. It is just plain good bike riding fun.



### Directions:

**Start** at Front Street Community Bike Works (791 N Front Street)

Left (north) on Front street past Coos History Museum until the end

Left (west) to Hemlock Ave. crossing Hwy 101. Red Lion Hotel on right hand side

Right (north) on N 8<sup>th</sup> St one block

Left (west) on Coos Bay Blvd.

Right (north) on N 10<sup>th</sup> St.

Left (west) on Thompson Rd

Left (west) on Kinney Rd.

Right (north) on Woodland Dr.

Left (west) on Newmark Ave. (Ride John Topits Park and/ or go to Cranberry Sweets a little past Ocean Blvd.)

Get back on Newmark and go (south) on Ocean Blvd. (**enjoy the wave on the way back**)

Left (east) on Central Ave.

Right (south) on S 10<sup>th</sup> St

Left (east) on Elrod Ave (**past Prefontaine home**)

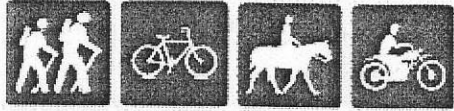
Left (north) on Hwy 101 Bayshore Dr. -second set of lights

Right (north) on Front St.

**End** at the shop

**APPENDIX:**

# Blue Ridge Trail System



**Length :** 12 Miles of trail

**Difficulty:** Moderate

**Surface:** Dirt, gravel

**Access:**

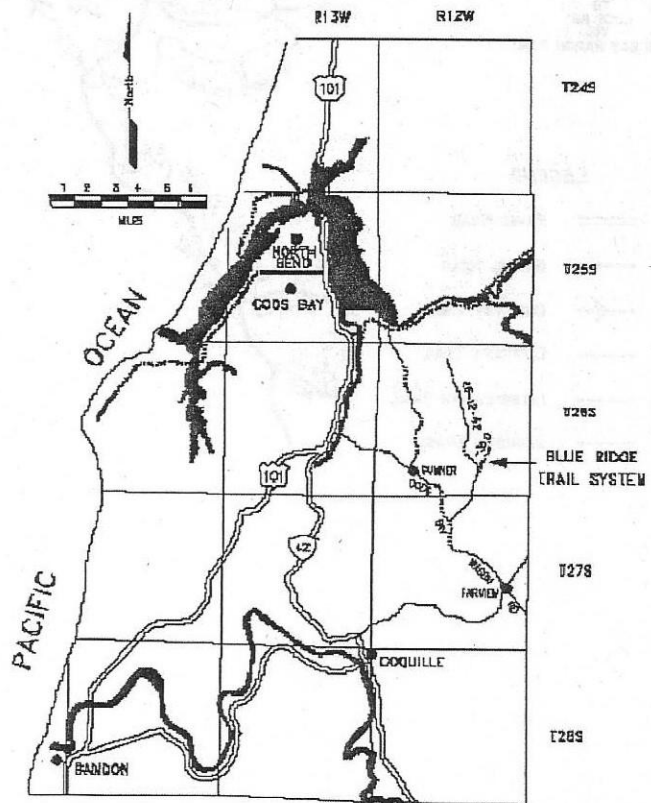
**From Coos Bay** – From the south end of Coos Bay, head 4 miles south on US 101 and turn left onto Coos-Summer Lane. Continue on for 7.6 miles. Turn left onto Blue Ridge Road (BLM Rd. # 26-12-4.2). Continue on for 2.4 miles and turn right onto Rd. # 26-12-35.0. Go 0.1 miles and turn right onto Rd. #26-12-35.1. Go 0.9 miles and turn left onto Rd. # 26-12-35.4. Continue on 0.3 miles to the parking area.

**From Coquille** – From the northwest end of Coquille, head 10.2 miles northwest on Hwy. 42 (which merges into US 101) and turn right onto Coos Summer Lane. Follow directions for Coos Bay.

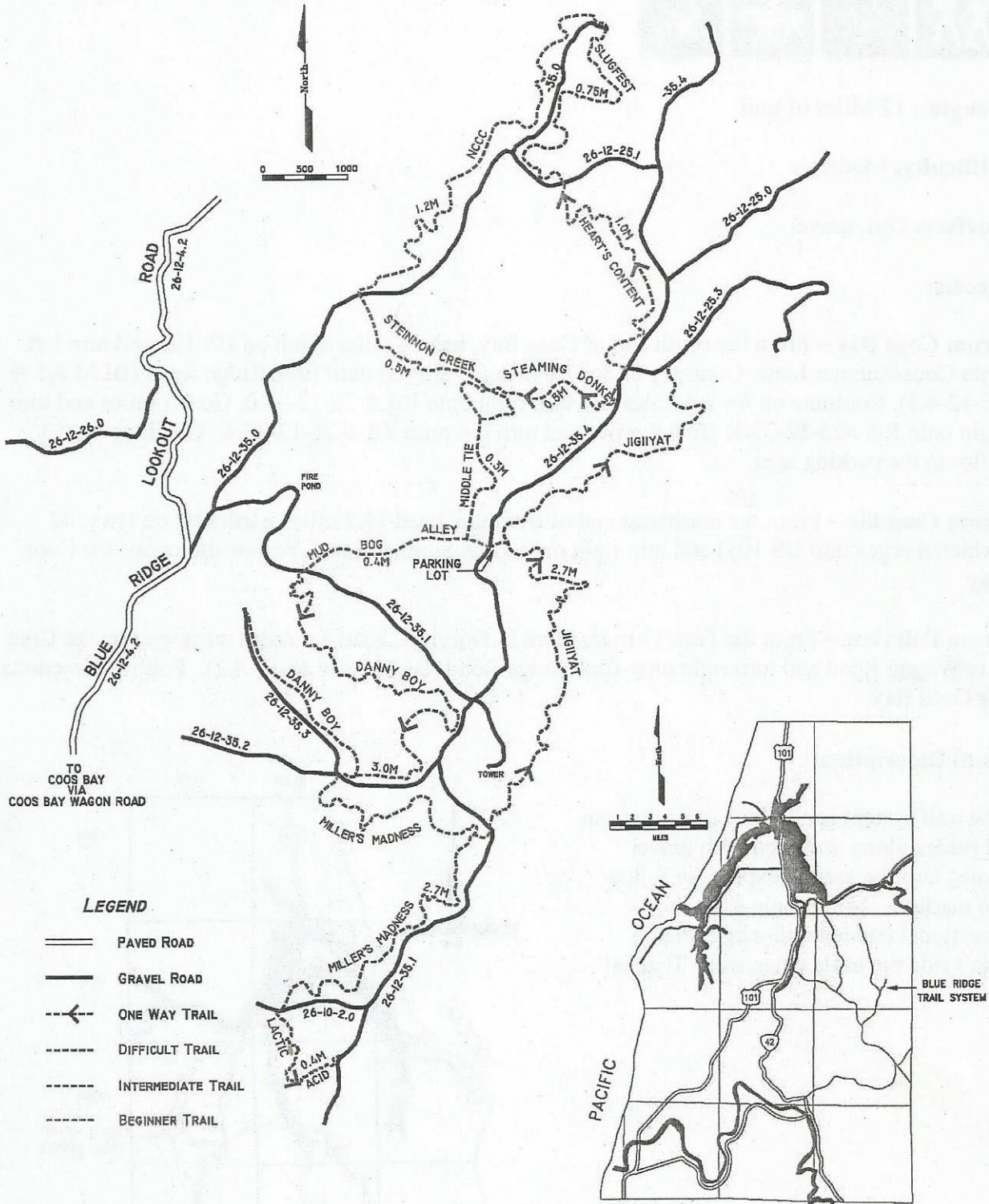
**From Fairview** – From the Four Corners Store at Fairview, head 4.6 miles northwest on the Coos Bay Wagon Road and turn right onto Blue Ridge Road (BLM Rd # 26-12-4.2). Follow Directions for Coos Bay.

**Trail Description:**

The trail system is a web of trails that can be ridden alone or linked with gravel roads. Use the map to explore or follow the markers. Note: some trails are directional (ridden one-way). Please don't ride the trails when wet! Thanks!



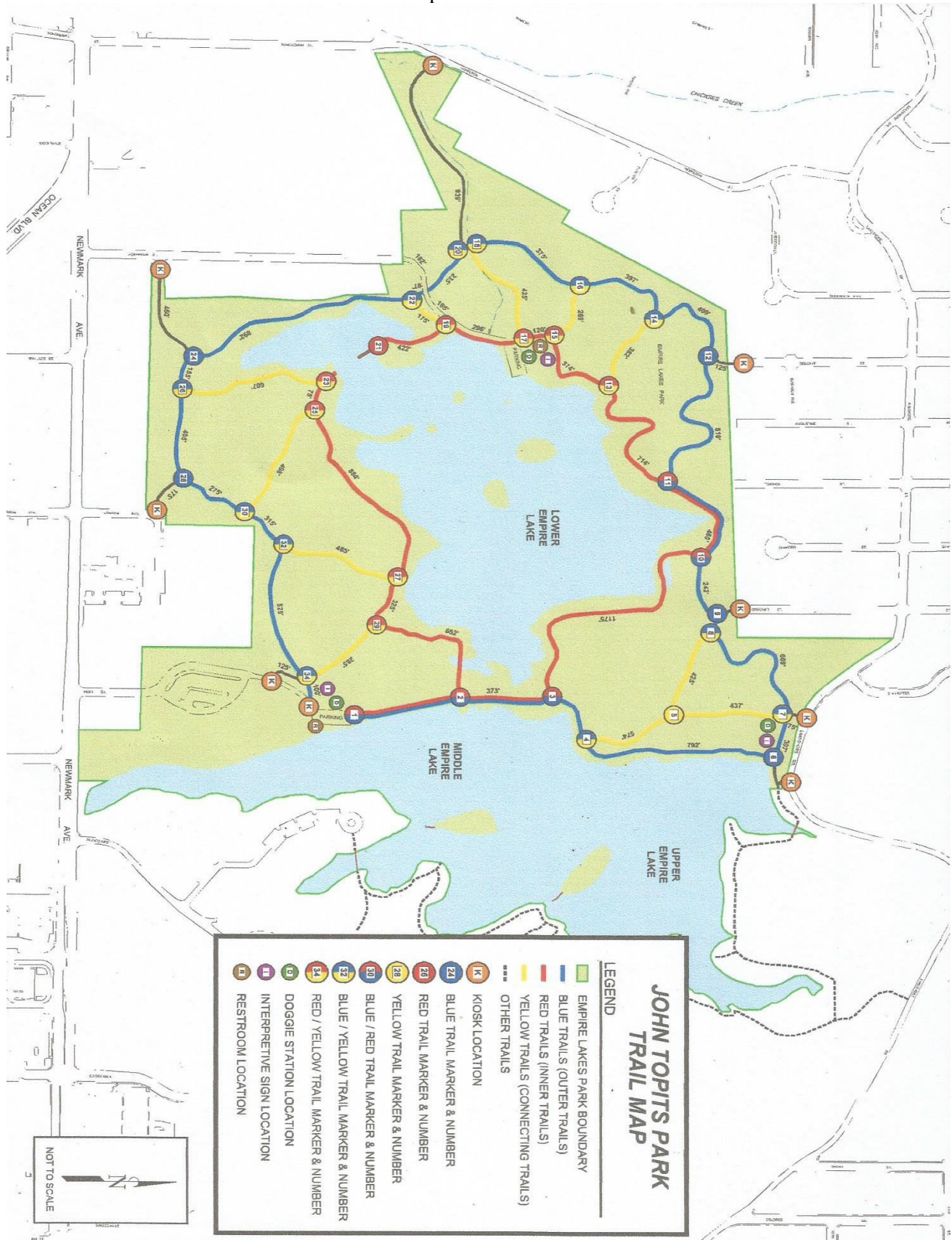
# BLUE RIDGE TRAIL SYSTEM



**APPENDIX:**

**JOHN TOPITS TRAIL MAP**

John Topits Park is off Newmark Avenue near Southwestern Oregon Community College. Trails circle around Empire Lakes in Coos Bay. It is made up of leisurely paths with small up and down hill action. GREAT FOR BEGINNERS. Watch for pedestrians. Public bathrooms available.



**JOHN TOPITS PARK TRAIL MAP**

**LEGEND**

- EMPIRE LAKES PARK BOUNDARY
- BLUE TRAILS (OUTER TRAILS)
- RED TRAILS (INNER TRAILS)
- YELLOW TRAILS (CONNECTING TRAILS)
- OTHER TRAILS
- KIOSK LOCATION
- DOGGIE STATION LOCATION
- INTERPRETIVE SIGN LOCATION
- RESTROOM LOCATION
- BLUE TRAIL MARKER & NUMBER
- BLUE / RED TRAIL MARKER & NUMBER
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**APPENDIX:**

**MINGUS PARK TRAILS**

Mingus Park has some hidden trails that are behind the pond. They surround the disc golf course. They tend to be intense uphill and downhill action so they are good to use for the routes where you want a good workout. There are several trailheads in and out of the park so you can get in and out easily.



**APPENDIX:**

**WHISKEY RUN TRAIL MAP**

This is strictly mountain biking trails close to the city of Bandon. Great fun from beginner to advanced mountain bikers. It opened in late 2017 and has 10 miles of off road awesomeness. More is expected to be built in the coming years. **No public bathrooms available.**

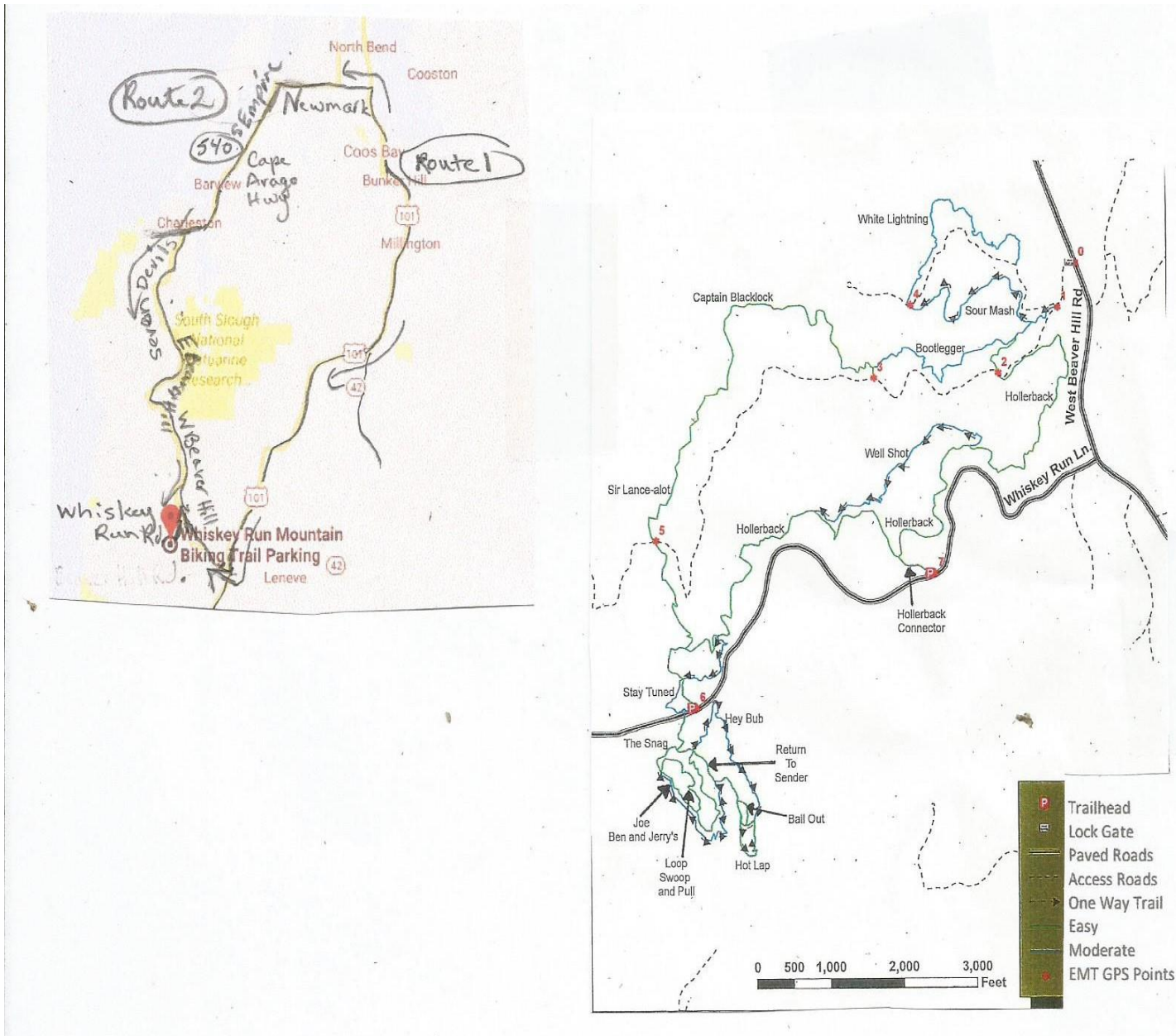
There are two ways to get there by car.

**Route 1: about 20 miles**

South and then eventually West US-101 S out of Coos Bay  
Turn **right** onto W Beaver Hill Rd.  
Turn **left** onto Whiskey Run Ln  
Trails on right about a mile or so down the road-2 trailheads with parking (more room at 1st one)

**Route 2: about 23 miles**

Start out going **north** on N Bayshore Dr/US-101 N..  
Turn **left** onto Newmark St. (Newmark St becomes Newmark Ave/OR-540/Cape Arago Highway)  
Turn **left** onto S Empire Blvd/OR-540. Continue to follow OR-540 (Cape Arago Hwy)  
Turn **slight left** onto Seven Devils Rd (turns into E Beaver Hill & then W Beaver Hill Rd.)  
Turn **right** onto Whiskey Run Ln.  
Trails on right about a mile or so down the road-2 trailheads with parking (more room at 1<sup>st</sup> one)



**APPENDIX:**

**WINCHESTER TRAILS**

**Coostrails.com information:** The trail system is located 12 mi. south of Coos Bay on Hwy. 101. At milepost 251, park on the right side (on the gravel) just prior to an uphill with a passing lane. Winchester trails are used primarily by mountain bikers and motorcycles. The trails challenge even the best of riders. There are lots of ruts, roots, steep terrain, and other obstacles on the 17 miles of winding single track. **NOT A GOOD TRAIL FOR BEGINNERS.**

If you have not been to this trail system in a while you should be aware that the actual trail mileage is down to 17 miles from the original 30 miles. After Oregon Parks and Recreation Department terminated funding for the project, the trails are being maintained sporadically by volunteers and the signage is not maintained at all. The map is not up to date but is still quite useful in navigating the trail system.

This is an active commercial timber forest so trail closures can be posted at any time, which may impede your access. The gravel roads are intended for **COMMERCIAL TRAFFIC** only, except for short distances when traveling from one trail to another, please keep your speed down and eyes open. Don't forget to check for summer fire season restrictions before embarking on your trail adventure. The land the trails are on is owned by Coos County and managed by their Forestry Department.

