

Walden to Boston: Bike Ride for Climate Rescue

Saturday, March 24, 2007

→You can join the Bike Ride at either Walden Pond
or Herter Park, along Soldier's Field Road in Brighton ←

***In conjunction with the "Interfaith Walk for Climate Rescue"
Northampton to Boston, 3/16 to 3/24***

It's time to stop feeling overwhelmed by global warming and start demanding that our leaders lead. Climate change threatens our children, our economy, our national security, biodiversity, and the poorest and most vulnerable of the earth's people. We must each do our part, but individual action is not enough -- on March 24, we will raise our united voices to pledge ourselves and demand that our city, state, and national leaders take immediate and effective action to gain a 80% reduction of global warming pollution by 2050. Starting Now!

Schedule for Climate Rescue Day:

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| 10:00 am | <i>Walkers assemble at Christ Church, Zero Garden St., Cambridge for last leg of state-wide march</i> |
| 12:00 noon | Bike riders gather at Walden Pond and begin cycling to Copley Square, Boston (16 miles) |
| 2:00 PM | Bike ride stops at Herter Park, Solider's Field Road in Brighton then continues to Boston (3 miles) |
| 3-4:30 pm | Rally/Concert for Climate Rescue, Copley Square |

Please join us on March 24 to make your voice heard in a mass call for:

80% Reduction in Global Warming Pollution by 2050

→Getting to Walden Pond: * Ride your bike. * Take your bike on the Commuter Rail to Concord Depot, then ride to Walden (1.7 miles). * Parking is available at Walden (although please bike!); after the Rally take Commuter Rail from North Station to Concord Depot, or ride as a group back to Walden.

→Getting to Herter Park: * Ride your bike. * Parking is available (although please bike!)

To learn more about the Interfaith Walk, please see <http://climategwalk.org>. For more information about the Walden to Boston bike ride, please contact: Steve Miller (LivableStreets Alliance) WaldenToBoston@comcast.net

WALDEN TO BOSTON: CLIMATE RESCUE DAY BIKE ROUTE (17 miles)

- * Parking Lot across Concord Rd. from Walden Pond
- L Walden St. (becomes Concord Rd.)
- L Baker Bridge Rd.
- R Sandy Pond Rd
- S Trapelo Rd (go over rte. 128)
- R Smith St.
- S Wyman St.
- L Winter St.
- S Lincoln St.
- R Lexington St. (to Waltham Center)
- L Main St. (to end of Commons)
- R Elm St.
- L River St.
- S Pleasant St. (thru Watertown Sq.)
- R Charles River Rd.
- R N. Beacon St.
- L Charles River Rd.
- R Arsenal St. (go over Charles River)
- L Dr. Paul Dudley White bike path
- * Herter Park (Join second group of riders)
- S Dr. Paul Dudley White bike path (past Harvard & BU)
- R Dartmouth St. overpass (over Storrow Dr.)
- L Back St.
- R Claredon St.
- R Boylston St.
- L into Copley Sq.

FROM CONCORD DEPOT COMMUTER RAIL STATION TO WALDEN (1.7 miles)

- * Concord Depot Commuter Rail Station
- R Thoreau St. (Rt. 2A)
- R Walden St. (after crossing Rt. 2, it is now also labeled Rt. 126)
- * Walden Pond Parking Lot on left side of road.

COMMUTER RAIL OPTIONS

Inbound (from Fitchburg): #1408 arrives at Concord Depot at 11:59

Outbound (from Boston): #1407 arrives at Concord Depot at 12:03

After the rally: #1411 leaves North Station at 5:30 PM, arrives at Concord Depot at 6:15