

## ELLETT-CHRISTIANSBURG ALTERNATE ROUTE

If your bike is capable of riding on loose gravel and dirt roads, consider the following option for a return to Blacksburg by not turning right at mile 12.1.

**STARTING POINT:** Food Time Grocery Store in Ellett at the intersection of Lusters Gate Rd. (SR 723) and Den Hill Rd. (SR 603)

**DISTANCE:** 18.4 miles

**TERRAIN:** All hills

### **MILE DIRECTIONS**

- 0.0 From Food Time, go left onto Den Hill Rd. (SR 603).
- 0.9 Continue on Den Hill Rd., which becomes SR 641 when SR 603 forks to the left.
- 4.0 Pass under I-81.
- 4.2 Pass under railroad tracks.
- 5.1 Left onto Roanoke St. (SR 11/US 460).
- 5.2 Right onto Wayside Dr. (SR 641).
- 6.5 Enter Christiansburg.
- 7.3 Left onto Roanoke St. (SR 11/US 460).
- 9.2 Waffle House.
- 10.0 Continue straight at traffic light on Roanoke St. (US 460 Business/SR 11).
- 11.0 Right onto Depot St. (SR 11 West).

### **MILE DIRECTIONS (continued)**

- 12.1 Right onto Cambria St.
- 12.7 Bear right onto Yellow Sulphur Rd. (SR 643). Cambria St. turns left here.
- 12.8 Bridge over I-81.
- 13.5 Road changes from paved to gravel.
- 16.4 Right onto Jennelle Rd.
- 16.7 Pass under bridge for Smart Road.
- 17.9 Cross railroad tracks.
- 18.2 Pass Ellett Rd. on right.
- 18.4 Return to Start.

Restrooms are available in Food Time at the start of the ride.

