

BRADSHAW-CATAWBA ALTERNATE ROUTE 2

The route descends into Ellett Valley, crosses a mountain with seven switchbacks, and finishes with a long climb up Harding Ave. into Blacksburg.

STARTING POINT: At the War Memorial Chapel on the Virginia Tech Campus

DISTANCE: 57.4 miles

TERRAIN: Long, hilly route on rural roads

MILE DIRECTIONS

- 0.0 Proceed around Drillfield.
- 0.4 Left on West Campus Drive.
- 0.8 Continue straight on Stadium Drive.
- 1.0 Right onto Spring St.
- 1.3 Left onto South Gate Dr.
- 2.0 Right onto Airport Rd.
- 2.6 Left onto Hubbard St.
- 3.0 Straight onto SR 603 (Ellett Rd./Cedar Run Rd.).
- 5.2 Left onto SR 642 (Jennelle Rd.).
- 5.7 Right onto SR 603 (Dell Hill Rd.).
- 6.6 Continue to the left on SR 603 (North Fork Rd.).

MILE DIRECTIONS (continued)

- 11.8 Left onto SR 622 (Reesedale Rd.).
- 14.5 Left to continue on SR 622 (Flatwoods Rd.).
- 17.3 Left onto SR 629 (Bradshaw Rd.).
- 31.0 Left onto SR 864 (Old Catawba Rd.).
- 33.6 Left onto SR 311. Be alert, this road can be busy.
- 35.4 Left onto SR 785 (Blacksburg Rd.).
- 53.2 Continue straight on SR 785 (Harding Ave.).
- 56.3 Continue straight on Harding Ave.
- 56.7 Right onto Progress St., then left on Wilson Ave.
- 57.1 Right onto Main St., left on VPI Mall Dr.
- 57.4 Return to War Memorial Chapel.

