

# Hanovertown

Odm	Cue	Rte	Road	Leg
	<b>Start</b>		Hanover County Gov't Complex	
0.0	L	1005	County Complex Rd	0.1
0.1	R	301	Hanover Courthouse Rd ⚠	0.2
0.3	R	1004	Firehouse Rd	0.3
0.6	R	614	Normans Bridge Road (becomes Etna Mills Rd)	4.7
5.3	<b>STR</b>	601	Calno Road	2.8
8.1	R	30	King William Road ⚠	2.6
10.7	R	604	Dabneys Mill Road	4.4
15.1	R	604	Dabneys Mill Road (at Manfield Rd)	0.9
16.0	R	652	Mahixon Road	2.9
18.9	L	615	Nelson Bridge Rd	3.2
22.1	L	605	River Rd (becomes Hanover Town Rd)	5.4
27.5	R	606	Studley Rd ⚠	1.8
29.3	R	615	Williamsville Rd	3.0
32.3	L	605	River Rd	4.3
36.6	R	301	Hanover Courthouse Rd ⚠	1.1
37.7	R	1005	Library Drive	0.1
37.8	<b>END</b>		Hanover County Gov't Complex	

## Important Notes:

1. The roads in the Central Virginia are not designed for cycling. Among other concerns, many of the roads have little to no shoulder, high speed limits, and blind turns. The fact that a road is included on this cue sheet does not mean that the road is considered safe for cycling. Always exercise extreme care when cycling on central Virginia roads.
2. Do not look at this cue sheet or map while riding. It is not safe to take your eyes off the road, even for a second. Always come to a complete stop first.

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## Route Description

This route is a 38 mile loop ride from the Hanover Government Center (often called the "Hanover Courthouse"). As with many of the Hanover Courthouse routes, this route includes a climb up Bleak Hill. The route is named for Hanovetown, the site of Hanover's first major settlement (1676). Cornwallis burned warehouses and destroyed military supplies at Hanover in 1781. The settlement was still in existence in 1864, when the Army of the Potomac passed through on the way to Cold Harbor. However, only a monument on River Road remains now to mark the existence of Hanover. Although not listed on the cue sheet, there is an optional store stop at the Studley Store at mile 27.5.



**Ferry (i.e., Pontoon Bridge) over the Pumunkey River at Hanover (1864)**