

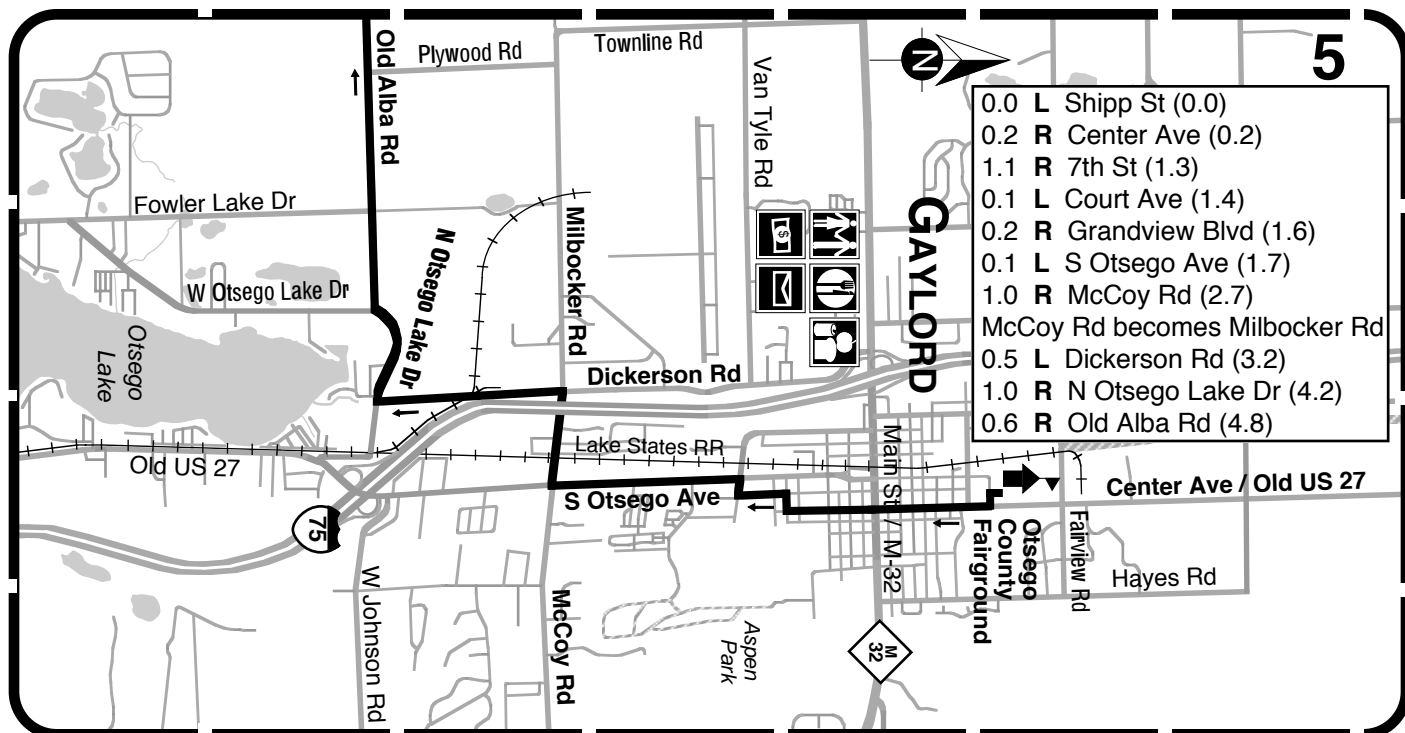
**DAY 2 MONDAY, JULY 19, 2010
GAYLORD TO BELLAIRE, MICHIGAN**

38.6 MILES

After the first five miles or so of dealing with morning traffic in Gaylord, today's ride becomes decidedly rural. Early in the day we cruise a relatively flat route past a mixture of woodlands and open fields. As the day progresses toward Bellaire the landscape transitions more to woods and rolling hills. Services are very limited today so be sure to pack your hand sanitizer and some tissue paper in case you find yourself in need of a "rustic" bathroom stop. The only points along today's route to pick up a snack are a few miles before we get to the village of Alba and in Alba itself. Many of you will likely make it to Bellaire in time for a late lunch. Alba is also where the mountain bike riders can break off of the paved route and head into the beautiful Jordan River Valley. We've mapped out a nine mile section of unimproved roads for you to get a little grit in your gears. If you take this optional route it will add about four and a half miles to your overall mileage today. Once we get to Bellaire High School you will find that camping space is somewhat limited. Please be considerate and use space efficiently when you set up your tent. After stopping by the nightly rider meeting you may want to take a short walk into Bellaire. A popular destination will be Short's Brewery where the band, Boyne River Remedy, begins its show at 7:30pm.

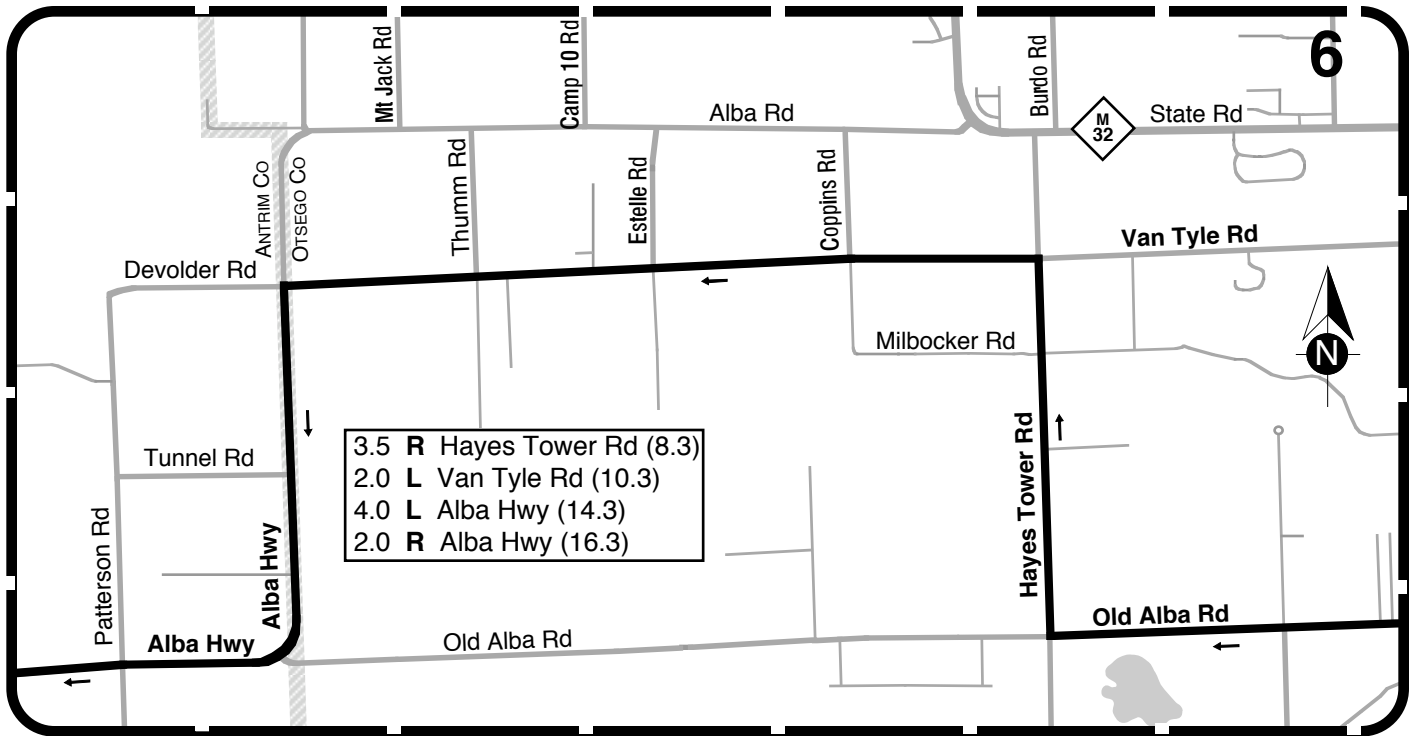
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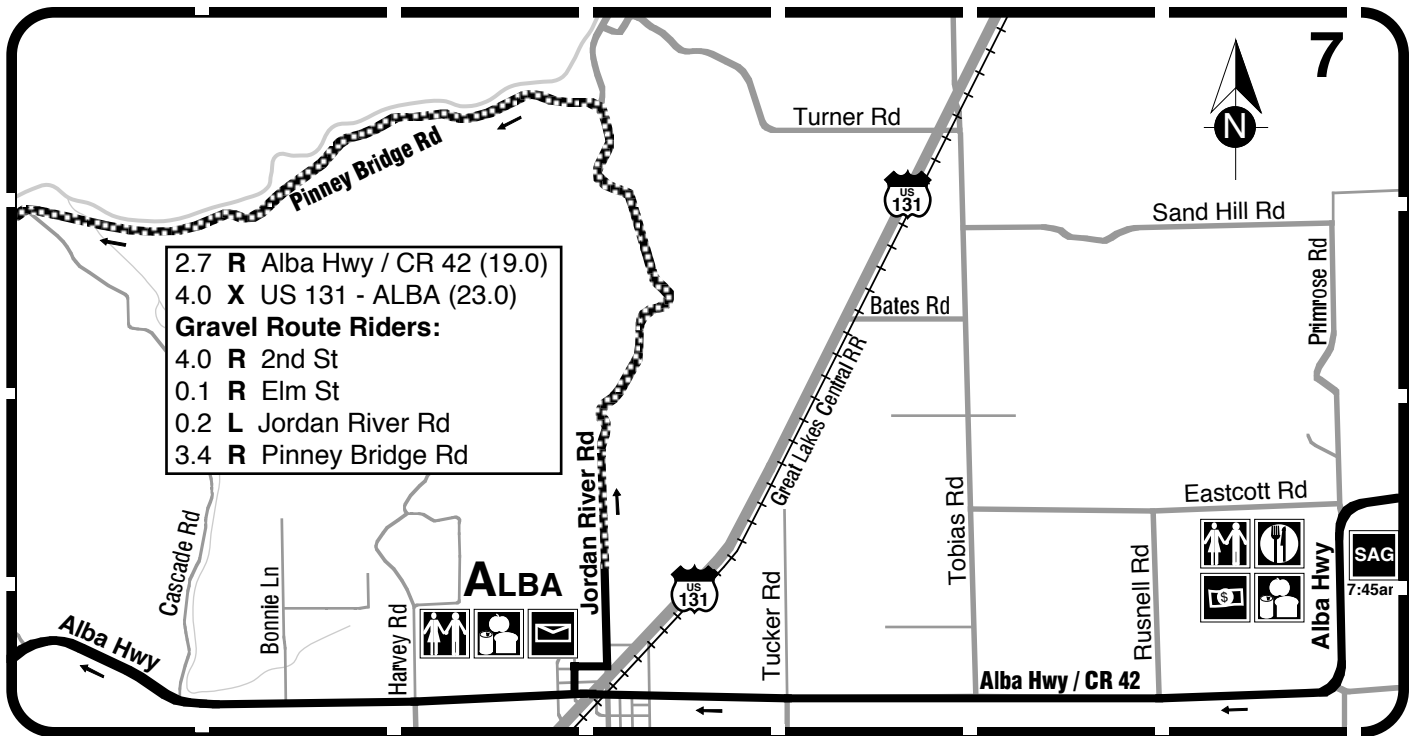
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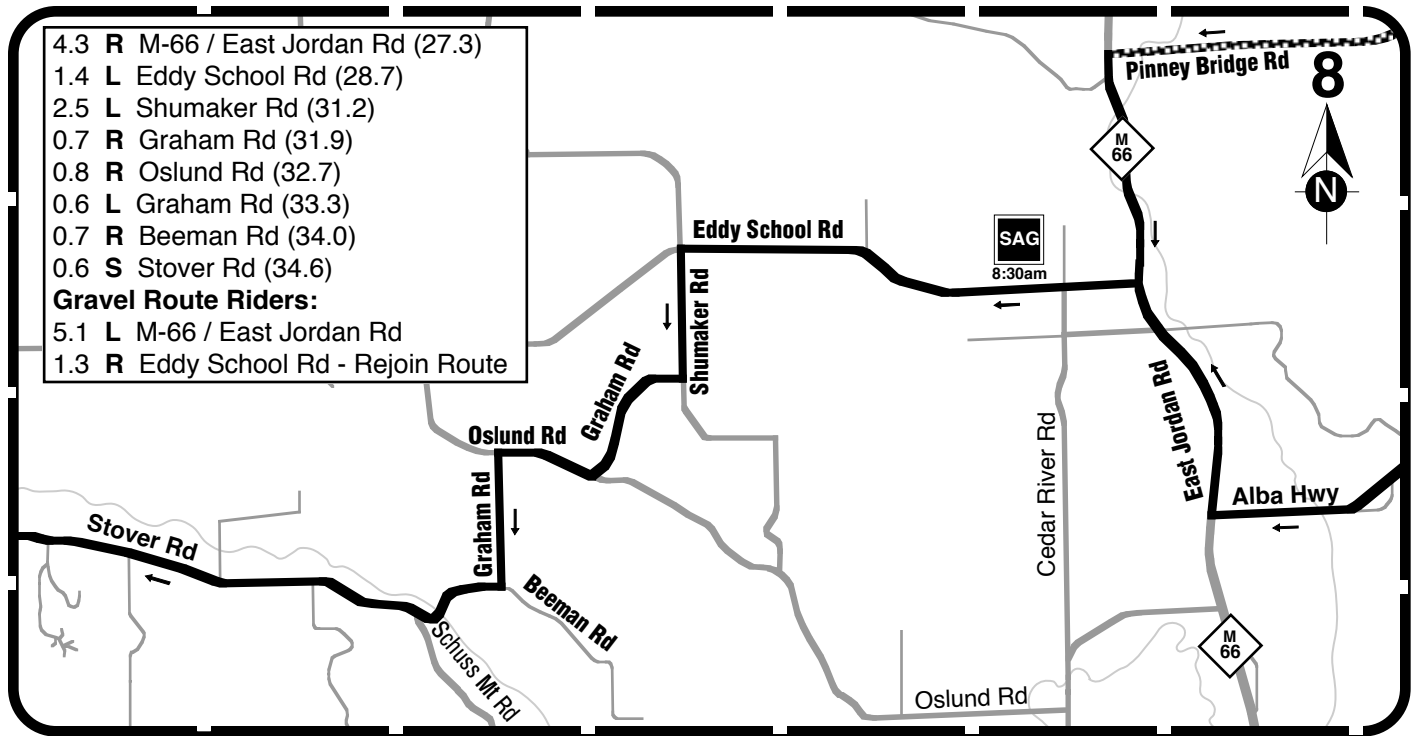
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