

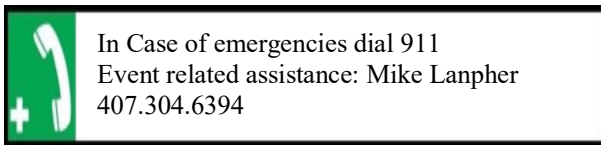
Greenville City Parks

5K Walk

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1. Exit Springhill Suites hotel to Washington St.
2. **Left** at Washington St.
3. **Immediate Left** at S. Spring St. (Street name changes to Falls St. after 2 blocks)
4. **Left** at E. Broad St.
5. **Right** at McDaniel Ave.
6. **Immediate Slight right** on path into McDaniel/Greene Garden. Exit opposite side.
7. **Right** at McDaniel Greene crossing to sidewalk.
8. **Cross & Left** at Sherwood St. **POI: 1**
9. **Left** at Ridgeland Dr. to crosswalk.
10. **Right** at McDaniel Ave/traffic light.
11. **Right** at Swamp Rabbit Trail (**SRT**), green sign, downhill towards Major Anderson Memorial (F-86 Saber Jet) display. **POIs: 2 & 3**
12. Circle display, then return to the footbridge.
13. **Right** at footbridge.
14. **Left** at end of footbridge, follow **SRT** under overhead bridge. **Left** after crossing small stone footbridge.
15. Follow **SRT** to twin footbridges and continue to paved path past bench.
16. **Right** at paved path going uphill to road.
17. **Right** at road (Woodland Way Circle – no sign).
18. **Right** at 1st paved path just before a road, Woodland Way, going downhill into park.
19. Continue across small footbridge (shelter #3 on the left).
20. Follow **SRT** under overhead bridge.

21. **Right** at green footbridge towards Major Anderson Memorial.
22. **Left** at end of footbridge keeping memorial on your left. Follow **SRT** under overhead bridge past Cancer Survivor Center. **POI 6.**
23. **Cross** Reedy River & **Right** at split following **SRT** under overhead bridge.
24. **Right** at split near traffic circle.
25. Follow **SRT** along the Reedy River to the opposite end/swing and steps going up to road.
26. **Right** at road (Furman College Way – no sign). **POI: 7**
27. **Quick right** at stone footbridge.
28. Follow steps/ uphill to traffic light/road. **POI: 8**
29. **Right** at Main St. Cross Reedy River.
30. **Right** at Camperdown marquee after the Bank of America building. Go up steps towards wind sails.
31. **Left** at the top of steps/courtyard.
32. Continue through courtyard to Broad St.
33. **Right** at road (Broad St. – no sign)
34. **Left** at Falls St. crossing Broad St.; changes to Spring Ave.
35. **Right** at Washington St.

End of Walk

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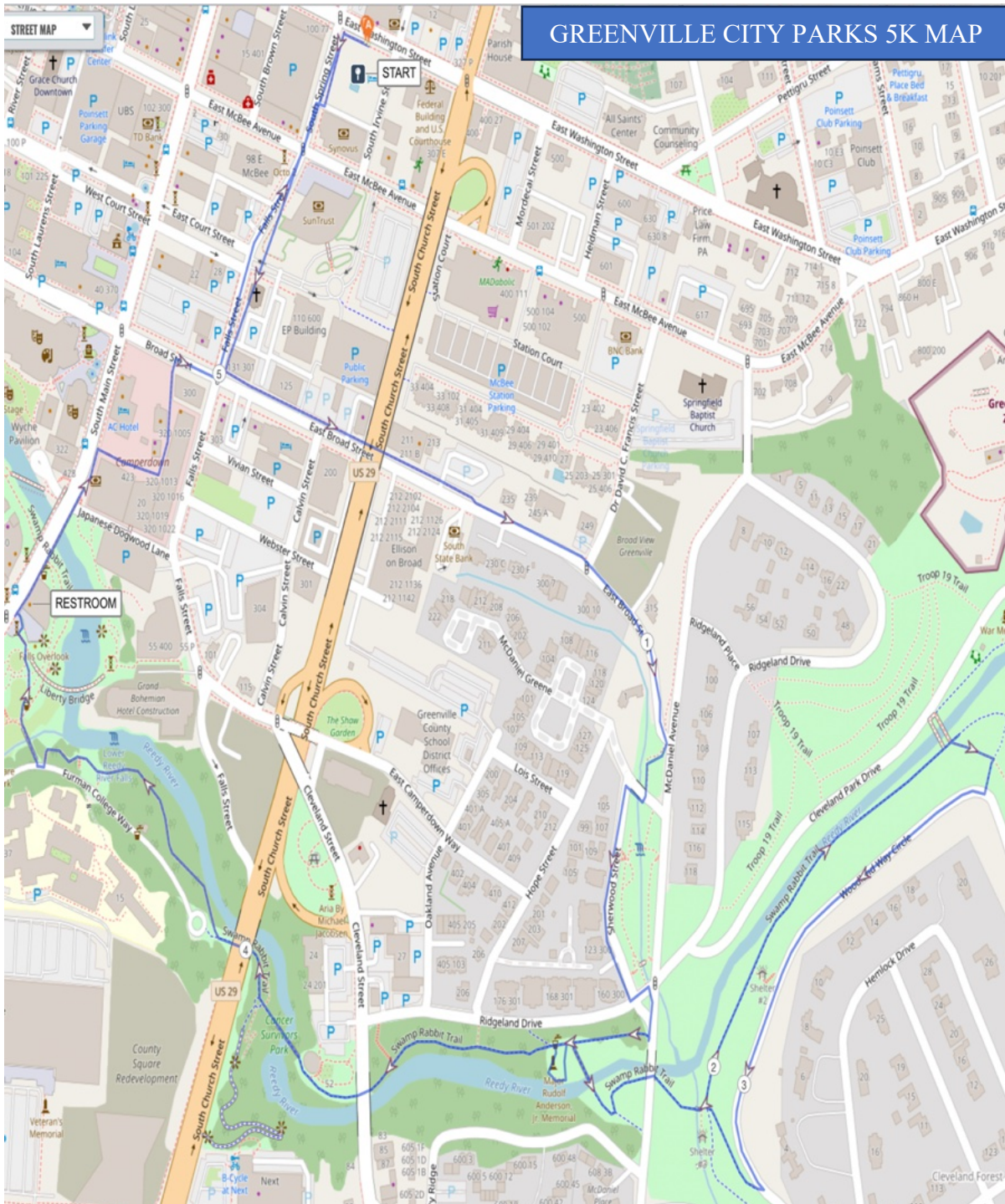
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2. **Swamp Rabbit Trail** - The 22-mile multi-use greenway that is the Swamp Rabbit Trail is one of the most visited landmarks in the Upstate and simply begs to host a family outing. Connecting Downtown Greenville and Travelers Rest and beyond the trail is flat and easily bikeable by kids and adults alike. Kids love the sense of adventure as families can pedal through urban centers, miles of green space, and can't-miss attractions like the Swamp Rabbit Cafe & Grocery, Unity Park, and Furman University. Additionally, beginning or ending a journey with a cold craft beer at Birds Fly South or Swamp Rabbit Brewery is never a bad idea.
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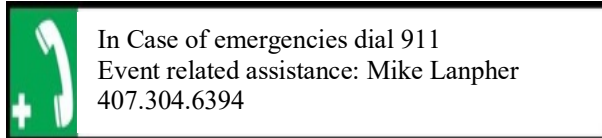


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12. Circle display, then return to the footbridge.
13. **Right** at footbridge.
14. **Left** at end of footbridge, follow **SRT** under overhead bridge.
15. **Right** after crossing small stone footbridge.
16. Follow path closest to shelter #3 to road (Woodland Way Circle).
17. **Left** at road/Woodland Way Circle.
18. **Left** at path going back down into park in about 100 paces.
19. **Right** on path at stone bridge intersection. River on left.
20. **Left** on right side of twin footbridges.
21. **Right** at end of bridges, continue to road. (Cleveland Park Dr.) **POI: 4**
22. Cross road at crosswalks. Follow path keeping parking lot/playground on your left to opposite end/footbridge. (*Restrooms/water available across street from shelter to right of zoo entrance*).
23. **Right** at footbridge.
24. **Left** after crossing road (Lakehurst St. – no sign) at tennis court.
25. Follow path curving right and circle baseball field clockwise.
26. **Left** at split after passing shelter #7 uphill towards road.
27. **Right** at paved split prior to road.
28. Follow path through wooded area as it curves left.
29. Follow path parallel to the road (Lakehurst St.) to end.
30. **Right** carefully crossing road entering open field through a split rail fence.
31. **Left** at split after crossing field keeping river on your right.
32. Follow **SRT**/path to opposite end up incline at split to road (Woodland Way – no sign).
33. **Right** at road and continue to crosswalk.
34. **Left** at crosswalk, follow sidewalk to small white shelter with horse image on it.
35. Continue through the shelter following path counterclockwise. *Note Greenville Time Capsule on right.*
36. Exit area follow sidewalks back to 2nd crosswalk crossing road (Woodland Way).
37. **Right** at crosswalk.
38. **Right** after crossing road.
39. **Immediately Left** at **SRT** path before crossing the bridge.
40. Follow path keeping water on your right.
41. **Left** at 2nd split before bench; follow paved path uphill to road.

42. **Right** at road (Woodland Way Circle – no sign).
43. Follow road to opposite end. (Woodland Way)
44. Cross Woodland Way uphill into housing development on Gardenview Ave.
45. **Left** at Newman St.
46. **Right** at Cleveland St.
47. **Right** at Jones Ave. and Cleveland St. as it curves to the right keeping Serrine Stadium on your left.
48. **Left** at University Ridge. Light. **POI: 5**
49. **Right** crossing University Ridge at traffic light/US Route 29 - Church St. Walk 100 yds.
50. **Right** on boardwalk going downhill.
51. **Right** at the bottom of bridge. Continue across footbridge to the Cancer Survivor Center. **POI: 6**
52. **Pass steps & left** up ramp counterclockwise at center.
53. **Left** at the top of ramp following path to and down steps to the SRT.
54. **Right** and follow **SRT** across footbridge over Reedy River.
55. **Right** at split following **SRT** under overhead bridge.
56. **Right** at split near traffic circle.
57. Follow **SRT** along the Reedy River to the opposite end at a swing and steps going up to road.
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4. **Vietnam Veterans Memorial:** Honors the 14,000 Greenvillians who served during the Vietnam War Era. The marble-faced monument showcases the bravery and honor of the POWs, MIA, and those who lost their lives in battle. Flags representing South Carolina, America, and POW-MIA fly overhead and engravings dedicated the memorial to each branch's service.
5. **Sirrine Stadium** – Football Film "Leatherheads" Brings Hollywood to Carolina in 2008. Sirrine Stadium was used extensively for the movie. Built in 1936.
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