



The East Texas Trekkers
 Welcomes You to
Gretna
Jefferson Parish
 AVA Sanctioned Year Round Event



This walk is composed of 5km and 10km routes. The walk is rated 1A and is along city sidewalks and the Mississippi River levee. The walk passes the parish courthouse and historic homes, buildings, cemeteries, and parks. The walk starts at the parking lot at the corner of Lafayette and 11th St across from The Red Maple restaurant at 1036 Lafayette..

Walk Registration:

Please use the Online Start Box (OSB) or contact the POC register remotely. If using the OSB, then complete the walk online as indicated below. If registering remotely, insert cards will be mailed to you. Directions and stamp will be available during the MLK weekend events Jan 11-15 from the POC.

Walk Completion and Walk Credit:

Once you have physically completed the walk, please login to your Online Start Box account click on the "My Start Box" tab, then the "Finish Table" tab, then click on "Go to Finish Table" button for the event you have completed. Use the displayed entry form to submit the date and distance of your walk as well as select applicable AVA Special Programs to generate stamped "virtual" insert cards that you may choose to print out.

Driving Directions to Start Point:

The walk starts at the parking lot across from The Red Maple restaurant at 1036 Lafayette in Gretna. From I-10 in New Orleans, take Bus-90 east across the Mississippi River to Lafayette St in Gretna. North on Lafayette about 2 blocks to the parking lot on the left at 11th St. There are 2 parking lots at the intersection. Park at the one with the yellow poles.

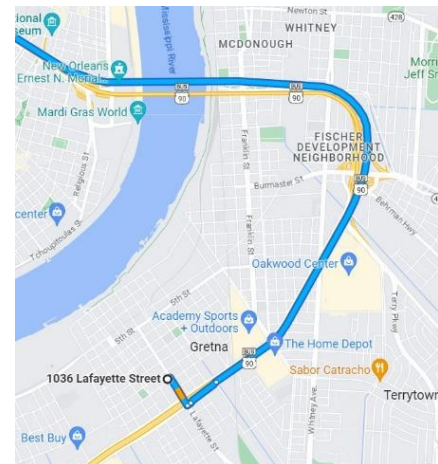


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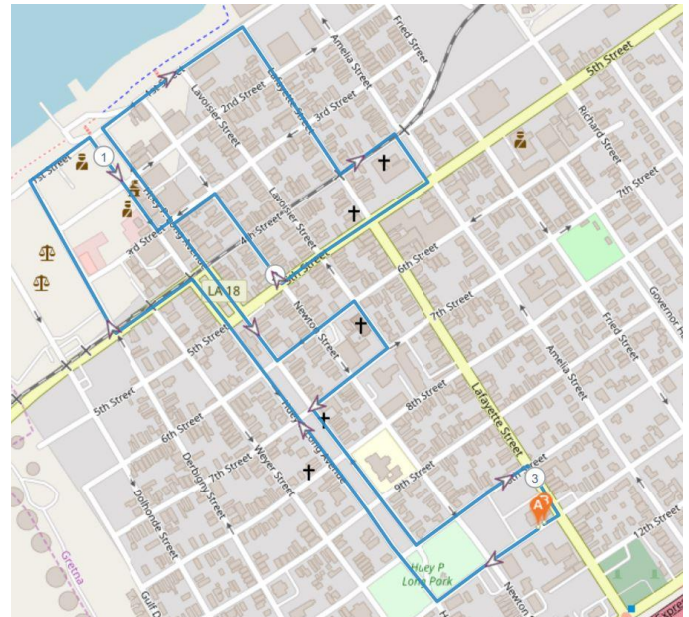
Gretna - Jefferson Parish – 5K

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Drive to the parking lot with the yellow poles at 11th St and 1036 Lafayette St in Gretna.

Special Programs: Rockin' Around the Clock, Walking with America's Veterans, City Hall

1. **From the parking lot**, and facing 11th St, **LEFT** on 11th St (away from Lafayette St) toward the cemetery for about 2+ blocks to Huey Long Blvd at the middle of the park. **Note:** Huey Long becomes a divided street on the north side of the park. We will start on the west side of the street to the **LEFT**.
2. **RIGHT** thru the park toward 10th St and continue 7 blocks to 4th St. Enjoy the many fine homes and other building along the street.
3. **LEFT** on 4st 2 blocks to Derbigny.
4. **RIGHT** on Derbigny 1 long block to 1st St passing the Jefferson Parish Courthouse.
5. **RIGHT** on 1st 1 block to Huey Long.
6. **RIGHT** n Huey Long 2 blocks to 3rd St.
7. **LEFT** on 3rd 1 block to the 'east' Huey Long.
8. **LEFT** on Huey Long 2 blocks to 1st St passing City Hall at 2nd St and the Jefferson Arch.
9. **RIGHT** on 1st 3 blocks to Lafayette.
10. **RIGHT** on Lafayette 3 blocks to 4th St.
11. **LEFT** on 4th 1 block to Amelia.
12. **RIGHT** on Amelia 1 block to 5th.
13. **RIGHT** on 5th 3 blocks to Newton.
14. **RIGHT** on Newton 2 blocks to 3rd St.
15. **LEFT** on 3rd St 1 block to Huey Long (the first one).
16. **LEFT** on Huey Long 3 blocks to 6th St keeping the park on your right. Note the German American Museum, an interesting and free museum (restrooms if open) between 5th & 6th and between the Huey Long streets.
17. **LEFT** on 6th St 2 blocks to Lavoisier passing the St Joseph Church.
18. **RIGHT** on Lavoisier 1 block to 7th St.
19. **RIGHT** on 7th 2 blocks to Huey Long.
20. **LEFT** on Huey Long 3 blocks to 10th St and the Huey Long Park.
21. **LEFT** on 10th 2 blocks to Lafayette.
22. **RIGHT** on Lafayette 1 block to 11th St returning to your car. **END of 5k walk.**



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2. **RIGHT** thru the park toward 10th St and continue 7 blocks to 4th St. Enjoy the many fine homes and other building along the street.
3. **LEFT** on 4st 2 blocks to Derbigny.
4. **RIGHT** on Derbigny 1 long block to 1st St passing the Jefferson Parish Courthouse.
5. **RIGHT** on 1st 1 block to Huey Long.
6. **RIGHT** on Huey Long 2 blocks to 3rd St.
7. **LEFT** on 3rd 1 short block to Huey Long.
8. **LEFT** on Huey Long 2 blocks to 1st.
9. **Take the steps** up to the levee, then **RIGHT** on the levee trail about 2k until you come to a road. Enjoy the views of the Mississippi River.
10. At the road, make a sharp **RIGHT** on the road as it curves to the right as the road parallels the railroad tracks on the left. Continue to Wiedman St.
11. **RIGHT** on Wiedman 1 block to Washington and a triangular park.
12. **LEFT** on Washington as it curves to the right and becomes 1st St.
13. **CONTINUE** on 1st about 1k to Amelia St.
14. **LEFT** on Amelia 4 blocks to 5th St.
15. **RIGHT** on 5th 1 block to Lafayette.
16. **RIGHT** on Lafayette 3 blocks to 2nd St.
17. **LEFT** on 2nd 1 block to Laviosier.
18. **LEFT** on Laviosier 3 blocks to 5th St.
19. **RIGHT** on 5th St 1 block to Newton.
23. **RIGHT** on Newton 2 blocks to 3rd St.
24. **LEFT** on 3rd 2 block to Huey Long (1st one).
25. **LEFT** on Huey Long 3 blocks to 6th passing the German American Museum, an interesting and free museum (restrooms if open) between 5th and 6th streets and between the Huey Long streets.
20. **LEFT** on 6th 2 blocks to Laviosier.
21. **RIGHT** on Laviosier 1 block to 7th St passing the St Joseph Church.
22. **RIGHT** on 7th St 3 blocks to Weyer (count the 2 Huey Long Aves as block).
23. **RIGHT** on Weyer 2 blocks to 5th St.
24. **LEFT** on 5th 1 block to Derbigny.
25. **LEFT** on Derbigny 4 blocks to 9th.
26. **LEFT** on 9th 1 block to Weyner
27. **LEFT** on Weyer 1 block to 8th St.
28. **RIGHT** on 8th St 1+ blocks to the far Huey Long Ave.
29. **RIGHT** on Huey Long 2 blocks to 10th St.
30. **LEFT** on 10th 2 blocks to Lafayette..
31. **RIGHT** on Lafayette 1 block to 11th.
32. **RIGHT** on 11th 1 block back to the parking lot and your car. **END of the 10k walk.**

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