



The East Texas Trekkers  
Welcomes You to  
New Orleans Garden District  
(Orleans Parish)  
AVA Sanctioned Year Round Event



This walk is in Garden District of New Orleans in the Orleans Parish. The walk explores the Garden District along city streets with its many beautiful turn of the century homes and churches and the historic Lafayette #1 Cemetery. The route is level with very little change in elevation and is rated 1A. The first version was modified to start at the Holiday Inn Express - Arts District close to the World War II Museum for use with the AVA cruise in November. An earlier version follows the cruise version and covers much of the same area. However it starts at the intersection of St Charles and Louisiana streetcar stop near a public parking lot with very reasonable rates (about \$1 per hour) as opposed to the rates around the Holiday Inn or downtown New Orleans (\$25 and up per day).

### **Walk Registration:**

Please use the Online Start Box (OSB) or on-site registration at the Holiday Inn Express New Orleans St Charles at 936 St Charles on Thurs, Nov 13 from 7:45 to 10:00AM. Directions and stamp will be available that morning.

### **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:**

Parking available at the hotel (valet parking \$45 a day + tax) and at the nearby World War II Museum (1 block away) at premium prices (\$25 and up). Walk starts at the hotel or at any place along St Charles. The first .7 mile of the walk is not exciting. Consider taking the St Charles streetcar (senior all day pass \$1), exit anywhere along on St Charles after Jackson Ave and start from there. Wander anywhere in the Garden District and admire the Victorian architecture. You can take the streetcar to the end of the St Charles line passing Loyola University and Audubon Park. Feel free to explore the park, the university, or the neighborhoods.

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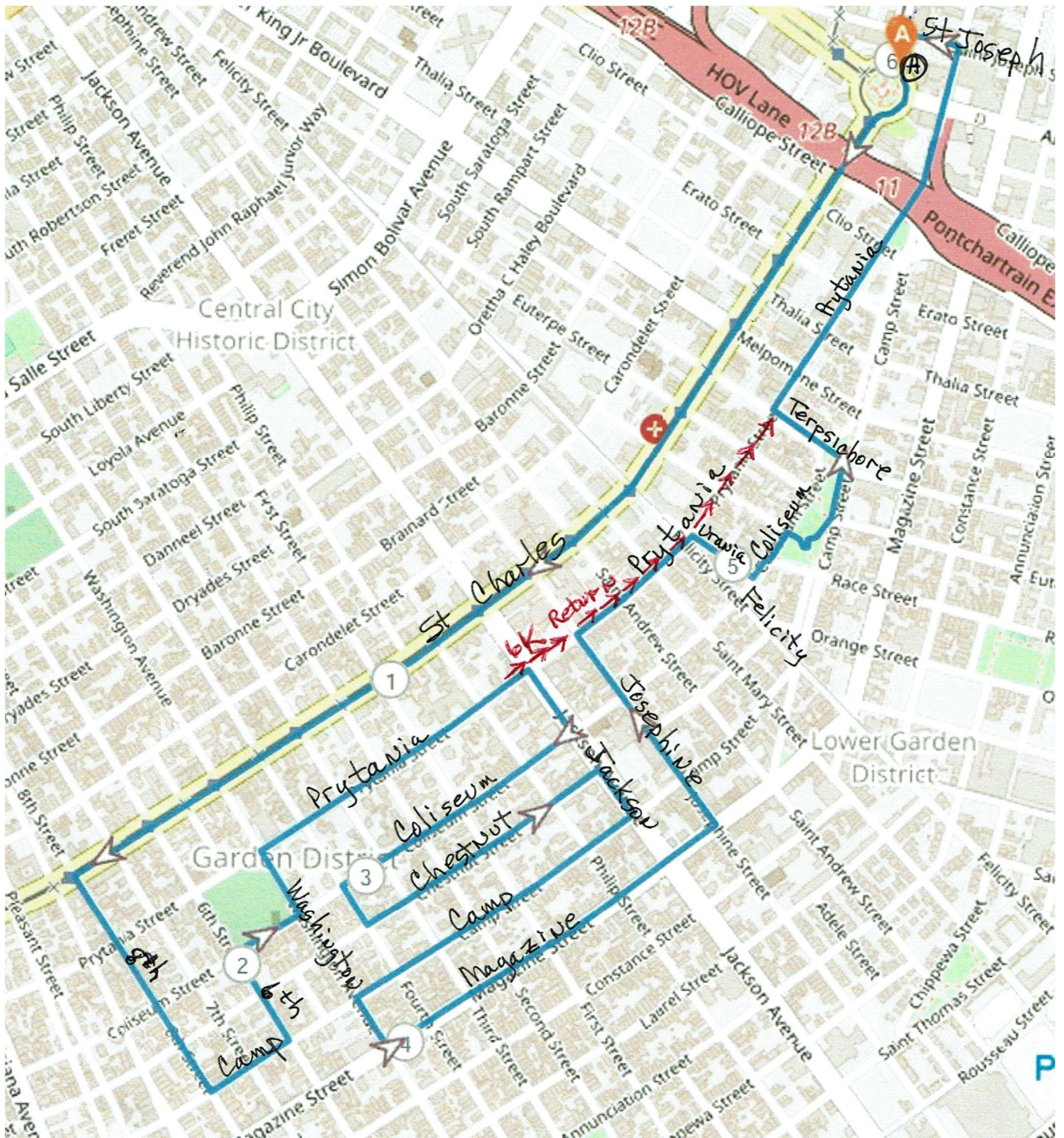
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Special Programs: Walking with Veterans

1. **Exit the hotel to St Charles. LEFT** on St Charles about 1.5 miles to 8<sup>th</sup> St stopping to admire the many beautiful homes.
2. **LEFT** on 8<sup>th</sup> 4 blocks to Camp.
3. **LEFT** on Camp 2 blocks to 6<sup>th</sup>.
4. **LEFT** on St 6<sup>th</sup> 2 blocks to Coliseum.
5. **RIGHT** on Coliseum 1 block to Washington.
6. **LEFT** on Washington 1 block to Prytania passing the Lafayette Cemetery #1. You can no longer wander thru the cemetery.
7. **RIGHT** on Prytania about 6 blocks to Jackson Ave.
8. **6/10k Split: 10k – go to Step 12.**
9. **6k: CONTINUE** about 1 mile along Prytania under the expressway to St Joseph St.
10. **LEFT** on St Joseph 1 block to St Charles.
11. **LEFT** on St Charles returning to the hotel. **END of 6k.**
12. **10k: RIGHT** on Jackson 1 block to Coliseum.
13. **RIGHT** on Coliseum 5 blocks to 4<sup>th</sup> St.
14. **LEFT** on 4<sup>th</sup> 1 block to Chestnut.
15. **LEFT** on Chestnut 5 blocks to Jackson.
16. **RIGHT** on Jackson 1 block to Camp.
17. **RIGHT** on Camp 6 blocks to Washington.
18. **LEFT** on Washington 1 block to Magazine.
19. **LEFT** on Magazine 7 blocks to Josephine.
20. **LEFT** on Josephine 4 blocks to Prytania.
21. **RIGHT** on Prytania 3+ blocks to Urania St (just after Felicity St).
22. **ANGLE RIGHT** on Urania 1 block to Coliseum.
23. **LEFT** on Coliseum about 1 ½ blocks to the entrance to Coliseum Square Park
24. **RIGHT** into the park to the fountain, then veer **LEFT** thru the park to a semi-circle.
25. **LEFT** at middle of semi-circle to exit the park onto Terpsichore.
26. **CONTINUE** on Terpsichore 1 block to Prytania.
27. **RIGHT** on Prytania about ½ mile to St Joseph passing under the expressway.
28. **LEFT** on St Joseph 1 block to St Charles.
29. **LEFT** on St Charles returning to the hotel. **END of 10k.**

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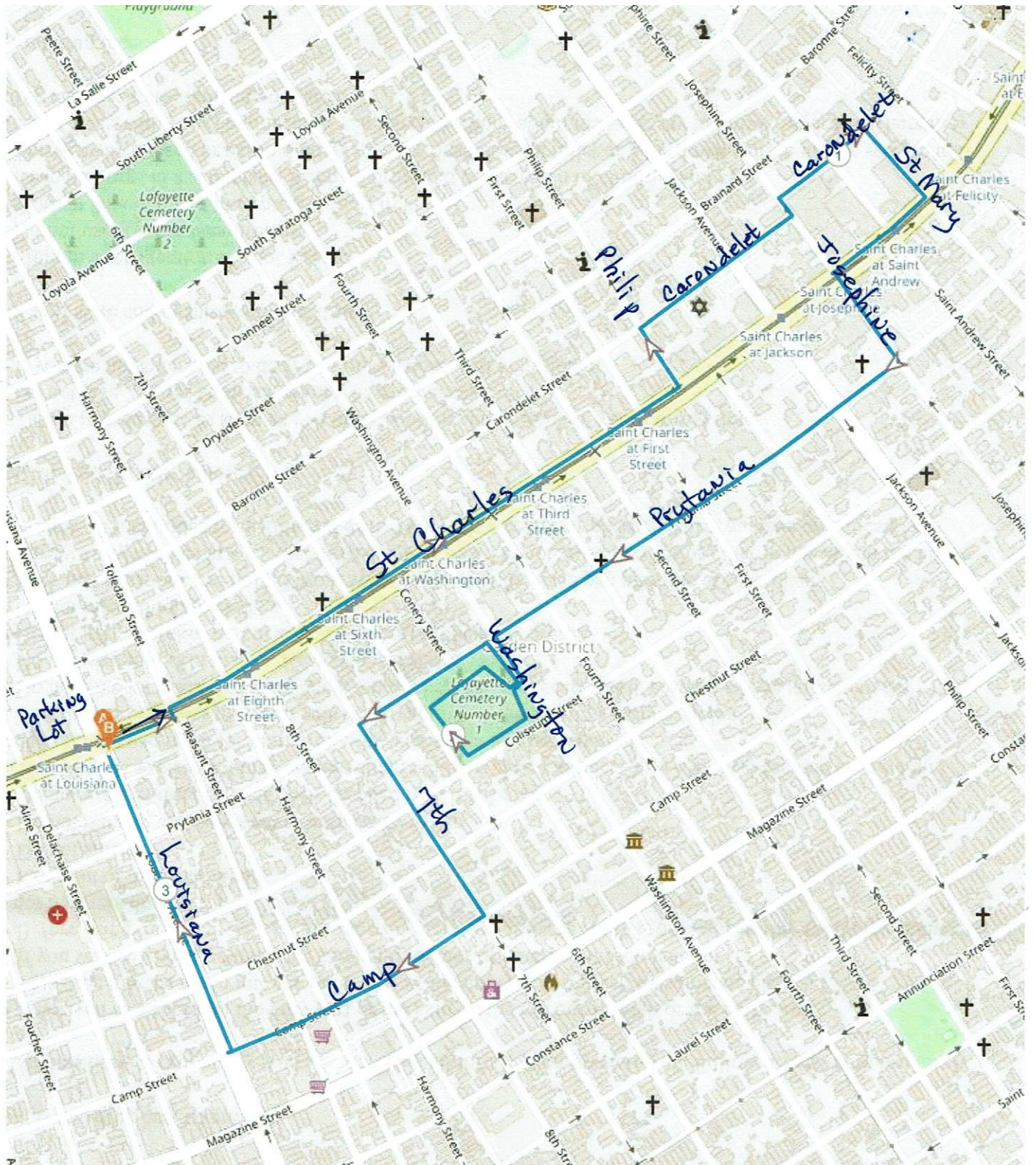
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## New Orleans Garden District – 5k

1. From the parking lot at St Charles and Louisiana streets, LEFT on St Charles about 10-12 blocks to Philip St stopping to admire the many beautiful homes.
2. LEFT on Philip 1 block to Carondelet.
3. RIGHT on Carondelet 2 blocks to Josephine.
4. JOG LEFT on Josephine a short way, then RIGHT to continue on Carondelet.
5. CONTINUE on Carondelet 2 blocks to St Mary.
6. RIGHT on St Mary 1 block to St Charles.
7. RIGHT on St Charles 2 blocks to Josephine.
8. LEFT on Josephine 1 block to Prytania.
9. RIGHT on Prytania 7 blocks to Washington.
10. LEFT on Washington ½ block to the entrance to the Lafayette Cemetery #1.
11. RIGHT into the cemetery and make a big loop around it returning to the entrance on Washington.
12. LEFT on Washington ½ block to St Charles. If cemetery is closed, return to St Charles.
13. LEFT on St Charles 2 blocks to 7<sup>th</sup> St.
14. LEFT on 7<sup>th</sup> St 3 blocks to Camp St.
15. RIGHT on Camp St 4-5 blocks to Louisiana.
16. RIGHT on Louisiana 4 blocks to St Charles.
17. Return to your car at P919 (to the left) or the trolley stop at Louisiana & St Charles. **END of 5k.**

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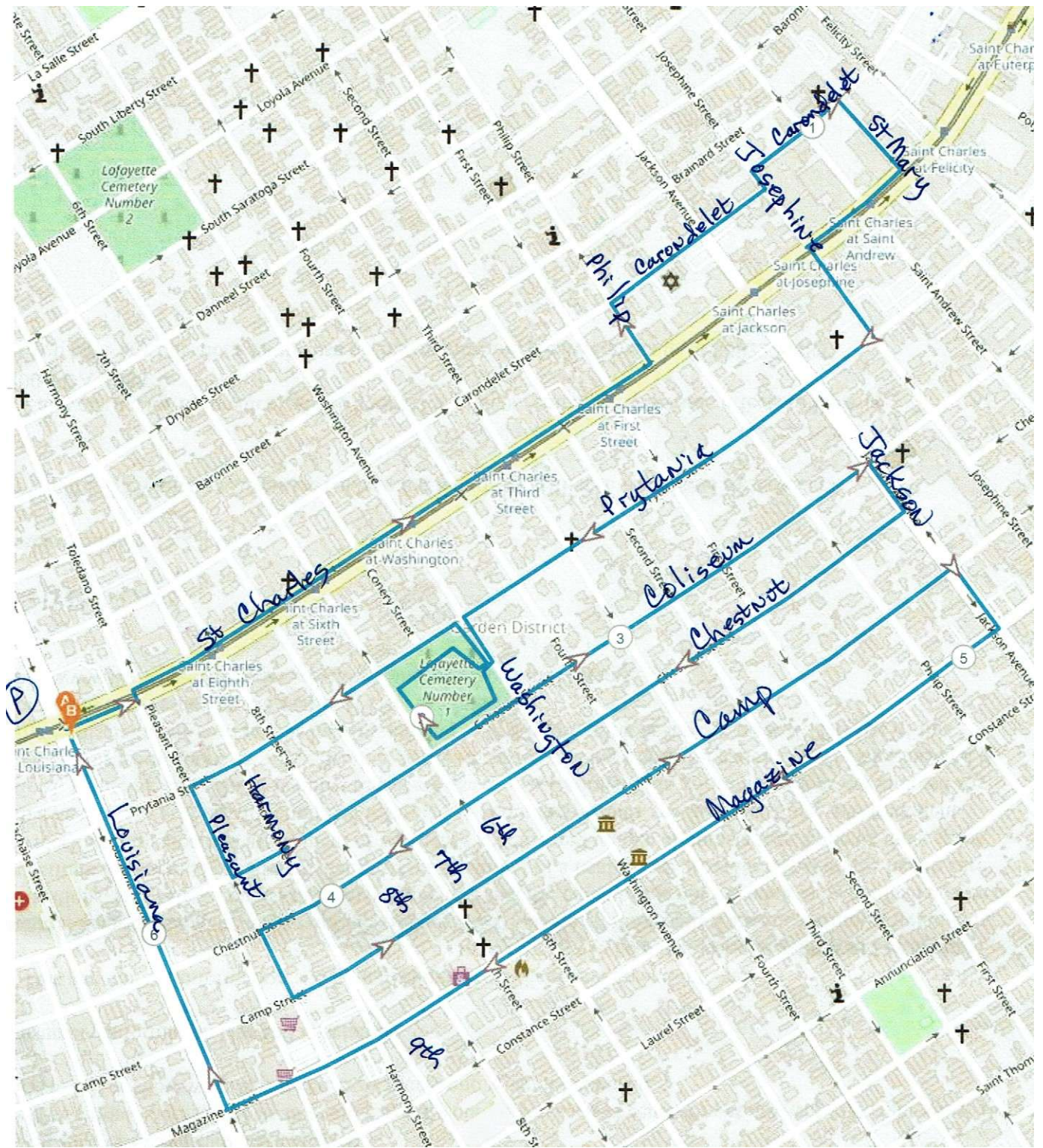
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1. **From the parking lot, LEFT** on St Charles about 10-12 blocks to Philip St stopping to admire the many beautiful homes.
2. **LEFT** on Philip 1 block to Carondelet 2 blocks to Josephine.
3. **JOG LEFT** on Josephine a short way, then **RIGHT** to continue on Carondelet.
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8. **RIGHT** on Prytania 7 blocks to Washington.
9. **LEFT** on Washington ½ block to the entrance to the Lafayette Cemetery #1.
10. **RIGHT** into the cemetery and make a big loop around it returning to the entrance on Washington. If not open, return to St Charles.
11. **LEFT** on Washington ½ block to St Charles.
12. **LEFT** on St Charles 6 blocks to Pleasant St.
13. **LEFT** on Pleasant 1 block to Coliseum St.
14. **LEFT** on Coliseum St about 11 blocks to Jackson.
15. **RIGHT** on Jackson 1 block to Chestnut.
16. **RIGHT** on Chestnut St about 11 blocks to Pleasant.
17. **LEFT** on Pleasant 1 block to Camp St.
18. **LEFT** on Camp St about 11 blocks to Jackson.
19. **RIGHT** on Jackson 1 block to Magazine St.
20. **RIGHT** on Magazine about 12 blocks to Louisiana St
21. **RIGHT** on Louisiana 5 blocks to St Charles.
22. **Return** to your car at P919 (to the left) or the trolley stop at Louisiana & St Charles. **END of 10k.**

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### New Orleans Garden District – 10k