

## Self-Guided Bike Ride Tips & Information

- Helmet Required
- Ride length—6 miles one way
- Children under 18 must be accompanied by an adult.
- Print map off website and sign waiver online:  
<http://greentopiafestival.com/highlights/bike>
- Free bike parking at Greentopia
- Ride begins at Genesee Valley Sports Complex, 131 Elmwood Avenue, Rochester, NY 14611, and ends at High Falls
- Ride starts any time between 9AM and 10:30
- *Parking is available at Genesee Valley Park at your own risk.*

## Save Money.

## Be Green.

Stop Fossil Fuels from warming the planet.  
Be a part of the solution in a fun way.

### Sponsored by:

The Greentopia Festival is Rochester's and the Finger Lakes' celebration of the green movement! The two-day, interactive fest in historic High Falls will reveal what the region is doing to help the environment – and envision a greener Rochester of the future.  
[greentopiafestival.com](http://greentopiafestival.com)

For more information on this ride, please contact:  
[fjregan@gmail.com](mailto:fjregan@gmail.com)

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Go online to sign the waiver. Waivers will also be available to sign at the beginning of the bike ride.

ALL RIDERS MUST SIGN AND SUBMIT A WAIVER TO PARTICIPATE IN RIDE.  
YOU MAY OBTAIN A WAIVER ONLINE AT:  
<http://greentopiafestival.com/highlights/bike>  
WAIVERS WILL ALSO BE AVAILABLE AT START OF RACE.

### *We need you —on a bike.*

We're biking to demonstrate that active transportation (walking and bicycling) is an alternative mode of getting around in our region.

For more information on this ride and Greentopia go to [Greentopiafestival.com](http://Greentopiafestival.com)

## Greentopia / Moving Planet Bike the Bridges Self-Guided Bike Ride

Meet us on  
Saturday, September 17th  
9AM -10:30AM

Genesee Valley Sports Complex,  
131 Elmwood Avenue  
Rochester, NY 14611



*Join hundreds of bicyclists riding to the Greentopia Festival!*

*Demonstrate your commitment to this green mode of transportation for our region. RIDE AT YOUR OWN RISK.*



## Join Us!

Time for a nice fossil-fuel free bike ride to Rochester's premier green event—Greentopia Festival!



Rochester is adorned with a beautiful riverfront and waterfall views that are spectacular. This ride allows Rochesterians and their families a highly accessible way to view and experience the bridges and falls of Rochester up close with other cyclists in a fun and celebratory way.

The Bike the Bridges Ride has been very successful in other cities including Portland, OR where 20,000 bikers enjoy their city's beauty. Rochesterians can also take in some of the city's most scenic landscape while biking.

## Moving Planet



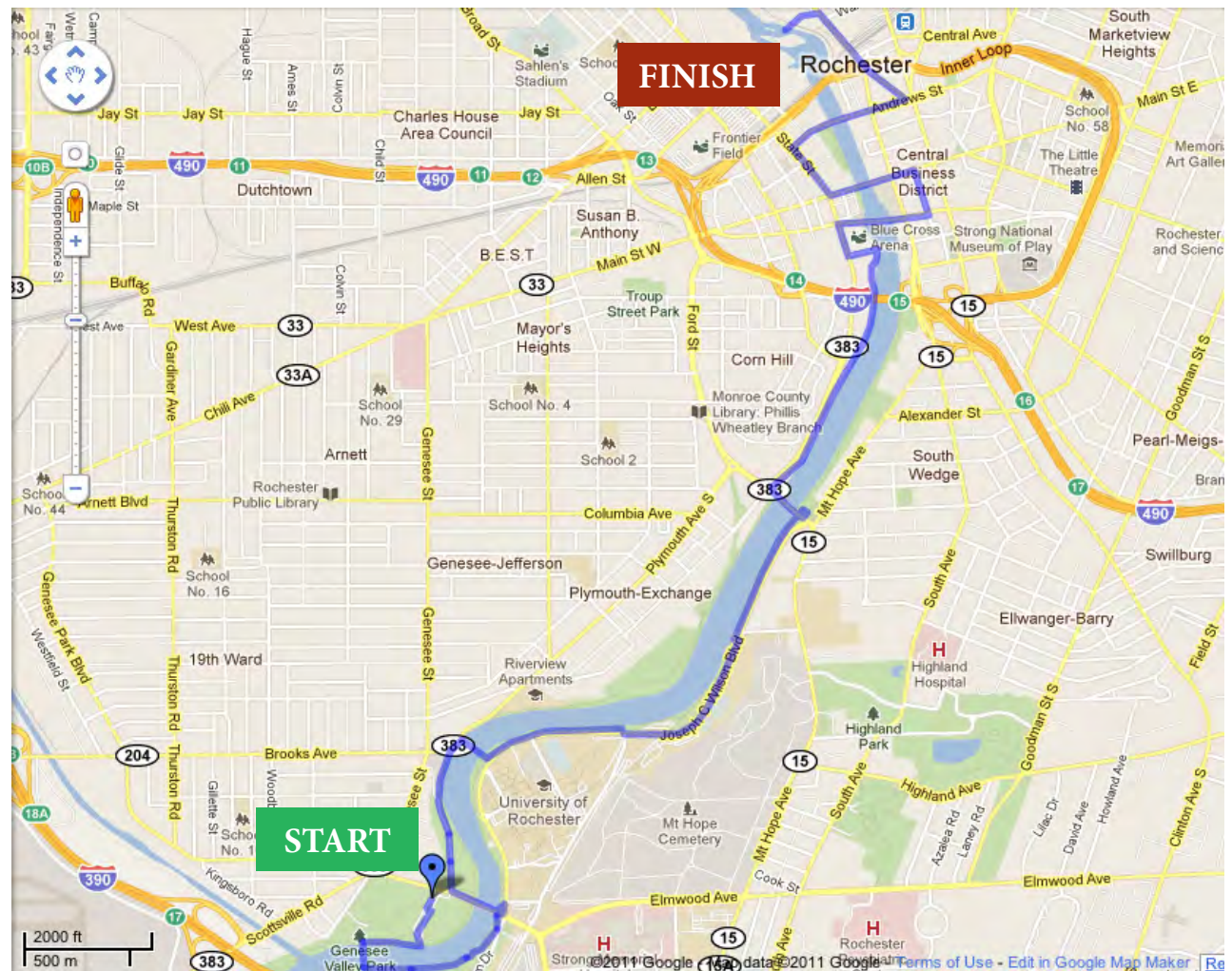
September 24th is a global day of climate action called "Moving Planet"—symbolizing moving beyond fossil fuels and towards a zero

carbon emissions future. Thousands of events are planned across the globe to highlight grassroots efforts to put the brakes on climate change.

Moving Planet is the brainchild of Bill McKibben-- a featured Greentopia speaker. Make sure to hear McKibben's important message on Sunday and to visit the Moving Planet booth at the Festival!

General info: [moving-planet.org](http://moving-planet.org).

Rochester's Events: [moving-planet.org/events/us/rochester-public-market/693](http://moving-planet.org/events/us/rochester-public-market/693)



## Self-Guided Bike Ride (ride at own risk)

Start: Genesee Valley Park (GVP) Sports Complex, parking lot by pool 131 Elmwood Ave.

South: Straight exit parking lot then veer left onto Genesee River Trail

Left: cross river on pedestrian bridge to east side of GVP

Left: Genesee Riverway Trail (GRT) go under Elmwood bridge

Right & Right: onto north sidewalk of Elmwood Ave. Bridge

Right: GRT

Right: cross river on pedestrian bridge to east side of Genesee River

Left: GRT to detour on Wilson Blvd then return to GRT and under Ford Street Bridge

Right & Right: onto north sidewalk of Ford St. Bridge

Right: GRT and go under Anthony/Douglas Bridge

Exit: GRT at Court St.

Left: Court Street

Right: Exchange Blvd.

Right: Broad St. Bridge

Cross: St. Paul St.

Left: Stone St.

Left: Main St.

Cross: St. Paul St.

Right: State St.

Right: Andrews St. Bridge

Cross: St. Paul St.

Left: Bittner St.

Merge: St. Paul St. and go under Railroad Bridge

Left: Cataract St.

Straight: Finish at Greentopia at High Falls!