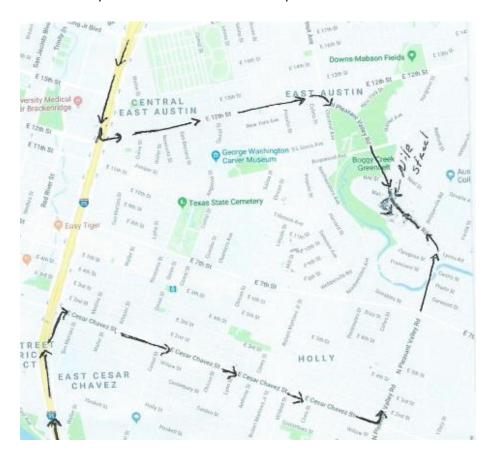
DIRECTIONS: Driving North on\_I 35, take Exit 234B Cesar Chavez/2nd-4th. Right on Cesar Chavez for 1.6 miles to Pleasant Valley Road. Left on Pleasant Valley Road for about 1 mile. Left on Nile Street a short distance and Immediately turn left into the parking area of the Conley – Guerrero Senior Activity Center

Driving **South** on **135**, take **Exit 234C** 12<sup>th</sup>/11<sup>th</sup>/ State Capitol. **Left** on 12<sup>th</sup> Street for 1 mile to Pleasant Valley Road. **Right** on Pleasant Valley Road for 0.7 miles to the second intersection with Nile Street. **Right** on Nile Street a short distance and **immediately** turn **left** into the parking lot of the Conley-Guerrero Senior Activity Center.



## The Colorado River Walkers Present a Volksmarch

# Boggy Creek Greenbelt And East Austin

Saturday February, 17, 2018



10k/5k Walk Event ID: SW18/10607 AVA – 77, TVA -24



#### **GENERAL DESCRIPTION:**

Boggy Creek Greenbelt is a linear park that meanders through the heart of East Austin. The trail passes trees and vegetation typical of Central Texas. The routes venture out into surrounding neighborhoods that were historically populated by African Americans. The walk emphasizes Black history and exemplifies changes that showcase current gentrification of the area.

**LOCATION Start/Finish:** Conley-Guerrero Senior Activity Center 808 Nile Street, Austin, TX78702

**START / FINISH TIMES:** Start between 8:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m., finish by 2:00 p.m.

**ROUTE:** Both the 5k and 10k routes are flat and rated 1A. Each route goes through Boggy Creek Greenbelt on a dirt/crushed granite trail, continues on to Rosewood Park, and then to adjacent neighborhoods on city streets. The 10K continues and includes the Carver Museum, Schools, and Universities to spotlight East Austin's Black history.

#### **WALK FEES:**

All walkers (Credit or non-credit) are \$3.00. Non-credit children under 12 are \$1.25 to cover AVA fee.

**AWARDS**: "B" awards from previous walks will be available. Children under 12 are eligible for a free "B" award.

**DISCLAIMER**: The Colorado River Walkers are not responsible for accidents, injuries, or any lost or stolen items during the event. Reasonable effort will be made to make this a safe, enjoyable event.

**EVENT CONDITIONS**: The event will be held regardless of weather conditions. All participants (including small children) must carry a Start Card. Walk route twice on same Start Card for additional distance credit. Events are noncompetitive. Walk, jog, or run at your own pace. Pets are allowed on the trail, but must remain on a leash, with owner doing cleanup.

**ELIGIBILITY**: Everyone is welcome. These events are open to all, regardless of age, sex, creed, race or nationality. An adult must accompany children under age 12.

IVV CREDIT: This event is sanctioned by the American Volkssport Association (AVA), a member of the International Federation of Popular Sports (IVV) and counts toward acquisition of IVV Achievement Awards. IVV books may be purchased at the event for \$6.00. New Walker packets are available for \$5.00.

**AMENITIES**: Water and restrooms are available near the Start/Finish and at other places along the route.

**Conduct:** Participants are reminded that this event is open to all, including families. Please conduct yourself accordingly. The Colorado River Walkers retain the right to ask anyone engaging in offensive or inappropriate behavior to cease to participate and to leave the event area and facilities.

**INFORMATION**: For more information, contact Barbara Byers at (206)979-6920 or bbbyers14@gmail.com Visit our website @ www.coloradoriverwalkers.org.

### **Special Programs:**

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Walking the Path of Inventions
Doin' the Louisiana Purchase
Walk the USA – Street by Street
Walking the United States – 50 States/50 Capitals
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