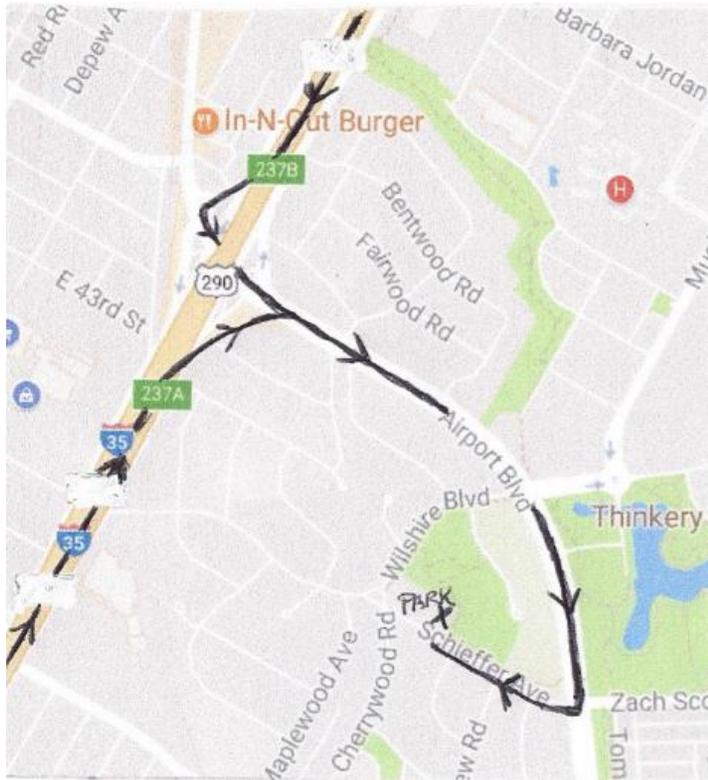


**DIRECTIONS:** Driving **N** on I 35, pass over the Colorado River/Lady Bird Lake, keep right and take the upper level to exit #237A, Airport Blvd. Turn right on Airport Blvd. and drive about ½ mile through red light to Schieffer Ave. Driving **S** on I 35, take exit #237B, Airport Blvd. Immediately get in right lane and turn right, then immediately get in left lane to turn left onto Airport Blvd. Drive about ½ mile through red light to Schieffer Ave.



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The Colorado River Walkers  
Present a Volksmarch

# Patterson Park to Mueller Redevelopment

Austin, TX.

Saturday, September 30, 2017



Dixie Friend Gay art

10k/5k Walk  
Event ID: SW17/ 108217  
AVA – 77, TVA -24



**HISTORY:** *Mueller Airport began passenger service in 1930 and by 1940 was expanded into peach and plum orchards owned by Nye Patterson. On the day the bulldozers arrived to level the blooming fruit trees, known as "his children", Mr. Patterson was reported to have watched with tears in his eyes as his trees were destroyed. Patterson Park is on a portion of his original orchard.*

*The end of WWII brought G.I.s and a housing boom to Austin. The Giles brothers began building and selling affordable houses and duplexes made of concrete block and stucco. You will pass these still prized homes on the volksmarch route.*

*The airport moved southeast of Austin in 1999, but it took some years before the present development was started and is still being completed. It consists of modern urban housing with parks, pools, and walking trails. There is a large retail area and a medical complex around the Dell Children's Hospital.*

**LOCATION Start/Finish:** Patterson Park, 4200 Brookview Rd. Austin Tx. 78722. Park at the Genesis Presbyterian Church parking lot on Schieffer Ave.

**START / FINISH TIMES:** Start between 7:30 a.m. and 10:30 a.m., finish by 1:30 p.m.

**ROUTE:** Both the 5k and 10k routes will walk from Patterson Park into the Mueller Development to enjoy their gravel paths, lakes, art installations, and residential homes. The 10K route continues through 2 historic neighborhoods. Both routes are rated 1A.

**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 at 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 Carol Obianwu at (512) 928-9301, (512) 771-9566 (cell) or [cobianwu@utexas.edu](mailto:cobianwu@utexas.edu).

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