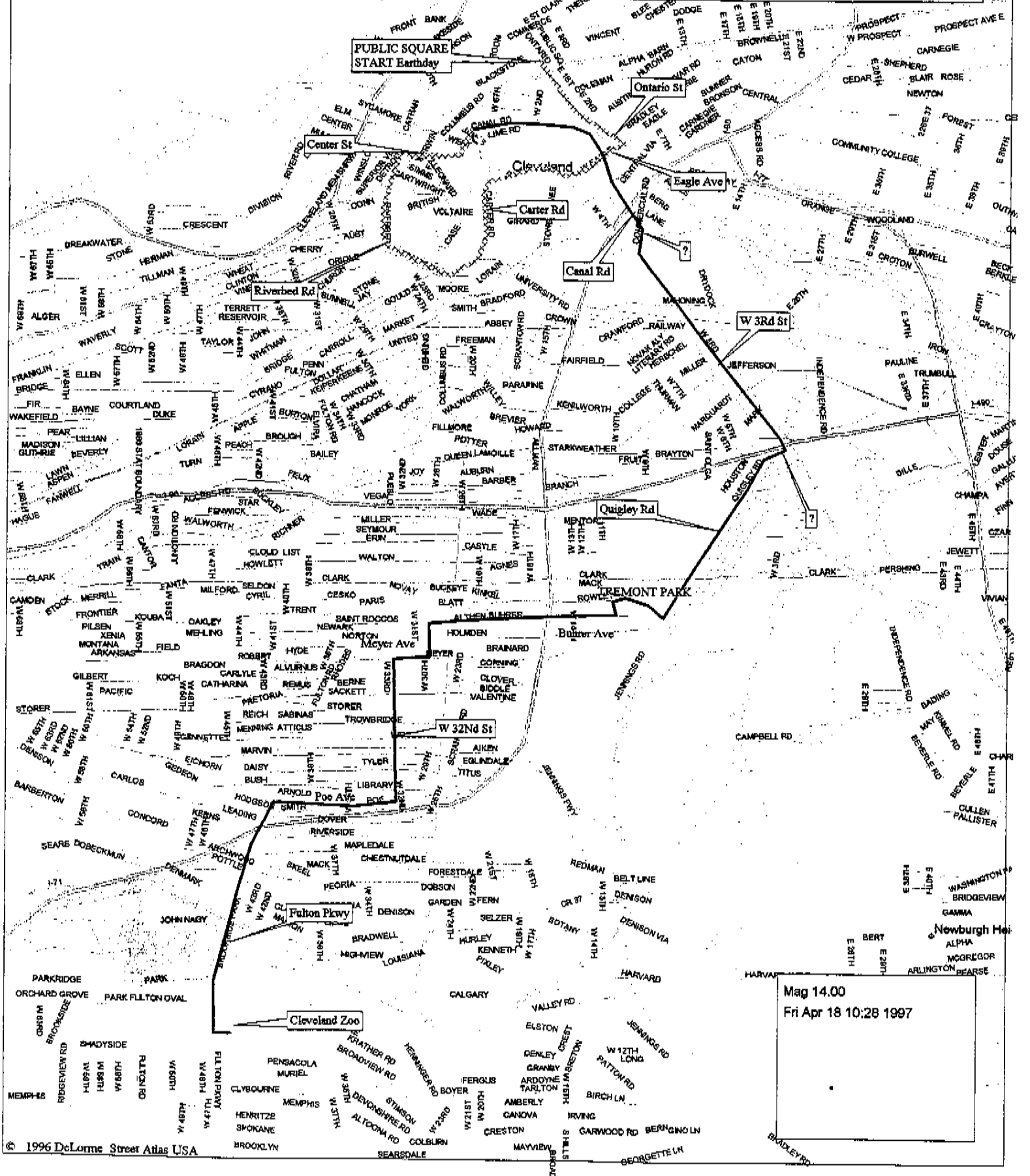


# Earthday Square to the Zoo (9.0 miles)



To: parrybike@worldnet.att.net  
Subject: Earthday Route  
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Hi Bob,  
Sorry for the delay. I Got your message after I had already composed these so you can decide which to choose. I prefer my return routes due to traffic pattern in some of the areas yours would take the group through. Leaving from Lakewood I would suggest just remaining on Lake Ave. to Detroit traffic will be light and easy to deal with then. (Note Edgewater doesn't intersect Detroit you have to get back on Lake) Once Downtown you can choose which route to take to the zoo. (yours or the Earthday one) A tour of the flats industrials may be interesting to some folks?  
I don't have the milage calculations but I theing the Earthday route to the zoo is 5 miles.  
Keep in mind that this is the route that we've use for the past couple of years and I'm just assuming it will be the same this year. Much of the route is through the flats and is not direct by any means.

**EARTHDAY ROUTE to ZOO**

Start on Public Square  
S. on Ontario to Eagle  
RT ~~Left~~ on to Eagle into the Flats to Carter Rd.  
Right on to Carter Rd. to Riverbed Rd.  
Straight on to Riverbed to Center St.  
Cross Center St. Swing Bridge  
Right on to Center St. to Canal Rd.  
Right on to Canal Rd. to W. 3rd.  
Cross W. 3rd. bridge  
Left on to W. 3rd. to Quigley Rd.  
Right on to Quigley to Trenont Playing Field  
Right into and through Trenont Playing Field  
Out through W. 11th entrance to Buhrer St.  
Right on Buhrer St.  
Cross Buhrer pedestrian bridge across I-71  
Continue on Buhrer to W. 32nd  
Left on to W. 32nd to Poe Ave.  
Right on to Poe to Fulton Ave.  
Left on to Fulton Rd. to Fulton Pkwy.  
Straight on to Fulton Pkwy. to Bicycle Parking Area (third gate on the left?)

RETURN: (quick route) about 6 mile (maybe 18 or so total)  
Right out of parking, Fulton to Denison Rd.  
Left on to Denison to Lorain Ave.  
Left on to West Blvd. to Madison Ave.  
Left on to Madison Ave. to Coutant Ave. (first street west of W. 117th)  
Right on to Coutant Ave. to Lake Ave. (Coutant turns into Hird at Detroit Ave. continue on Hird to Lake Ave.)  
Left onto Lake Ave. to Lakewood Park.

RETURN: (not quick route) 25 mile (big guess) total 36

Left out of parking on Fulton Pkwy. to Memphis Ave.  
Right on to Memphis to Fulton  
Left on to Fulton to Pearl Rd.  
Right on to Pearl Rd. to Snow Rd.  
Right on to Snow Rd. to Valley Pkwy.  
Left on to Big Creek Pkwy. to Valley Pkwy.  
Right on to Valley Pkwy. to Detroit Ave. (Lakewood)  
Top of hill continue straight on to Sloane Ave.  
Sloane Ave. to West Clifton Blvd.  
Left on to West Clifton Blvd. to Clifton Blvd.  
Right on to Clifton Blvd. to Heb Rd.  
Left on to Heb. Rd. to Lake Ave.  
Right on to Heb Rd. to Lakewood Park