

WELCOME TO THE MARKHAM TRAIL & CYCLING MAP

The City of Markham offers naturally beautiful trails and cycling paths for people of all ages to experience. Our extensive walking & cycling network, including park trails, multi-use pathways, cycle tracks, bicycle lanes, and signed bike routes makes getting around enjoyable, easy and fun for recreational and/or commuting purposes.

The Markham Trail & Cycling Map is a great tool for planning your route to work, school, or simply to explore. The map shows on-and off-road pathways, bike route connections and major destinations. It also includes important information about cycling and recommendations for various trails you can explore in Markham.

For more information, visit: Markham.ca/WalkingAndCycling

COMMON CYCLING SIGNS AND PAVEMENT MARKINGS

REGULATORY SIGNS

- Reserved bicycle lane
- Turning Traffic Must Yield to Cyclists in Bike Lane
- Cyclists should get off their bikes and walk
- Dismount and Walk
- Cyclists must yield to pedestrians
- Shared pathway
- No cycling on sidewalk

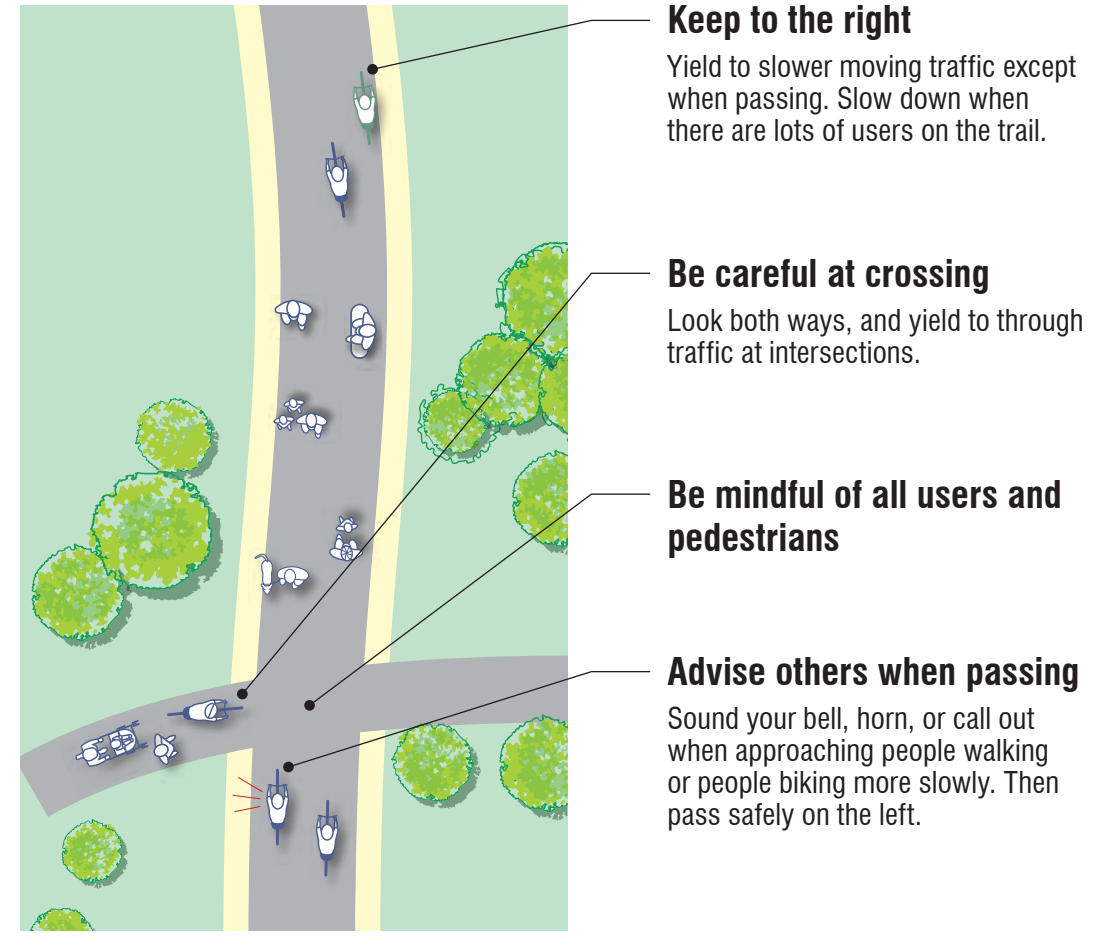
WARNING SIGNS

- Designated bicycle route
- Motorists and cyclists must share the road
- Shared-use lane single file
- Pedestrian and Bicycle Crossing Ahead
- Bicycle path crossing side street
- Trail Crossing

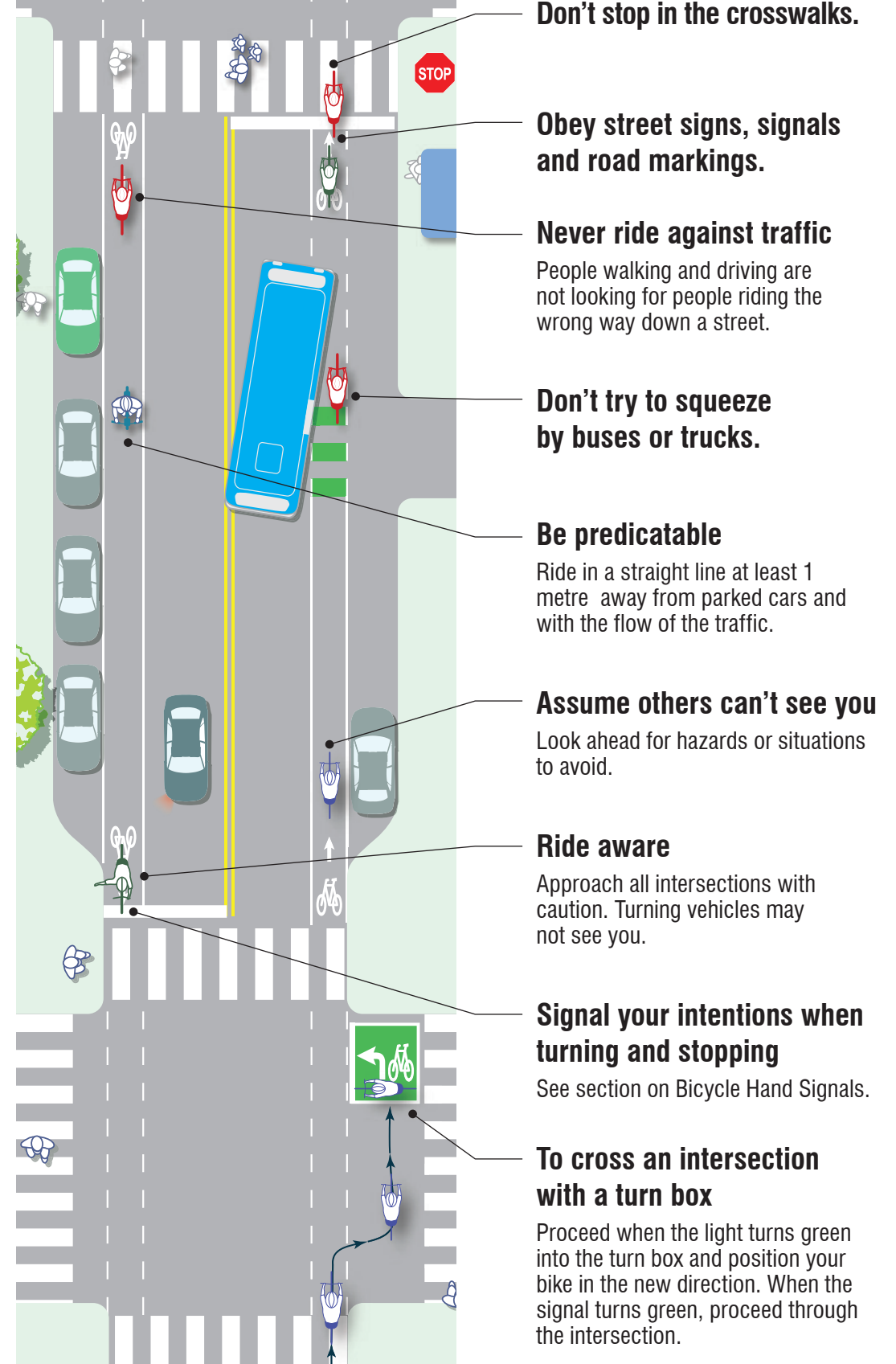
PAVEMENT MARKINGS

- Reserved bicycle lane markings
- These lane markings (sharrows) assist cyclists with lateral positioning in shared curb lanes. Note: Sharrows do NOT separate cyclists from vehicles
- Combined pedestrian and cyclist crossside pavement markings (Traffic signal control)
- Mixed pedestrian and cyclist crossside pavement markings (stop-controlled side street & unsignalized driveway)

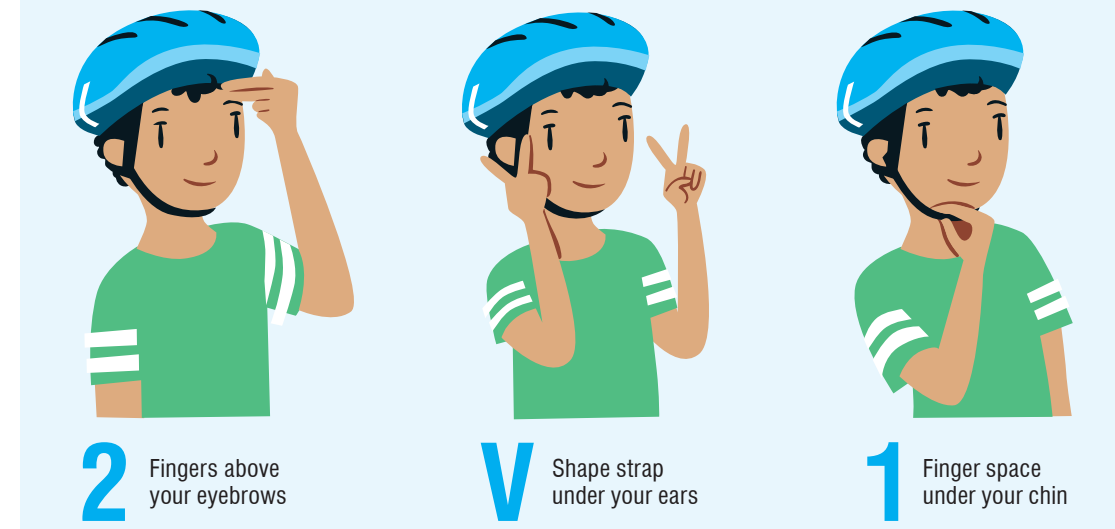
SHARING THE MULTI-USE PATHWAY (MUP)



SHARING THE STREET



WEAR A HELMET - MAKE SURE IT FITS



BICYCLE FACILITY TYPES

- CYCLETRACKS**
- MULTI-USE PATHWAYS (ON-BOULEVARD)**
- MULTI-USE TRAILS**
- BIKE LANES**
- PAVED SHOULDER**
- SHARED ROADWAYS (WITH URBAN SHOULDER)**

BICYCLE HAND SIGNALS

Hand signals are given by cyclists to indicate their intentions to others using the road. Bicycles are considered vehicles under the Highway Traffic Act.

- RIGHT TURN**
- ALTERNATE RIGHT TURN**
- LEFT TURN**
- STOPPING**

BIKE REPAIR STATIONS

The City of Markham maintains a number of public bike repair stands that cyclists can use for basic bicycle repairs and maintenance. Each station has an air pump, bike stand to secure your bike to work on, and a set of tools. There are currently eight (8) bike repair stations along the Rouge Valley Trail. They can be found on the map.



PROGRAMS AND EVENTS

- Markham Cycling Day**
Markham Cycling Day is York Region's largest public cycling event that offers a safe and fun cycling experience for people of all ages and riding abilities. The annual event features two major components – the Tour de Markham community rides and the Children's Bike Races for young cyclists from ages 3 to 10. For more information, visit markham.ca/cyclingday
- Markham Cycles Community Hub**
Markham Cycles is York Region's first community bike hub located at Milliken Mills Community Centre (in the rear parking lot) and at Centennial Community Centre. They offer free programs and workshops to anyone who is interested in cycling. For more information, visit www.markhamcycles.ca
- Markham Cycling & Pedestrian Advisory Committee**
The Markham Cycling and Pedestrian Advisory Committee was established in the early 2000s to advise Markham City staff and City Council on matters related to cycling and walking. With representatives from the public, outside organizations and Council Members, the committee advocates for a safe walking and cycling city for all, and encourages more people to bike and walk through education and promotion. Committee meetings are held every three months and they are open to the general public.



WALKING AND CYCLING LOOPS AND TRAILS

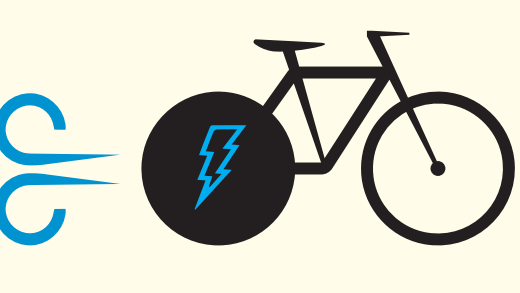
- Markham Rouge Valley Trail**
Distance: 11 km
The Rouge Valley Trail follows the Rouge River along Toogood Pond located in the heart of Unionville, continues south to Austin Drive Park, connects through Milne Dam Conservation Park to east of Markham Road under Highway 407 to 14th Avenue near 9th Line, with plans to extend to Rouge National Urban Park.
- Huntington Trail**
Distance: 2 km
The Huntington Trail runs west from Leslie Street and crosses Little German Creek to Huntington Park, which has a picnic shelter, sport facilities and playground. It continues west along the edge of Maple Valley, crossing German Mills Creek to Evergreen Crescent (East of Bayview).
- Lake to Lake Route**
Distance: 4.8 km (Markham Section)
The Lake to Lake Route is a 121 km trail that connects Lake Simcoe to Lake Ontario, creating a key north-south spine in York Region and the City of Toronto. The section through Markham includes a multi-use pathway along Leslie Street and John Street, and through German Mills Settlers Park.
- Berczy Park North & South**
Distance: 1 km
Located at the heart of Berczy Village, the Berczy Park North and Berczy Park South is connected by a 1 km long pathway with a pedestrian crossing at Bur Oak Ave. The parks feature tennis court, soccer fields, baseball diamond, basketball court, and playground
- Rouge National Urban Park**
Distance: 15 km (Markham Section)
Established in 2015, this is North America's largest urban park. There are two trail areas: Bob Hunter Memorial Park area and the Reesor Road/19th Avenue day use areas. These trails traverse treed river valleys, wetlands, grasslands and agricultural lands.



MICROMOBILITY - E-BIKES

E-bikes are growing in popularity as a mode of transportation. An E-bike is described as a power-assisted bicycle, also known as an electric bicycle, which has an electric motor. There are rules and regulations e-bike riders must follow in Ontario.

- YOU'RE-BIKE MUST HAVE:**
- a maximum assisted speed of 32 km/h
 - a maximum weight of 120 kg
 - an electric motor not exceeding 500 watts
 - minimum wheel width of 35 mm and minimum diameter of 350 mm
 - two independent braking systems that apply force to each wheel and are able to bring the e-bike to a full stop within 9 m
- YOU MUST:**
- be 16 or older to ride an e-bike
 - wear an approved helmet
 - ensure your e-bike is in good condition
 - follow the rules of the road



Although e-bike users can ride on most roads and highways where conventional bicycles are allowed, it is important to follow municipal bylaws. This includes where conventional bicycles are banned and where e-bikes are prohibited. For more information, please visit: <https://www.ontario.ca/page/riding-e-bike>

CONTACT US
CITY OF MARKHAM
 Customer Service
 905.477.5530, customerservice@markham.ca
 www.markham.ca
 Park Maintenance
 905.415.7535

EMERGENCY
 911

York Region Police
 General Inquiry: 1.866.8POLICE (76.5423)

Bike Registration
 yrp.ca/bikeregistration.aspx

TRANSIT
 York Region Transit
 905.762.2100
 yrt.ca
 GO Transit
 1.888.GET-ON-GO (438.6646)
 gotransit.com

YORK REGION CYCLING
 www.york.ca/cycling
 transportation@york.ca
 1.877.464.9675 Ext. 75564

MARKHAM CYCLES BIKE HUB
 www.markhamcycles.ca

MAJOR CITY PARKS

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| 1 Huntington Park | 7 Rouge National Urban Park |
| 2 German Mills Settlers Park | 8 Berczy Park North |
| 3 Pomona Mills Park | 9 Berczy Park South |
| 4 Victoria Square Park | 10 Bob Hunter Park |
| 5 Toogood Pond Park | 11 Milliken Mills Park |
| 6 Milne Dam Conservation Park | |

For more information on recommended trails, please see the backside.

LEGEND

- Hospital
- GO Stations
- Police Station
- Visitor Parking
- VIVA Stations
- Schools
- Bike Repair Station
- Markham Cycles
- Washroom
- Bike Lanes
- Shared Roadway
- Shared Roadway With Urban Shoulder
- Multi-use Pathway (On-Boulevard)
- Paved Shoulder
- Cycle Track
- Multi-use Trails
- Provincial Highway & Expressway
- Major & Arterial Roads

COMMUNITY CENTRES:

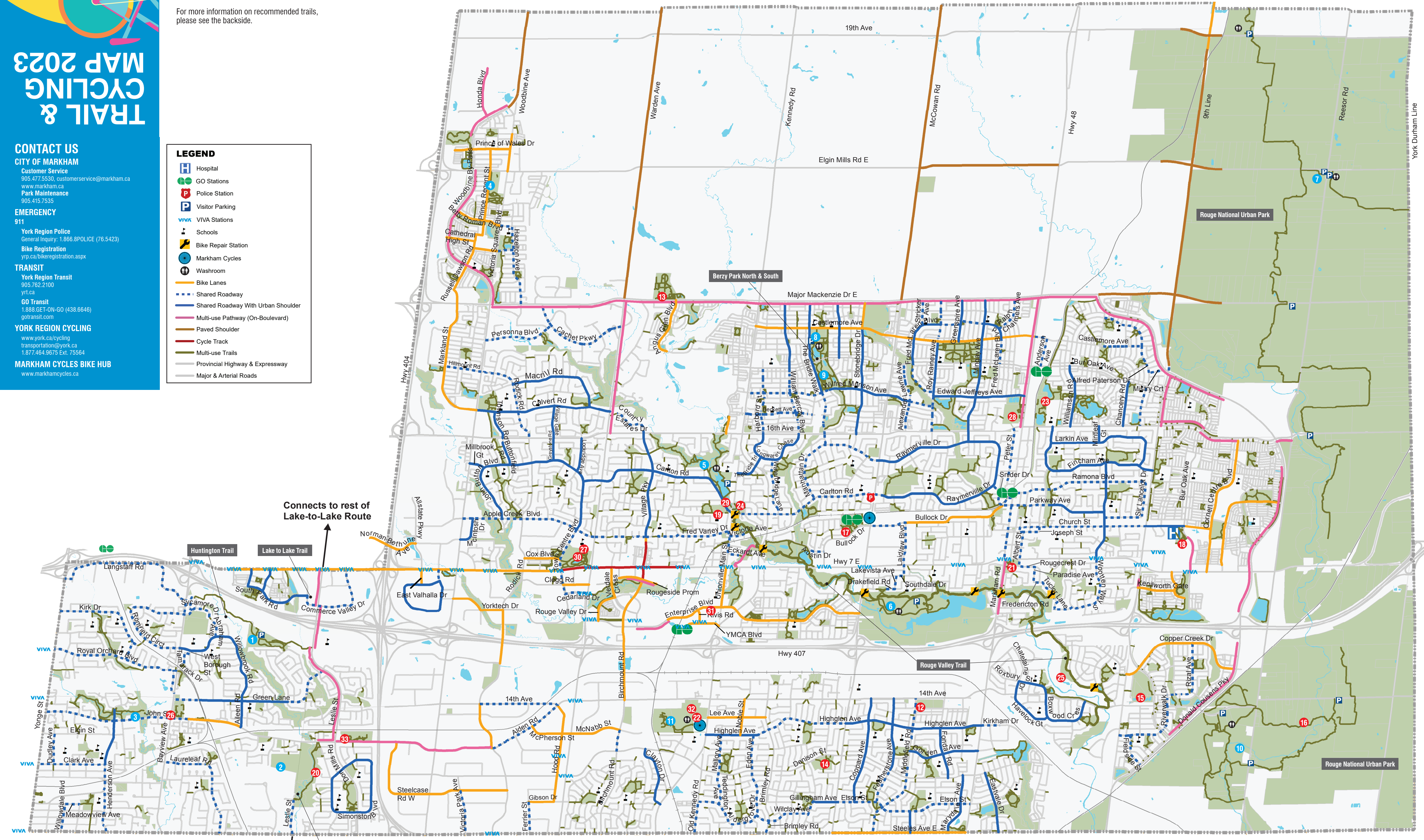
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| 12 Aaniin CC & L | 17 Centennial CC | 22 Milliken Mills CC & L |
| 13 Angus Glen CC & L | 18 Cornell CC & L | 23 Mount Joy CC |
| 14 Armadale CC | 19 Crosby Memorial CC | 24 Old Unionville Library C |
| 15 Box Grove CC | 20 German Mills CC | 25 Rouge River CC |
| 16 Cedar Grove CC | 21 Markham Village Area, CC & Library | 26 Thornhill CC & L |

MUSEUM & ENTERTAINMENT:

- 27 Flato Markham Theatre
- 28 Markham Museum
- 29 Varley Art Gallery of Markham

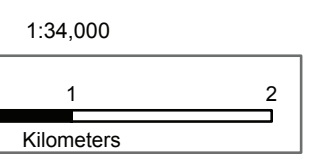
OTHER FACILITIES:

- 30 Markham Civic Centre
- 31 Markham Pan Am Centre
- 32 Milliken Mills Soccer Dome
- 33 R.J. Clatworthy Arena



Connects to rest of Lake-to-Lake Route

Connects to Lake Ontario



York Durham Line