

# **Incoming Traffic and Parking Instructions for Participants**

# Critical Instructions for a smooth entry ...

Police will be directing traffic to the race site so pay close attention to their instruction. Once inside the Bean Center complex, our team of parking volunteers will guide you to the open parking spaces.

#### 1. If you are arriving from the South

Take I-465 North on the East side of Indianapolis to the Pendleton Pike Exit (Exit 42). Turn right (east) on Pendleton Pike and proceed 2 miles to the Post Road traffic light. Turn left (north) onto Post Road and go ¼ mile (crossing the railroad tracks) to Hess Road. Turn left (west) onto Hess Road then right into the Bean Center Parking Lot. Please follow police and volunteer directions.

#### 2. If you are arriving from the North

Take I-465 South on the East side of Indianapolis to the 56th Street Exit (Exit 40). Turn left (east) on 56th Street and proceed 1.5 miles to the Herbert Lord Road traffic light. Turn right (south) at the traffic light and then left into the Bean Center Parking Lot. Please follow police and volunteer directions.

## 3. If you are arriving from the West

Take East 56<sup>th</sup> Street to the Herbert Lord Traffic light. Turn right (south) at the traffic light and then left into the Bean Center Parking Lot. PLEASE USE THE TWO RIGHT HAND LANES, police will be directing cars from both lanes on 56<sup>th</sup> Street onto Herbert Lord.

## 4. If you are arriving from the East

Take West 56th Street to the Post Road traffic light. Turn left (south) on Post Road and then right into the Bean Center Parking Lot. Please follow police and volunteer directions.

- 5. The walk to the race site will be approximately 4 8 blocks depending on the lot that you park in. Once parked, you will head north (toward 56th Street) to get to the Race Site.
- 6. Please plan to arrive early. Roads will begin to shut down shortly after 7:30 AM in preparation for the race. Please plan to arrive and be parked no later than 7:30 AM, this will ensure a smoother and more

relaxed drive into the race. Head to the race site and enjoy the music and the electric pre-race atmosphere, or if you do not want to head over to the race site right away then use the time to relax in your vehicle with music, meditation, or visualization.

- 7. We will have Police Officers and Parking Volunteers at every intersection. They will be in radio contact with each other to route incoming vehicles to the least congested parking lots, please follow their directions.
- 8. **Arrive Early** expect the natural delays that come with race morning traffic congestion. Thousands of people will be arriving around the same time! Arrive early, plan to be parked by 7:30 AM or sooner. Then RELAX and have a great race!
- 9. **Portable Restrooms –** there will be over 50 portable restrooms at the Race Site near the starting corrals. Note there are no portable restrooms in the parking lots.