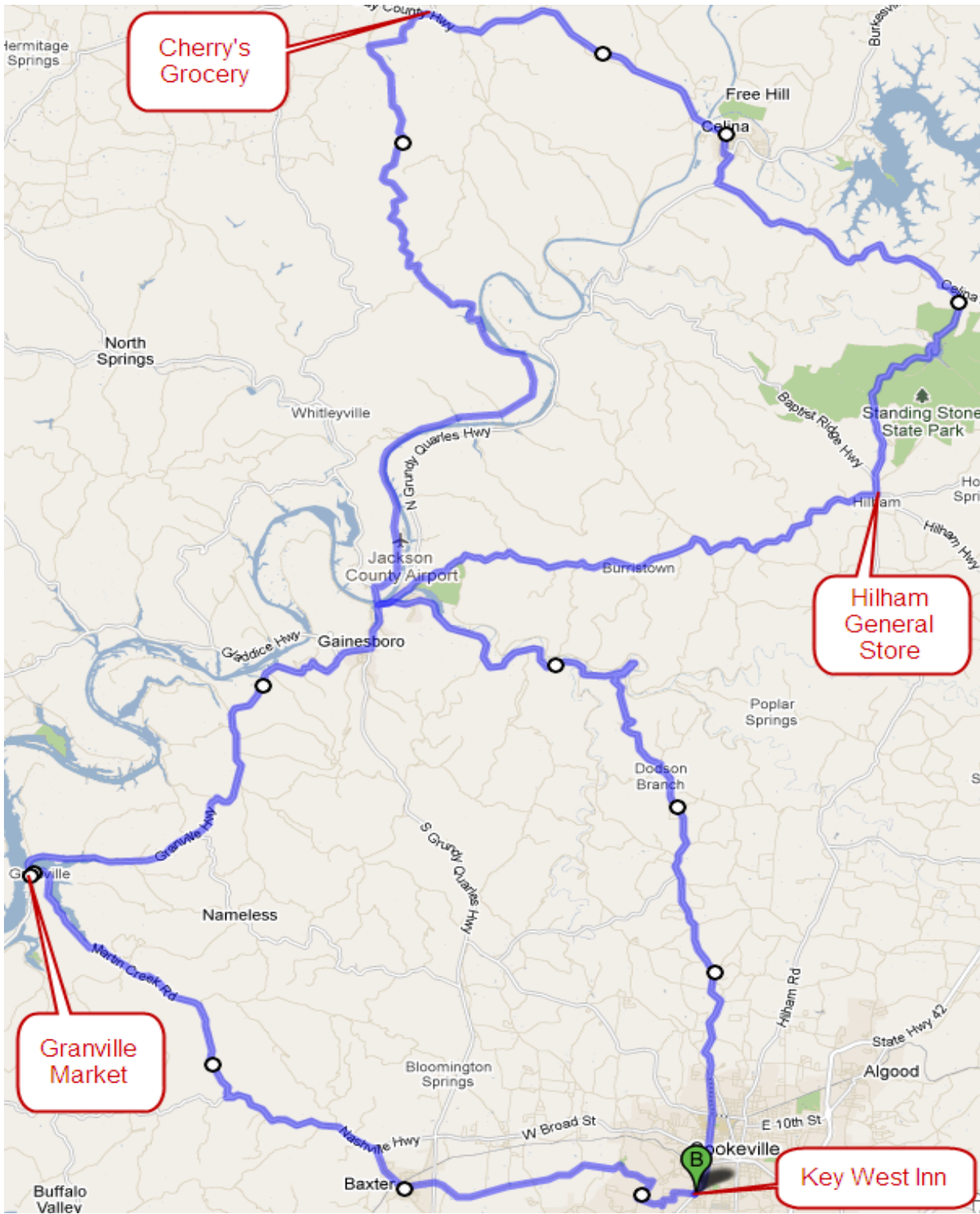


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Map

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Distance from Previous Cue	Cumulative Distance	Description
		CONTROL #1 - Key West Inn, 663 South Willow Avenue Cookeville, TN 38501
		OPENS: START +00:00 CLOSES: START +01:00
0	0	Leaving control, go north on S Willow Ave towards downtown Cookeville
3.2	3.2	Continue onto TN-135 N/Dodson Branch Rd
20.6	23.8	Gainesboro - Turn left on TN-135 N/TN-56 N/TN-85 W
0.3	24.1	Turn right across bridge to stay on TN-135 N (stores in Gainesboro left)
0.5	24.6	Turn right on Big Bottom Rd - UNMARKED - gravel after 9 miles - stay straight thru all intersections
12.7	37.3	Continue on Brimstone Creek Rd - UNMARKED - 3 more miles of gravel
9.9	47.2	Turn right on Union Hill/Moss Rd - UNMARKED - Stop Sign
1.8	49	Turn right on TN-52 E / TN-52 Scenic E / Clay County Hwy
0.3	49.3	CONTROL #2 - Cherry's Grocery, 8158 Clay County Highway Moss, TN 38575
		OPENS: START +02:38 CLOSES: START +05:16
0.0	49.3	Continue SE on TN-52 E / TN-52 Scenic E / Clay County Hwy
8.5	57.8	In Celina, turn right on Brown St (UNMARKED - 2nd right past courthouse)
0.4	58.2	Continue straight onto Mitchell St
0.1	58.3	Turn left on Pitcock Ln
0.2	58.5	Turn right on TN-52 E / TN-52 Scenic E / TN-53 S (Shell station & Dairy Queen left)
0.8	59.3	Turn left on TN-52 E/Livingston Hwy
6.9	66.2	Turn right at Timothy Rd
0.6	66.8	Turn right at TN-136 S/Standing Stone Park Hwy - Lil' Daddy's Diner & Drive-In
2.0	68.8	Turn left to go over stone bridge on dam and stay on TN-136 S/Standing Stone Park Hwy
5.0	73.8	CONTROL #3 - Hilham General Store, 2602 Hilham Highway, Hilham TN 38568
		OPENS: START + 03:58 CLOSES: START +07:56
0.0	73.8	Exit store turning left (west) on TN-85 W
13.6	87.4	Turn left on TN-53 S/TN-53 Scenic S/TN-85 W/TN-85 Scenic W
2.1	89.5	Gainesboro - stores (Marathon, Citgo, and Foodtown) - DQ (off-route)
0.0	89.5	Turn right to stay on TN-53 S / Granville Hwy (tough climb out of town)
13.1	102.6	CONTROL #4 - Granville Market, 6789 Granville Highway, Granville, TN 38564
		OPENS: START +05:30 CLOSES: START +11:00
0.0	102.6	Leaving control, retrace route north on TN-53
0.1	102.7	Turn right on TN-96 S/Clover St (TB Sutton Store on left - ice cream)
8.7	111.4	Turn left on TN-24 E / TN-96 N / US-70 N E/Nashville Hwy
4.2	115.6	Turn right on 1st Ave (unmarked - "Baxter Business District" sign) - stay on road over RR tracks
1.3	116.9	Turn left on Buffalo Valley Rd (unmarked - school right)
6.9	123.8	Turn right on Holladay Rd
0.5	124.3	Turn left on Bill Smith Rd
0.6	124.9	Turn left on W Oak Dr (into apartment complex)
0.2	125.1	Turn right on Spring Valley Rd (neighborhood)
0.4	125.5	Turn right on Lone Oak Dr
0.5	126.0	CONTROL #5 - Key West Inn, 663 South Willow Avenue Cookeville, TN 38501
		OPENS: START +06:44 CLOSES: START +13:28

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		CONTROL #1 - Key West Inn, 663 South Willow Avenue Cookeville, TN 38501
		OPENS: START + 00:00 CLOSES: START + 01:00
0	0	Leaving control, turn right on Lone Oak Dr. (away from TN-135)
0.5	0.5	Turn left on Spring Valley Rd
0.4	0.9	Turn left on W Oak Drive (into apartment complex)
0.2	1.1	Turn right on Bill Smith Rd
0.6	1.7	Turn right on Holladay Rd
0.6	2.3	Turn left on Buffalo Valley Rd
6.4	8.7	Turn right on 1st Ave. S (in Baxter)
1.3	10	Turn left on TN-24 W / US-70 N W / Nashville Hwy
4.2	14.2	Turn right on TN-96 N / Shaw Branch Rd (store on right) - stay on TN-96 N
8.7	22.9	Granville - Turn left on TN-53 S/Granville Hwy
0.1	23	CONTROL #2 - Granville Market, 6789 Granville Highway, Granville, TN 38564
		OPENS: START + 01:14 CLOSES: START + 02:28
0	23	Leaving control, retrace route north on TN-53 N / Granville Hwy
13.2	36.2	In Gainesboro, at traffic light turn left on TN-53 N / TN-56 N (Dairy Queen right - other stores on route)
2	38.2	Turn right on TN-85 E
13.6	51.8	CONTROL #3 - Hilham General Store, 2602 Hilham Highway, Hilham TN 38568
		OPENS: START + 02:46 CLOSES: START + 05:32
0	51.8	Turn left on TN-136 N / Standing Stone Park Hwy
5.1	56.9	(Over one-lane bridge) turn right to stay on TN-136 N / Standing Stone Park Hwy (unmarked)
2	58.9	Turn left on Timothy Rd - Lil Daddy's Drive-In and Diner on right
0.6	59.5	Turn left on TN-52 W / Celina Hwy
6.9	66.4	Turn right on TN-52 W / TN-53 N / Gainesboro Hwy
0.8	67.2	Turn left on Pitcock Rd (Shell station on right - Dairy Queen)
0.2	67.4	Turn right on Mitchell St
0.1	67.5	Continue straight on Brown St
0.4	67.9	Turn left on Dow Ave
0.5	68.4	Continue straight on TN-52 W / Clay County Hwy
8.2	76.6	CONTROL #4 - Cherry's Grocery, 8158 Clay County Highway Moss, TN 38575
		OPENS: START + 04:06 CLOSES: START + 08:12
0	76.6	Leaving control, continue west on TN-52 W / Clay County Hwy
0.3	76.9	Turn left on Union Hill/Moss Rd
1.8	78.7	Turn left on Brimstone Creek Rd - becomes gravel in six miles (after descent)
9.9	88.6	Continue straight on Big Bottom Rd (UNMARKED) - gravel continues 3 more miles
12.7	101.3	Turn left on TN-135 S / TN-56 S / TN-85 E (UNMARKED)
0.5	101.8	Cross Cumberland R., then turn left on TN-135 S / TN-53 N / TN-85 E (Gainesboro stores off-route right)
0.3	102.1	Turn right on TN-135 S / Dodson Branch Hwy - stay on TN-135 - BUSY IN COOKEVILLE
23.8	125.9	Turn left on Lone Oak Drive
0.1	126	CONTROL #5 - Key West Inn, 663 South Willow Avenue Cookeville, TN 38501
		OPENS: START +06:40 CLOSES: START +13:20

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The standard route will let you go through Cookeville on 135 when it is early and quiet. The reverse route requires that you return on 135 during a busy period. The four-lane road can be hectic.

This route includes over six miles of unpaved -- albeit lovely -- road. If you would prefer less of an adventure, the Honest Abe 200K is almost exactly the same (and shorter), except for Big Bottom and Brimstone Creek Roads, with their gravel sections.

Dodson Creek Market (about mile 14) has sandwiches and hot food. Hours: M-Thur 6a-7:30p, Fri 6a-8p, Sat 6:30a-8p, Sun 7a-2p

Cherry's Grocery in Moss, TN is open seven days/week, 8 am - 6 pm. Starting at 5 am, you could get there before this control opens, but you would be riding very fast.

Celina Stores: Jack's Quik Shop, Shell, and Dairy Queen. Jack's Quik Shop (just before "downtown"): Sun-Thur 3:30 am - 10 pm; Fri-Sat 3:30 am - 11 pm. Celina Shell Hours: Sun - Thur 4:30a - 10:30p, Fri & Sat 4:30a - 11:30p.

Gainsboro Stores: Marathon, Citgo, Foodtown on route. Marathon M-F 6a - 9p, Sat 6a - 10p, Sun 7a - 9p. Citgo M-S 4a - 11p, Sun 5a - 10p. Foodtown M-S 7a - 8p, Sun 11a - 6p. Just off route (continue N on TN-56 0.1 miles) is a Dairy Queen.

Between Granville and Gainsboro (about mile 105) is store: Clipper's Food, Hair & Fun

Granville Market is open 6a - 6p, seven days/week

Convenience store at intersection of Buffalo Valley Road and TN-56 (about mile 116)