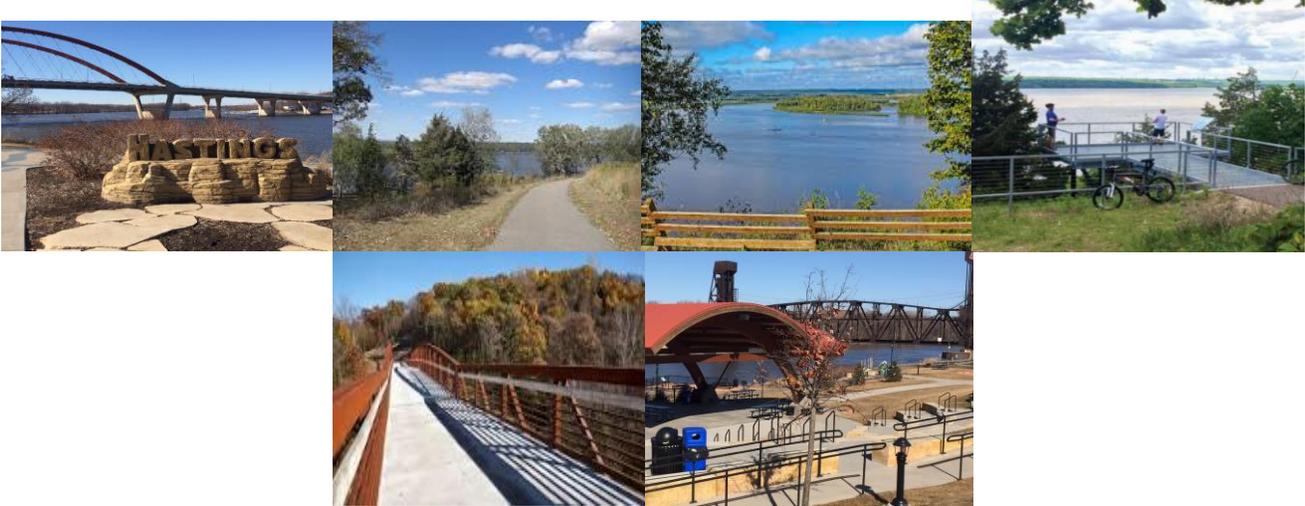


Important: Due to weather concerns, we've changed the date of this week's ride to Wednesday, September 1st

Mississippi River Trail Ride

Downtown Hastings to Schaar's Bluff & West Trailhead*



This late summer ride features scenic views of the Mississippi River and its surrounding terrain as contrasting shades of green are giving way to hints of autumn colors to come. The 21-mile roundtrip* paved trail ride with our helmets of course, includes a little of everything for avid bikers including gentle flats, naturally shaded areas, photo-op overlooks and a couple challenging hills to prove to yourself... *You're still awesome!* 😊

The ride will begin in Downtown Hastings at Levee Park overlooking the Mississippi River. We will assemble on the Eastside of the public parking lot near the American Legion Post 47. First, we'll ride along the river trail past the Lock and Dam No. 2 and up a short, but attention-getting hill to a gorgeous overlook of the river basin. Once everyone has caught their breath, we'll head west to Schaar's Bluff for a well-earned rest/bio break and photo-op. Next, we'll continue over a couple of impressive trail bridges linking eye-catching slopes on our way to the West Trailhead of the Spring Lake Park Reserve. Once refreshed, we'll retrace our journey enjoying more picturesque views and the relatively downhill ride after Schaar's Bluff back to Levee Park.

When: Wednesday, September 1st

10:15 am - Meet & review ride options

10:30 am – Begin bike ride

***** HELMETS REQUIRED *****

Where: Hastings in Levee Park – Parking lot east of the [American Legion Post 47](#) located at 50 Sibley Street, Hastings

Picnic Lunch (Optional) at: Levee Park – Please BYO Lunch & Chair

Please RSVP Ride Co-Host by August 31st

Rick Huber at richardjhuber@gmail.com or text: 262 424 0772.

~ In case of bad weather, contact [Rick Huber](#) for cancellation info~