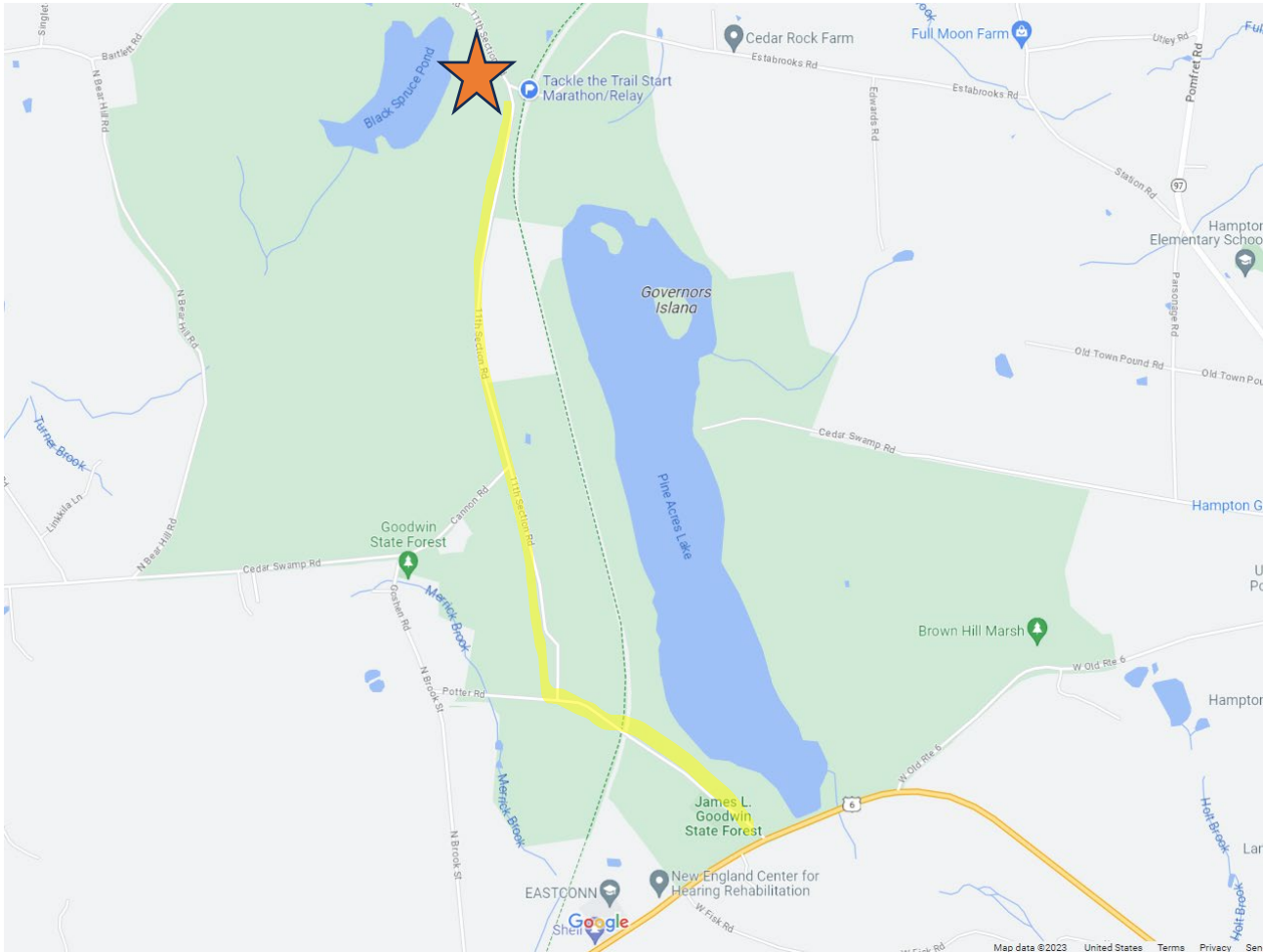


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## 2023 Marathon and Relay Teams Updated Directions

Unprecedented rain this summer and early fall has created the need for a new start location for the Marathon and Relay Team Races. The race will start on the Airline Trail in Hampton, CT. **Requesting that marathoners AND relay leg 1 runners take transportation from finish line at The Hale YMCA, 9 Technology Park Drive, Putnam, CT. A bus will leave at 7 AM.**

Directions: We recommend using these driving directions, not google maps, which may route you incorrectly. Please see the Course Maps for runner instructions\*.



### From Route 6 East

- Potter Road for .5 miles
- Right onto Eleventh Section Road for 1.3 miles
- Limited parking is available along Eleventh Section Road.

### START LINE: Estabrooks Rd, Hampton, CT • Relay Station 1 and 2 (double station)

- Marathon/Relay: Start 1 mile south on the Airline Trail from Estabrook (walk to the start line)

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**From: Relay Station 1 and 2 (double station) Estabrooks Rd, Hampton, CT**  
**To: Relay Station 3 Brooklyn Rd, Pomfret, CT**

- East on Estabrooks Road for 1.2 miles
- Right onto Station Road for .4 miles
- Left onto Route 97 for 4 miles.
- Right onto Brooklyn Road for .3 miles.
- Parking is available before the relay station on the left.
- Relay Station 3 is on the trail.

**From: Relay Station 3 Brooklyn Rd, Pomfret, CT**  
**To: Relay Station 4 Route 169, Pomfret, CT**

- West on Brooklyn Road for .3 miles to Rte. 97
- Right onto Route 97 for 1.8 miles
- Right onto Route 44 East for 2.1 miles
- Left onto Route 44 East/ Route 169 North for .6 miles.
- Left onto Railroad Street. Relay Station 4 is at the Trail Head. Parking will be on your left.

**From: Relay Station 4 Route 169, Pomfret, CT**  
**To: Finish Line Hale YMCA, 9 Technology Park Drive, Putnam, CT**

- Left onto Route 44/169 for 2.1 miles.
- Right to continue Route 44 East to Downtown Putnam.
- Right onto Kennedy Drive (traffic light) for 1.5 miles.
- Right onto Technology Park Drive. It is easy to miss this turn. If you arrive at interstate 395, you have gone too far.