

## NARRAGANSETT BAY WHEELMEN #53

MATTAPOISETT - ROCHESTER - WAREHAM

19 and 33 miles

**START:** Commuters parking lot, off Rt. 195 E.  
the Mattapoissett exit #19.

19 miles: take right onto Vaughn Hill  
from Rt. 105

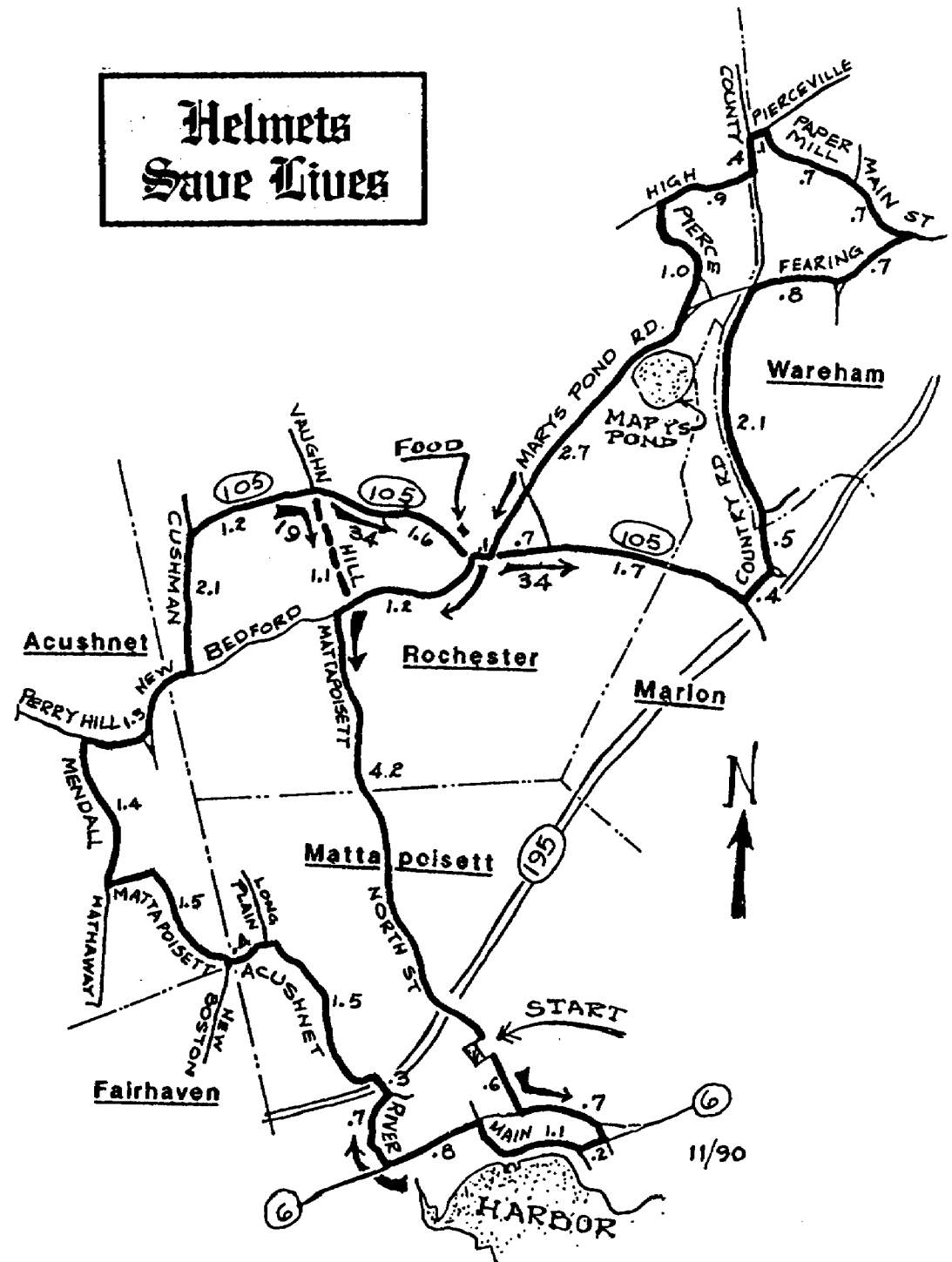
33 miles: continue straight onto Rt. 105  
at 19 miles split, do upper loop.

### SCENIC NOTES

This ride explores the country inland from Buzzards Bay, between New Bedford and Cape Cod. Mattapoissett, at one time a ship-building center is the starting location. Now lined with wooden homes, shops, parks and a waterfront bandstand. Leaving town, head into the village of Rochester where you'll note its Gothic-style church and wooden town hall. Beyond Rochester, enjoy the runs along cranberry bogs past Mary's and Blackmore Ponds. the return trip to the start is a smooth run past small farms and old homes. Food stop is along Rt. 105, 1.6 miles past the 19 mile cutoff, in Rochester. Enjoy this flat to gently rolling ride.

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Helmets are required to  
prevent serious head injuries.