

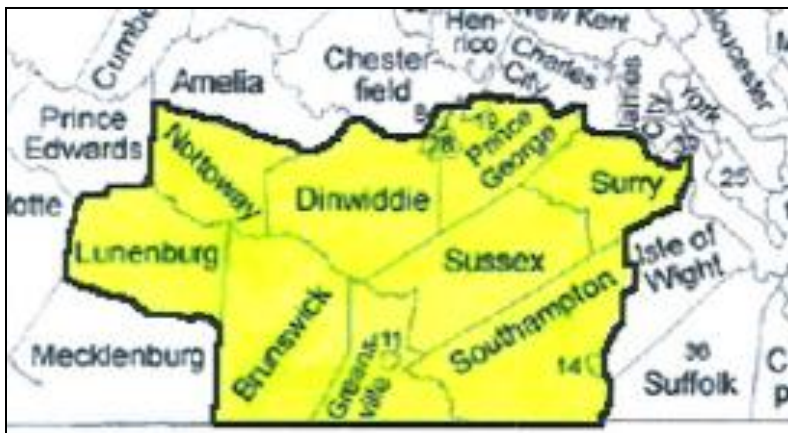


## 2017 Virginia Law Enforcement Torch Run Routes Region 4: Southside

*Each summer, law enforcement officials from across Virginia carry the Flame of Hope on a 1,900 journey to the Special Olympics Virginia Summer Games Opening Ceremony in Richmond. This 8-day Torch Run involves more than 2,000 law enforcement officers and personnel representing more than 200 law enforcement agencies across Virginia.*

***In Southside Virginia (Region 4) Torch Run Route legs in Emporia, Prince George, Ft. Lee, Petersburg, and Colonial Heights take place over several days during the week of June 4th.***

**Law Enforcement agencies located in the following jurisdictions participate in the Region 4 Torch Run**



Brunswick County  
Colonial Heights  
Dinwiddie County  
Emporia  
Franklin County  
Greenville County  
Hopewell  
Lunenburg County  
Nottoway County  
Petersburg  
Southampton County  
Surry County  
Sussex County

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## Dates, Times, and Route Information

*Time and mileage are estimations – please arrive early so you don't miss the run!*

**Emporia Leg: Wednesday, June 7th**

**Start time: 8:00am**

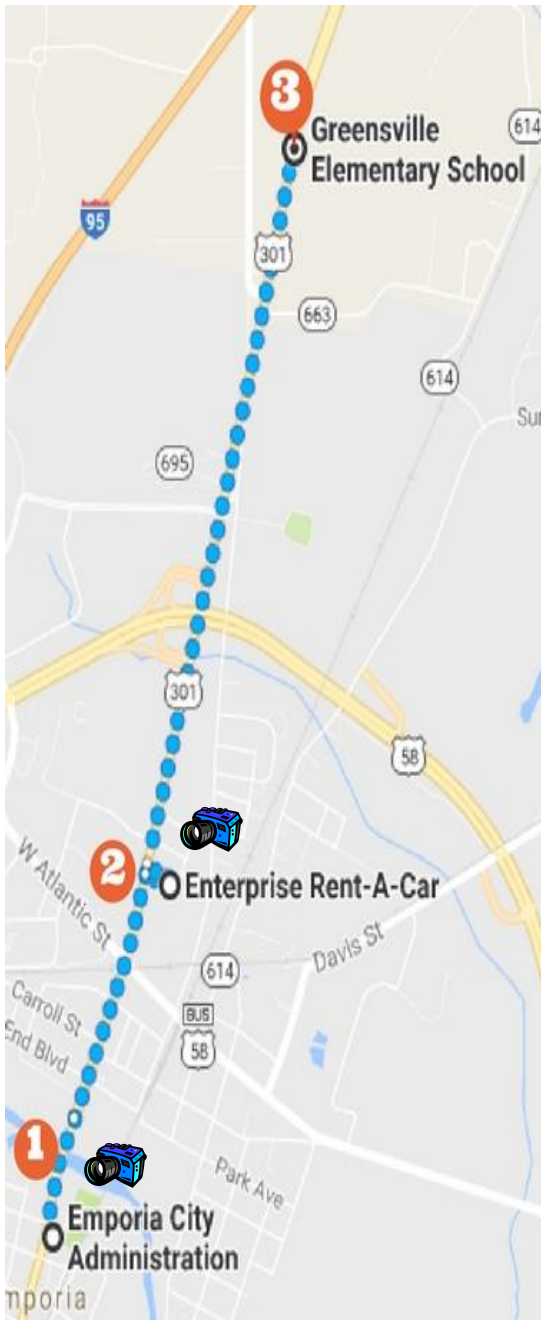


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**Approximate mileage: 2.2 miles**

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**Officer William King [wking@emporiapolice.org](mailto:wking@emporiapolice.org) 434-634-2121**



Time	Mile	Route	Landmarks
8:30am	0.0	Route 301	Start: Across from City Hall (201 S. Main St): Photo Opp.
8:40am	1.0	Route 301	Water Stop: Enterprise (531 N Main St.)
9:15am	2.2	Route 301	End: Greenville Elementary School (1101 Sussex Drive)





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**Prince George leg: Thursday, June 8th**

**Start time: 8:30am**

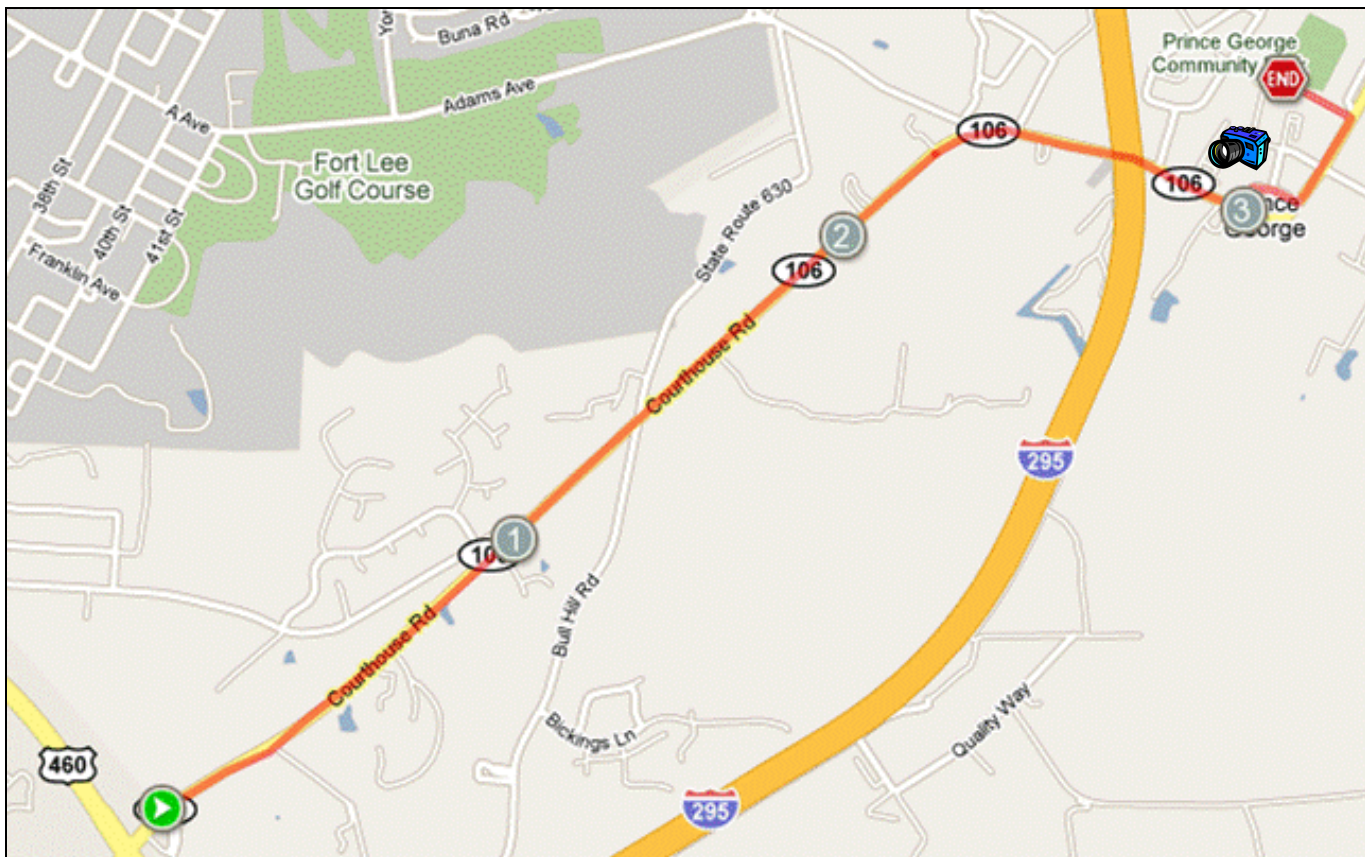


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**Approximate mileage: 3.5 miles**

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Time	Mile	Route	Landmarks & Info
9:00am	0.0	Courthouse Rd.	Start: 8175 Wagner Prince George, VA 23875 Intersection of Courthouse & Route 460
9:30am	3.0	Administration Dr.	Left on Administration Dr.
9:35am	3.5	Scott Park	End: Scott Park





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**Ft. Lee/Petersburg/Colonial Heights/Hopewell leg: Friday, June 9<sup>th</sup>**

**Start time: 7:30am Approximate mileage: 11 miles**

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8:00am	0.0	Route 36	Start: Rosa's Italian Restaurant (4098 Oaklawn Blvd)
8:05 am	0.1	Route 36	Wawa (907 Colonial Corner Drive, Hopewell)
8:25am	1.2	6 <sup>th</sup> St.	Left at Sisisky Gate into Ft. Lee
8:30am	1.75	A Ave. Mahone	Right on A Ave. Left on Mahone Ave SunTrust water stop: (1431 Mahone Dr)
8:45am	4.0	Route 36	Exit at Lee Gate & continue on Rt. 36. (Torch hand-off to Petersburg at city line near Lakemont Dr.)
9:55am	7.0	Route 1	Right on Rt. 1 (Torch hand-off to Colonial Heights @ Bridge)
10:00am	8.5	Charles H Dimmick Hwy	Photo Opp & Water Stop: Enterprise (455 Charles H Dimmick Hwy) & SunTrust (360 Charles H Dimmick Hwy)
10:40 am	11.0	Route 1	End: CiCi's Pizza (1072 Temple Ave, Colonial Heights)

