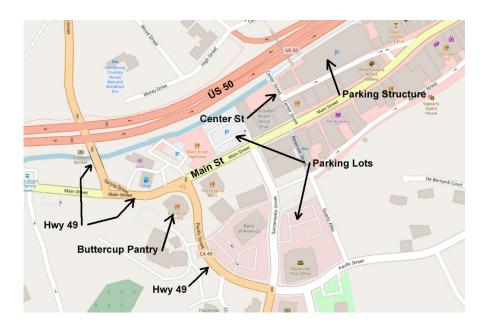
**PROCEDURES:** This event is open to everyone. Volkssports are noncompetitive events. Each participant, must register and sign an Amateur Athletic Waiver and Release of Liability (Parent or Guardian must sign for a minor) at the start point. A control (start) card will be issued upon registration that must be carried during the walk, validated at control points along the route, and turned in at the finish upon completion of the walk. Children under 12 must be accompanied by an adult.

**DISCLAIMER:** The sponsors are not liable for accidents, thefts, and/or material damage. Every reasonable effort will be made by the sponsors to make this a safe, enjoyable, and memorable event. A waiver must be signed by those participating in any event. A parent or guardian must sign for children under 18.

**PARKING:** Park on the street **or** there are two city parking lots one block away and a 4-story parking structure, two blocks away. The first two hours of parking are free. There is a small per hour charge after that.



## The Placer Pacers Present: EL DORADO TRAIL RAILS TO TRAILS

2 Events: WALK AND/OR BIKE IN

Placerville, California

November 8, 2025



**WALK** 5k & 10k (3.1 or 6.2 miles) **BIKE** 25k (15.5 mi.) Sanction Numbers: Walk #130458-2025 Bike #130457-2025



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**START/FINISH TIMES:** 9am to noon, finish by 3pm

SANCTION NUMBERS: Walk #130458-2025

Bike #130457-2025

**RATING:** All routes are rated 1A.

START LOCATION: Buttercup Pantry, 222 Main St.,

Placerville, CA 95667

## **DISTANCES/TRAIL:**

Walks are 5k & 10k -- Bike Tour is 25k

There are two 5k/10k Walk options: **EAST** or **WEST**:

Walk **EAST** from the Buttercup Pantry through downtown enjoying window shopping. Then pick up the El Dorado Trail heading east through a short tunnel. Proceed along a shaded hillside with lots of views, and then return to the Start/Finish. **Or** walk **WEST** from the Buttercup Pantry along the railroad grade to a tall railroad bridge with a great view. Then return to the Start/Finish.

The **Bike** route is 25k. Start from the Buttercup Pantry, ride **EAST** on the El Dorado Trail past where the walkers turn around. Then return to the Start for the first 13k. Next, ride **WEST** to the Railroad Bridge where there's a "Bike" turnaround indicator, then return to the Start/Finish for a total of 25k.

All routes are on gently sloping old railroad grades. There will be turnaround indicators for all routes.

AWARD: none

**REGISTRATION:** Credit and Guest fee is \$4.00. Refunds cannot be provided. No pre-registration for this event.

**SPECIAL PROGRAMS:** Rails to Trails, Town Hall/City Hall, Walking the USA, A-Z (letter P), & El Dorado County.

MISCELLANEOUS: Restrooms and water are available at the Start/Finish. Strollers & Wheelchairs medium for 5k & 10k walks. Dogs okay on leash with cleanup.

Do not park in the Buttercup Pantry parking lot.

There are two city parking lots one block away, and a 4-story parking structure, two blocks away. (see map on back page)

STIPULATIONS: This event is sanctioned by the American Volkssport Association (AVA) a member of the International Federation of Popular Sports and counts towards the acquisition of IVV Achievement Awards. With registration for this event, the participant accepts the guidelines of the AVA and agrees to observe the principles of good sportsmanship and safety. This walk event will take place regardless of the weather conditions. The Bike event is subject to cancellation if raining or slippery enough to make it unsafe.

**POC:** Warren Tellefson, <u>wtellef@sbcglobal.net</u> 530-305-5479

**DIRECTIONS:** 222 Main Street, Placerville, CA 95667. From Sacramento take 1-50 eastbound to Placerville, exit Right at Spring St./CA 49. Turn Left onto Main St. Buttercup Pantry is on the Right. From Lake Tahoe, take 1-50 westbound, to Placerville. At 2nd stoplight turn Left onto Spring St./CA 49, then turn Left onto Main St. Pantry is on the Right.

For additional fun, check out our Year-Round Walking Events and Biking Tours: Auburn-Walk Lincoln- Walk & Tour Placerville- Walk Rancho Cordova-Walk & Tour Roseville-2 Walks & 1 Tour