

16th Annual Columbia Slough Regatta

9am to 1pm

Multnomah County Drainage Districts

1880 NE Elrod Dr, Portland OR 97211

[Google maps](#)

Driving Directions

- **From I-5 N:** Take the Columbia Blvd exit, and take a left at the light onto Columbia Blvd. Go past MLK Blvd, and through the light at NE 21st. Then look for a small sign saying “NE 33rd Ave North” and a funny turn-off on the right – it will loop around and under Columbia Blvd, and shoot you straight onto NE 33rd Ave. (If you go under an overpass, you’ve gone too far – turn around and follow the “From I-205 directions” to get onto 33rd now.) Pass the DEQ Station, the Food Bank on your right, and take an immediate left onto Elrod Dr (almost as if you’re going to Riverside Golf Club). Pass the golf course, and continue on Elrod Dr all the way (about a mile) until the road ends at the MCDD gate and you see Regatta signs.
- **From I-205:** Take the US-30/Killingsworth St exit, and continue west on Killingsworth. Take a right at the fork onto Columbia Blvd, and continue towards NE 33rd Ave in the right hand lane. When you get to the overpass, veer right at the fork, and you’ll bypass the overpass entirely on the right. Continue right at the next fork, which will shoot you straight onto NE 33rd Ave. Follow the second half of the "From I-5" directions from here.
- **From SE/NE 33rd:** Travel north on NE 33rd Ave. Once you pass NE Ainsworth, get ready in the right hand lane. When you come across the funky overpass, you’ll have three options: an immediate right, a later right, and a later left. You want the middle option, the later right, which will take you up on the highest section of the overpass. When you arrive back on the ground, immediately merge right and take a right at the fork. Follow the second half of the "From I-5" directions from here.

Bus Directions

Take Tri-Met Bus #73 to the stop at NE 21st & Riverside Way. Continue walking north, and cross the narrow bridge over the Slough (careful for cars). Take a left on Elrod Dr and walk along the road until you arrive at MCDD and see Regatta signs (about ½ a mile total walking).

Biking Directions

Find a route from your home using this great website: <http://www.bicycle.org/regions/portlandor>.