

October 9 2007

Event #1: [Michigan Republican Presidential Debate](#)



Where:

[Ford Community & Performing Arts Center](#)

15801 Michigan Ave

(Michigan Ave & Greenfield Rd, SW Corner)

Dearborn, MI 48126

313.943.2350

When:

1:00pm Ron Paul Supporters begin to arrive

2:00pm Event Doors Open

3:00pm Event Doors Close

4:00pm-6:00pm Event

Feel free to come anytime before or during the event.

Tickets?

Free tickets have been severely limited.

If you didn't win a ticket from the Michigan Republican's lottery, it *may* be possible to get a 'complimentary' ticket by purchasing a [\\$500 Pre-Debate Strolling Luncheon](#) ticket from the Michigan GOP. Most people would prefer to send the \$500 to the Ron Paul campaign.

FYI, the debate Theater seats 1,201.

If you have tickets, please dress to impress. And please, applause only.

Where To Park:

Please see the attached overhead map. There is municipal parking behind the event building. Also, there is parking at the Dearborn Police Station/19th District Court Building next door. About one block down, the Dearborn Centennial Library has plenty of parking. East of Greenfield road, there is a Kroger/CVS with plenty of public parking.

The Ford Center regular facilities, 19th District Court, and Library will be closed to the public on Oct 9.

Where to Meet:

There is a large dome at the rear of the building. We will meet somewhere near the dome, which is also very close to the main entrance. We may be 'asked' to move to a specific location.

Things to bring:

- Friends
- Cameras
- Signs will be provided, but if you have a homemade favorite, please bring it.
- Cheers, and a great attitude as always. There will be lots of national coverage. Let's be polite and professional, but also excited and energetic.

Train?

[The Amtrak Train](#) is another way to get to this event. The Dearborn Amtrak Station is within walking distance. A round trip ticket from Ann Arbor is \$22.

Ann Arbor > Dearborn

Service 350 Wolverine
Departs Ann Arbor, MI 2:09pm
Arrives Dearborn, MI 2:46pm
Fare \$11.00

Dearborn > Ann Arbor

Service 355 Wolverine
Departs Dearborn 6:14pm
Arrives Ann Arbor 6:51pm
Fare \$11.00

Airplane Fly-Over

We're organizing an airplane fly-over with "RON PAUL FOR PRESIDENT". The cost is \$400.00 for a 30 minute display. If you'd like to help chip in, there is [more information here](#).

Where To Eat

There are several nice sit-down restaurants in downtown West Dearborn, about 3 miles west on Michigan Ave (past Southfield Fwy), including

Andiamo's
Cheli's Chili
Silky Sullivan's
BD's Mongolian Barbeque
Buddy's Pizza
La Shish

There are also several fast food restaurants within a couple of miles, including

McDonald's (east on Mich Ave about quarter mile)
Burger King (east on Mich Ave about quarter mile)
Ponderosa (north on Greenfield about quarter mile)
Wendy's \ Tim Horton (south on Greenfield about half mile)
Coney Island (south on Greenfield about half mile)
2 Coney Island (North on Mercury Drive at Ford Rd about 1 mile)
Kroger salad bar (just east of event)

Water:

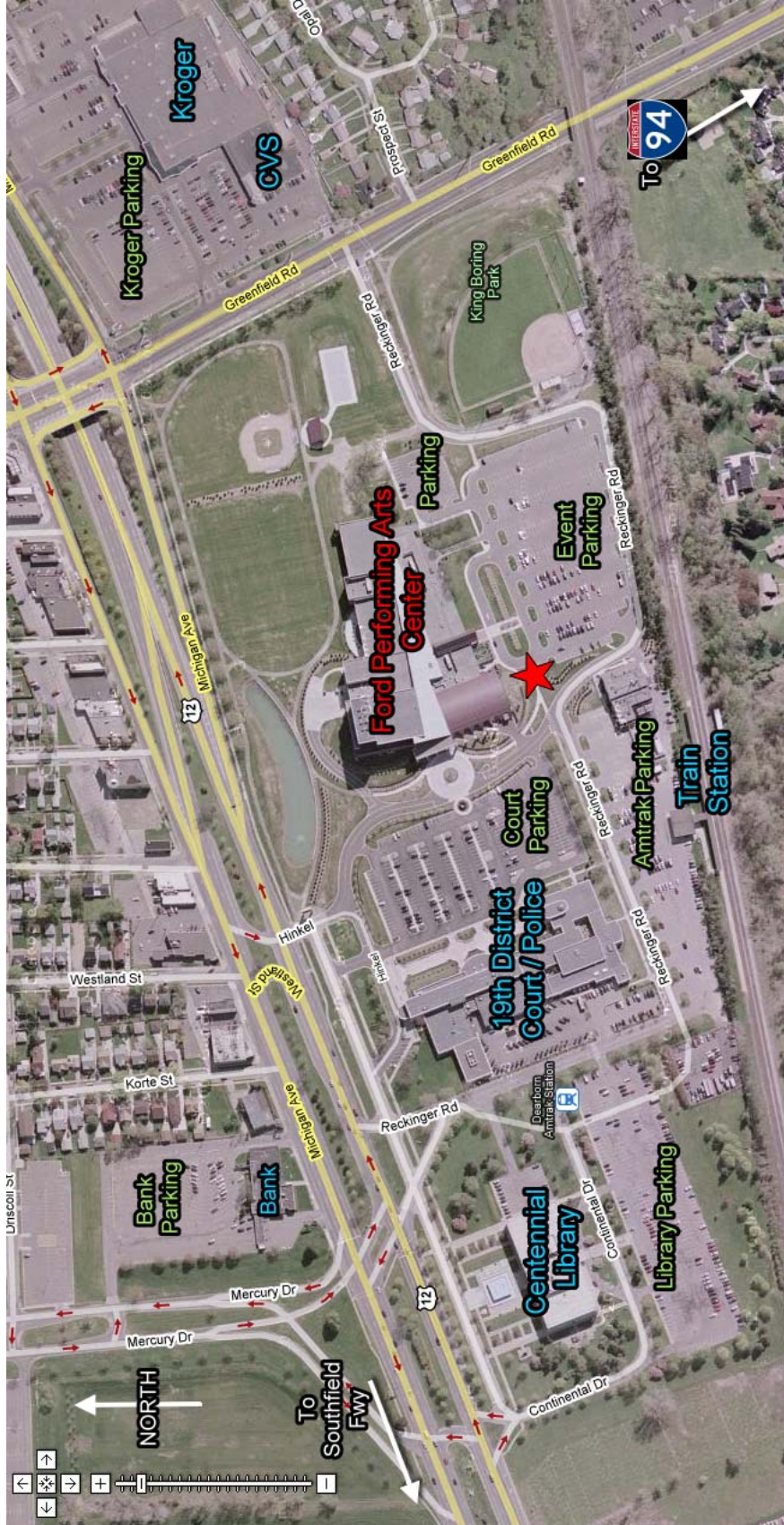
We'll have some cases of water on hand.

Additional Debate Viewing Options

Where: Somewhere on the U-M Dearborn campus TBA. There will be a room set aside for students to watch the debate on live feed. If you pass for college-age, feel free to come to this.

[CNBC](#) will broadcast live at 4:00pm

[MSNBC](#) has not announced coverage as of 10/03



Event #2: Ron Paul Speech at University of Michigan



Where:

U-M Diag
Middle of central campus
Between South University and North University
And Between State St. and Church St.

When:

6:30pm – 7:30pm: Set up on the U-M Diag
7:30pm: Ron Paul Speech
8:30pm: Clean up, possibly autographs, disperse

Where to park:

Parking is free at city meters, many city lots, and U-M lots after 6pm.

From Dearborn Debate to Ann Arbor Diag

Take either Greenfield Rd south, or Southfield Fwy south to I-94 W (27mi)

Follow I-94 to exit 180B: US 23 N (2.4mi)

Take exit 37B to M17 Washtenaw Ave (3mi)

Washtenaw Ave will take you right into UM Downtown near N University.

