

# **11<sup>th</sup> Annual Bike “Ride with Jim”**

**Congressman James Oberstar**

**The Paul Bunyan State Trail/Baxter City Trails and Low Traffic Residential Streets**

## **1<sup>st</sup> Annual Baxter Bike Trail Day by Mayoral Proclamation**

**Approximately 20 miles of ride distance**

**Sunday June 1st, 2008**

**Start and end at Whipple Beach park in Baxter**

**Hosted by Paul Bunyan Trail Association**

**and Brainerd Community Action**

**2008 Ride and Community Pig Roast Picnic Sponsored by**

**City of Baxter, served by Prairie Bay Restaurant – limited space available**

**Lunch open to the public with R.S.V.P. to (218) 454-5115 during normal business hours of  
Baxter City Hall- \$7.00 per person**

**Lunch Menu:** Slow Roasted Rotisserie Pork, Rustic Whole Grain Mustard Potato Salad, Mediterranean Pasta Salad, Kettle Chips, Fresh Deli Buns, House made BBQ Sauce

**This is an informal casual ride, not a race. Each participant is on his/her own. There is no sag wagon or shuttle service provided. Baxter police will assist where required at road crossings.**

**The ride and lunch will take place rain or shine**

**The public is invited to bike, skate, walk, or jog the trail with the Congressman and Baxter elected officials and staff.**

**Complimentary water beverages and energy bars will be available at the rest stop and along the route.**

### **ITINERARY**

- 8:00 AM Meet at Whipple Beach Park in Baxter. Coffee, juice and rolls provided. A limited edition commemorative “Ride With Jim” button will be available while supplies last.
- 9:00 AM Leave Whipple Beach Park
- 10:00 AM Cross Mississippi River Bridge to South side of river for rest stop at new information kiosk and photo op
- 10:30 AM Leave rest stop and follow marked signs leading back to Whipple Beach.
- 11:00 AM Arrive Whipple Beach – begin Pig Roast lunch and live music; enjoy Hans Blix and the Weapons Inspectors.
- 12:30 PM After lunch bike ride optional

All times are approximate

For more information and map of route contact Brainerd Community Action – 218-829-5278

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