

Project BreadSM



The Walk for HungerSM

April 22, 2011

Mr. Bill Duncan
Meetup Boston Volunteers
439 Poplar Street
Roslindale, MA 02131

Dear Bill,

Thank you for volunteering for the 2011 Walk for Hunger on Sunday, May 1st! As a Walk for Hunger Volunteer you are playing a critical role in ensuring the success of the oldest continual pledge walk in the country. We could not make the Walk happen without the support and commitment of over 2,000 Volunteers.

This letter serves as a confirmation of your Volunteer assignment. **Please review it carefully and report directly to your Walk Day Coordinator at the listed meeting place on Walk Day.** We have done our best to schedule you for your desired location and shift time. We are relying on your commitment to be at your location for the duration of the time listed in order to keep our Walkers safe and motivated. Thank you!

Volunteer Assignment: Checkpoint 9 - Boston Common

Walk Day Coordinator: Jim Koch. Jim will be wearing an orange Walk for Hunger hat and jade green Volunteer T-shirt.

Cell Phone Number: 508-736-9898 (to call on Walk Day only)

Questions: Volunteer Hotline: 617-239-2546, Email: volunteer@projectbread.org (prior to May 1st)

Meeting Place: Checkpoint 9 (see directions and map enclosed)

Shift Time: 12:30 PM - 4:30 PM

It is very important that you arrive promptly to your shift. If for any reason you cannot make it or will be late, please call the Volunteer Hotline at 617-239-2546 or your Walk Day Coordinator as soon as possible. When you arrive at your meeting place, you will receive a brief training and your Volunteer T-shirt. As a Volunteer at Checkpoint 9, the last Checkpoint of the Walk, you will stamp the last mileage box on Walkers' pledge sheets, hand out certificates of achievement, and congratulate Walkers for completing the Walk. Remember to have fun and keep smiling!

Please remember that the Walk happens rain or shine. Check the weather the day before. Dress in layers, and wear a hat and sunscreen to protect you from the sun. Bring a jacket or rain poncho in case it rains or becomes colder throughout the day.

Because the need is so great this year, we encourage all Volunteers to help raise pledges. Since we rely on your support to make the Walk successful, you receive credit for walking all 20 miles! If you haven't already, go to www.projectbread.org/volunteer to register online, create your own Walk webpage, and email friends and family asking them to support you as you give hours and talent to help the hungry. Raise \$500 or more and become part of the Heart & Sole Circle!

Thank you for joining us for the 2011 Walk. Together, we will make a difference for hungry families across Massachusetts.

Sincerely,

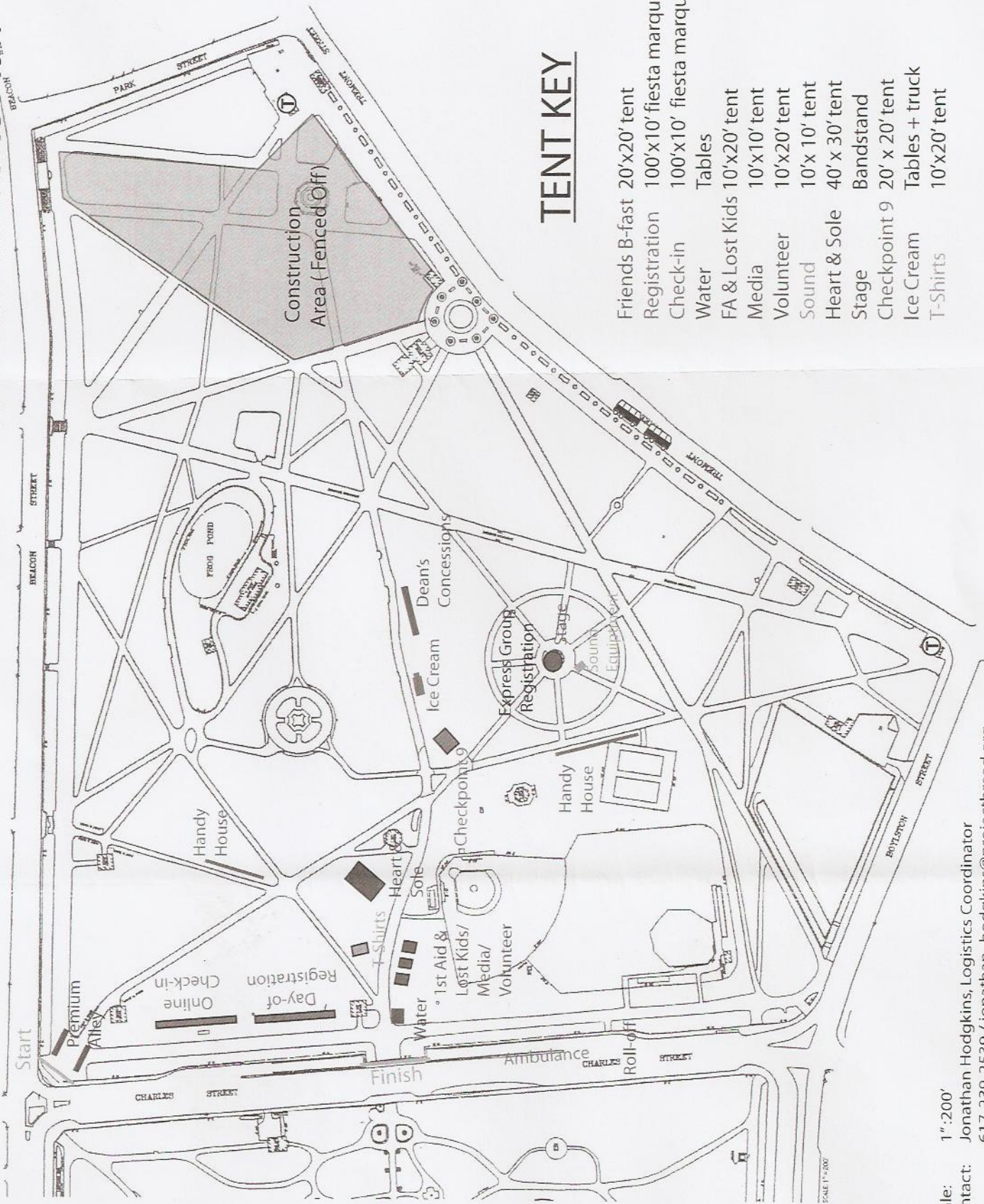
Maura

Maura Grainger
Volunteer Coordinator

*Nice meeting you at
Snack Bag Packing!*

Project Bread's 2011 Walk For Hunger

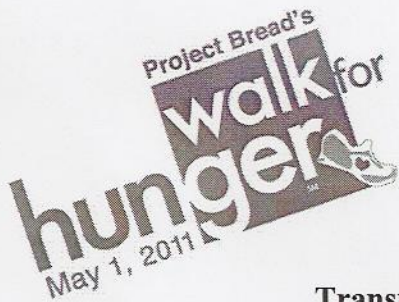
Boston Common Tent Site Plan



TENT KEY

- Friends B-fast 20'x20' tent
- Registration 100'x10' fiesta marquee
- Check-in 100'x10' fiesta marquee
- Water Tables
- FA & Lost Kids 10'x20' tent
- Media 10'x10' tent
- Volunteer 10'x20' tent
- Sound 10'x 10' tent
- Heart & Sole 40' x 30' tent
- Stage Bandstand
- Checkpoint 9 20' x 20' tent
- Ice Cream Tables + truck
- T-Shirts 10'x20' tent

Scale: 1" = 200'
 Contact: Jonathan Hodgkins, Logistics Coordinator
 617-239-2539 / jonathan_hodgkins@projectbread.org



The Walk for Hunger Sunday, May 1, 2011

Transportation Information for Walk Volunteers and Entertainers

Take the T, it's free!

The MBTA will provide **free** commuter rail, subway and bus passenger service for all Walk for Hunger participants, who show their 2011 Walk Guide, from **6 - 8 a.m. on Sunday, May 1st**. Walk for Hunger Volunteers are urged to ride the subway to the Boston Common and Checkpoints 1, 2, 3, 7 and 8 as well as to Waterstop Cambridge. Subways run continuously all day and evening on Sunday.

Checkpoints 4, 5 (Arsenal Park and Snack Stop), 6, and Water Stop Watertown are accessible by MBTA bus, or by car.

For MBTA schedule, fare and parking information call (617) 222-3200, or visit their website at <http://www.mbta.com>.

Directions to Boston Common

Within Boston metro area

Take the Green or Red Line to Park Street station or the Green Line to Boylston station at the Boston Common.

Take the Orange Line to Downtown Crossing and take the Red Line one stop to Park Street station at the Boston Common. Or walk to the Common via Winter Street.

Take the Blue Line to Government Center station for connection to the Green Line. Take the Green Line to Park Street or Boylston station.

From suburban locations

The following commuter rail lines serving North Station provide early Sunday morning service:

Fitchburg/South Acton Line	First train leaves Fitchburg at 6:50 a.m. Arrives at North Station at 8:16 a.m.
Haverhill/Reading Line	First train leaves Haverhill at 7:15 a.m. Arrives at North Station at 8:23 a.m.
Lowell Line	First train leaves Lowell at 7:00 a.m. Arrives at North Station at 7:43 a.m.
Rockport/Newburyport Line	First train leaves Rockport at 7:00 a.m. Arrives at North Station at 8:07 a.m.
Kingston/Plymouth Line	First train leaves Kingston at 7:00 a.m. Arrives at South Station at 7:58 a.m.

Middleboro/Lakeville Line

First train leaves Middleboro at 6:50 a.m.
Arrives at South Station at 7:46 a.m.

Greenbush Line

First train leaves Greenbush at 7:15 a.m.
Arrives at South Station at 8:12 a.m.

No *early* Sunday morning service is available on the Worcester/Framingham or Newburyport lines to North Station or the Attleboro/Stoughton, Franklin, Needham, or Fairmount commuter rail lines serving South Station. Most MBTA commuter rail lines provide afternoon and evening service as part of the regular Sunday rail schedule.

Please call the MBTA at (617) 222-3200 for the complete schedule, or visit their website at <http://www.mbta.com>.

T Directions to Boston Common

For communities not served by early Sunday morning commuter rails, use of the MBTA's Blue, Green, Orange and Red Lines is *highly* recommended. Large parking facilities with rates from \$5.00 to \$7.00 for the day are located at the following T stations:

Blue Line

Wonderland

Green Line

Riverside

Orange Line

Oak Grove
Wellington

Red Line

Alewife
Braintree
Quincy Adams

Parking

Parking availability near the Boston Common is extremely limited. Expect serious traffic delays and detours in the Beacon Hill and Back Bay neighborhoods between 6 a.m. - 6 p.m. For parking garages that are open, please visit www.projectbread.org/walkinfo.