Capitol Region Education Council

111 Charter Oak Avenue, Hartford (phone) 247-CREC

From I-91 Northbound or Southbound: Take Capitol Area Exit 29A and stay to the right. Take the first exit (Columbus Blvd.) off the Capitol Area exit (if you go under the Hartford Public Library overpass, you’ve gone too far). Turn left at the traffic light at the end of the ramp onto Columbus Blvd. Go past one set of lights to the next set of lights which is Charter Oak Ave. (At this point, Columbus Blvd. become Wyllys Street.) CREC is on the corner to the left. Follow "Where to Park" directions below.

From I-84 Eastbound: Pick up I-91 South/New Haven (Exit 52) in Hartford and proceed with directions above.

From I-84 Westbound: Take Exit 54 (Downtown Hartford/Route 2 West). Go over Founders Bridge. At the light at the end of the bridge, turn left onto Columbus Blvd. Continue on Columbus Blvd. through five sets of lights to the intersection of Charter Oak Avenue. (At this point, Columbus Blvd. becomes Wyllys Street.) Proceed with directions for parking below.

Where to park:

Parking is off Wyllys Street. For parking, do not turn left onto Charter Oak Avenue. Rather, proceed straight through the intersection onto Wyllys Street (Beyond the CREC building) and take you first left into the parking lot entrance between the Church of the Good Shepherd and its Rectory. A well-marked path will lead you to the CREC building. The small parking lot off Charter Oak Avenue in front of the building is for short term, authorized visitors only.