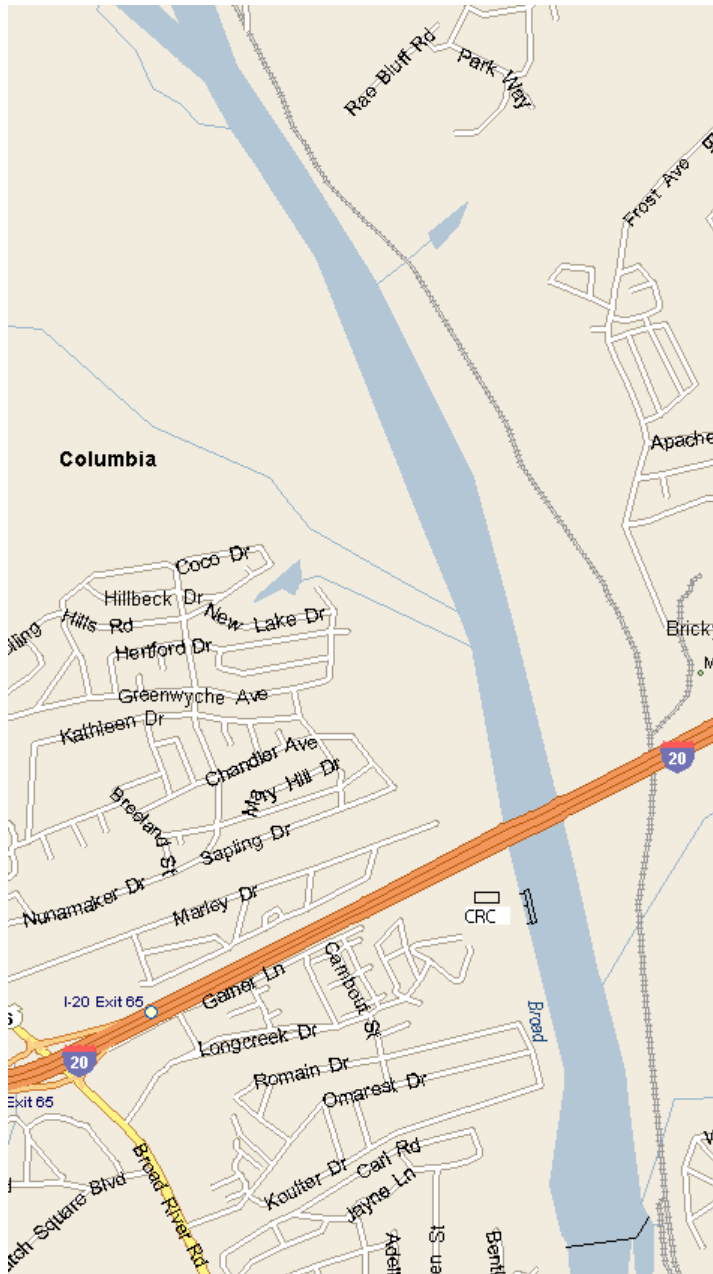


Crew Training in Columbia, SC

Rowing Facilities

- 3 miles of unobstructed flat water, 200 meters wide, 8-12 feet deep with only one bridge and a gentle curve as shown below. Our dock is 500 m below the I-20 bridge.



- 120-foot dock designed specifically for rowing.
- Plenty of room for staging trailers and boats.
- Secure boathouse.
- Six ergometers.
- Launches for rent (\$10 per day w/o motor, \$50 per day with motor)

- Reasonable facility fees (\$1.50 per day per rower)
- Welcoming local rowing club and youth crew team available for competitive training and scrimmages.
- No motor boats on the river except for safety/coaching launches and an occasional small fishing boat.
- Essentially exclusive use of the river by small local rowing club and its ancillary crews (Junior and USC Crew Club) means virtually no competition for dock space or water.
- Warm weather (very few days per year when you cannot row)
- Sheltered from the prevailing West to East winds.

Local Amenities:

- Reasonably priced motels within a short distance of the boathouse.
- Many additional hotels and motels, including suite-type motels, within a short driving distance.
- Variety of restaurants within a few miles including fast food, local Southern family style cooking, American bistro, Mexican, Chinese, Indian and seafood, plus a wide range of restaurants in the near vicinity.
- Shopping centers, movie theaters and other entertainment nearby.
- Adjacent to the major East-West Interstate highway (I-20), near two Interstate highways (I-26, I-77) and a short drive from two additional major North-South interstates (I-85 and I-95).
- Major airport served by 5 airlines (American Eagle, Delta, United, USAir and Continental).

Logistics Assistance

- Columbia Regional Sports Council at 803-545-0009 is able to assist in arranging lodging and meals during your stay as well as any other logistical issues that might arise.
- While bathroom facilities are not available on-site, CRC provides one porta-john per 15 rowers, included in the fee.
- Hotels in the area have worked with visiting crews in the past to provide quite reasonable room rates and meal plans.

For more information and to reserve your space, contact:

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