



## WELCOME





SEBRING
INTERNATIONAL
RACEWAY
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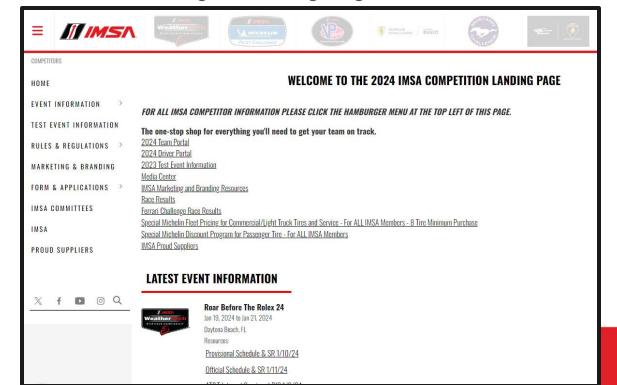


#### IMSA RESOURCES

#### **IMSA COMPETITOR LANDING PAGE:**

https://www.imsa.com/competitors/

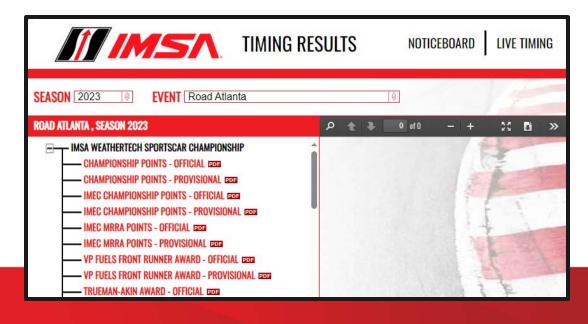
- Team Portal
- Event Information
- Rules & Regulations
- Marketing & Branding Page



#### **IMSA NOTICE BOARD:**

http://results.imsa.com/

- Driver & TM Briefings
- Entry Lists
- Minute by Minute
- Timing Results
- Penalties



#### IMSA TRACK SERVICES

#### **IMSA CHASE VEHICLES**

- Chase 1
- Chase 2
- Chase 3
- Chase 4

#### **ON-TRACK ASSISTANCE**

- Communication with Track Services Medic
- Neutral and power shut off
- Follow direction of on-scene Track Services personnel
- Maintain a safe speed and distance when passing ontrack incidents with Track Services team members on the scene

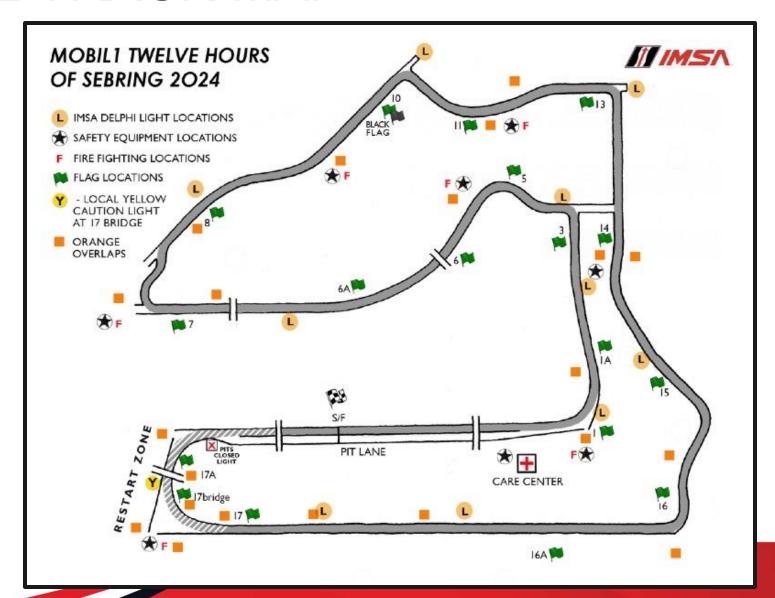
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## OFFICIAL TRACK MAP





## PIT COMMIT

 MUST HAVE PART OF CAR TOUCHING, AND BE TWO WHEELS TO THE RIGHT OF THE SOLID YELLOW LINE THAT DIVIDES THE RACETRACK FROM PIT ENTRY PRIOR TO THE PIT CLOSED LIGHT (ON TIRES AT DIVIDING POINT) ILLUMINATING IN ORDER TO BE CONSIDERED COMMITTED TO THE PITS.





## PIT LANE SPEED LIMIT

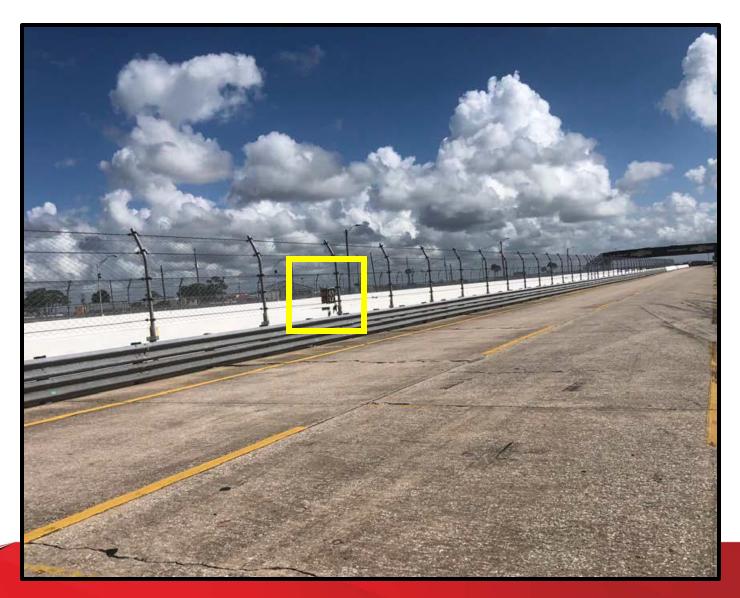
• PIT LANE SPEED LIMIT BEGINS AT RED PYLONS





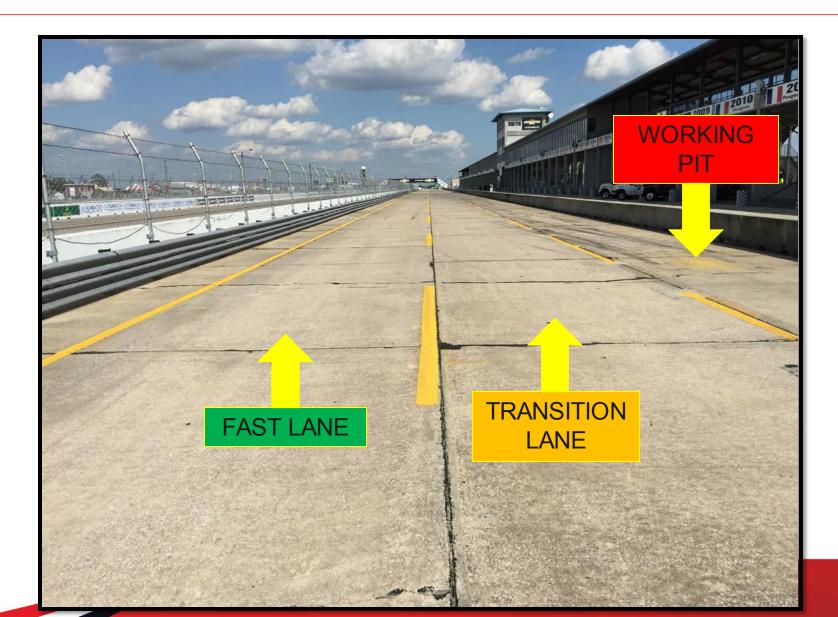
# PIT CLOSED REPEATER LIGHT

 POSITIONED ON PIT WALL FOR TEAM MANAGERS





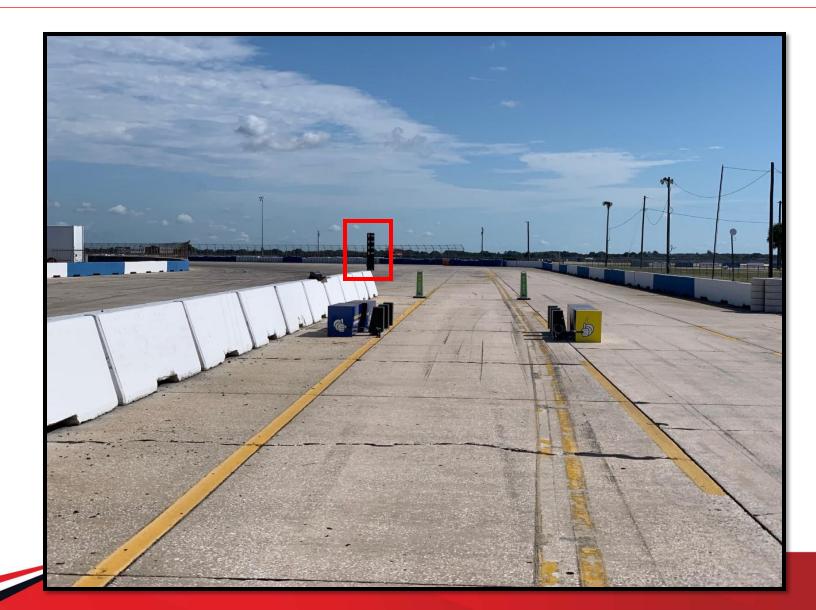
## PIT LANE PROTOCOL





# PIT EXIT CLOSED

• PIT EXIT CLOSED LIGHT





# PIT EXIT / PENALTY BOX

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## PIT EXIT MERGE

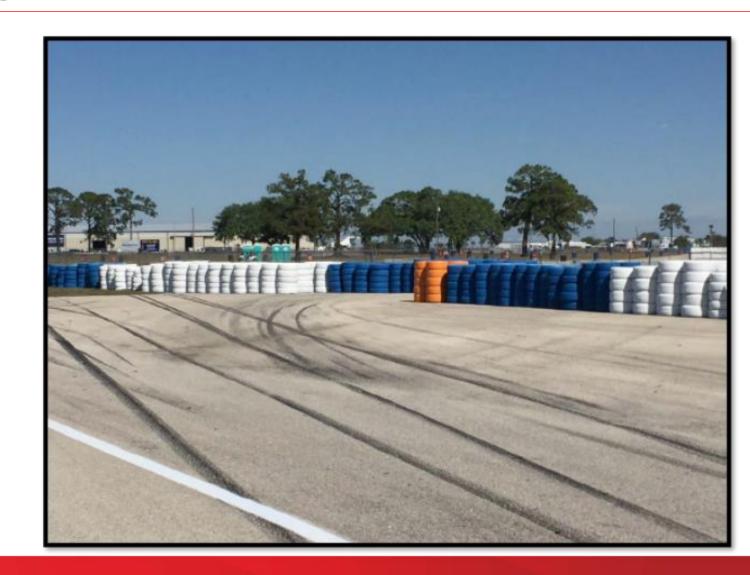
- CARS EXITING THE PIT LANE MUST REMAIN TWO WHEELS TO THE RIGHT OF THE YELLOW MERGE LINE UNTIL IT ENDS
- MERGE SAFELY INTO TURN 1
- RESPECT THE SPEED DIFFERENCE OF THOSE ALREADY ON TRACK





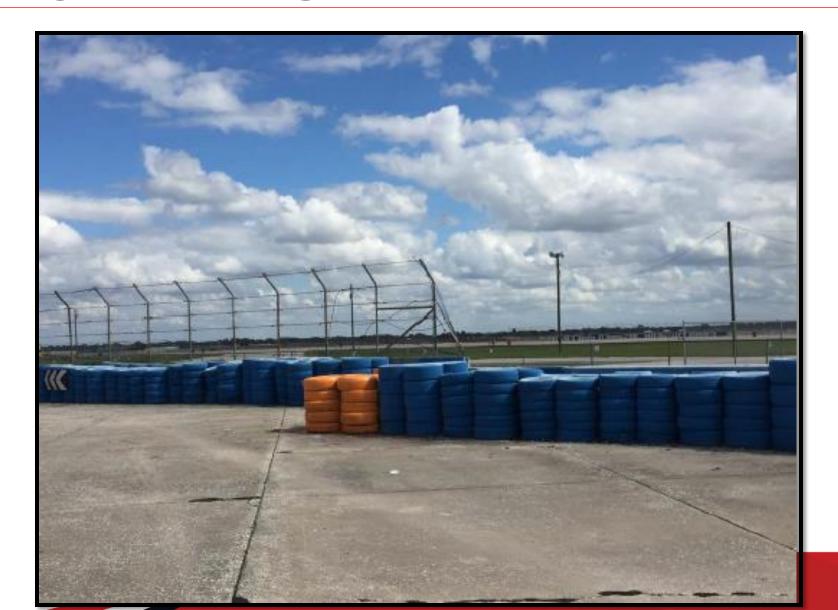
### ORANGE OVERLAPS

- OVERLAPS ARE LOCATIONS TO REMOVE DISABLED CARS FROM THE TRACK.
- OVERLAPS ARE MARKED THROUGHOUT THE CIRCUIT AND INDICATED ON THE OFFICIAL TRACK MAP.
- ON TRACK ARE REQUESTED TO USE THE OVERLAPS WHENEVER UNABLE TO CONTINUE TO THE PITS.



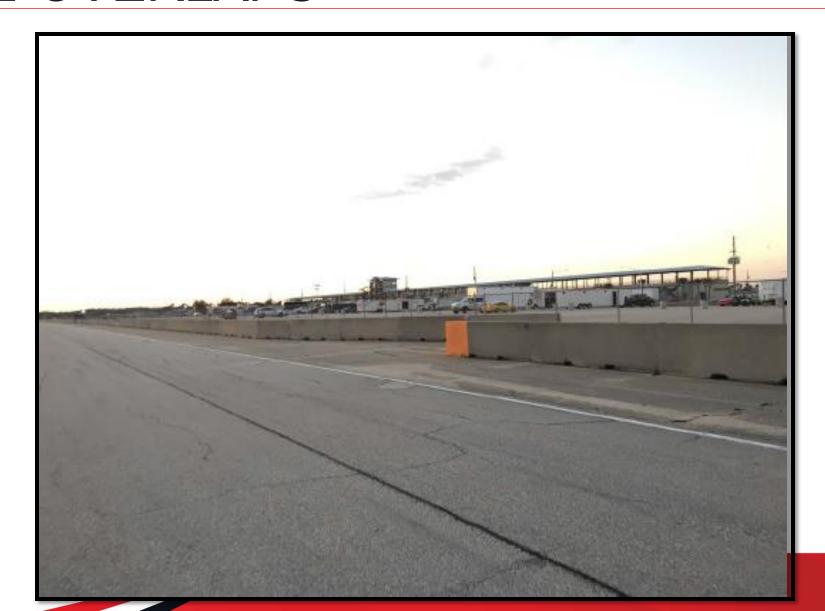


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# RESTART ACCELERATION ZONE

• RESTART ACCELERATION ZONE IS TURN 17





## LOCAL YELLOW LIGHT AT TURN 17

- USED TO SIGNIFY A LOCAL YELLOW
- SOLID YELLOW LIGHT
- NOT PART OF THE IMSA YELLOW LIGHT SYSTEM





### RACE

- TWO (2) FORMATION LAPS
- PACK UP FIRST TIME BY/PAIR UP OUT OF T16
- STAY WITH SAFETY CARS
- SAFETY CARS ENTER PITS
- THIS IS A SPLIT START
  - THE GTP AND GTD POLESITTERS WILL BE GIVEN INSTRUCTIONS PRIOR TO THE RACE
- ACCELERATION POINT (POLESITTERS)
- JUMP/FALSE START REVIEWS
  - Gaps
  - Timed/Early Acceleration
  - Out of Line
  - Column Passing
- OFFICIAL RACE START IS SECOND TIME BY



### STANDARD FULL COURSE YELLOW

- PITS CLOSED
- FULL COURSE YELLOW
- LEADER SAFETY CAR SPEED
- SAFETY CAR DISPATCHED FROM TURN 1 TO OVERALL LEADER
- PASS-AROUND (NO TIRE SCRUBBING)
- PITS OPEN (PROTOTYPE)
- PITS OPEN (GT)
- EMERGENCY SERVICE CARS MUST DT (NO GUARANTEE OF YELLOW)
  - Emergency Service Fuel Cars must fuel at first opportunity
  - Failure to perform Emergency Service Drive-Through: Stop plus 10 seconds
  - More than Emergency Service taken: Stop plus 60 seconds
- FINAL WAVE-BY (NO TIRE SCRUBBING)
- GTP CLASS SPLIT (NO TIRE SCRUBBING)
- PROTOTYPE CLASS SPLIT (NO TIRE SCRUBBING)
- RESTART
- STANDARD FCY NOT IN EFFECT DURING FINAL 30 MINUTES OF A RACE



### SHORT FULL COURSE YELLOW

- First FCY within 15 minutes of start OR restart from a Standard FCY OR DURING final 30 minutes of a Race
  - PITS CLOSED
  - FULL COURSE YELLOW
  - LEADER SAFETY CAR SPEED
  - SAFETY CAR DISPATCHED FROM TURN 1 TO OVERALL LEADER
  - PASS-AROUND (NO TIRE SCRUBBING)
  - PITS REMAIN CLOSED
  - NO FINAL WAVE-BY
  - GTP CLASS SPLIT (NO TIRE SCRUBBING)
  - PROTOTYPE CLASS SPLIT (NO TIRE SCRUBBING)
  - PITS OPEN AFTER ALL CARS PASS PIT-IN COMING TO THE RESTART
  - RESTART
  - EMERGENCY SERVICE CARS MUST DT
    - Emergency Service Fuel Cars must fuel at first opportunity
    - Failure to perform Emergency Service Drive-Through: Stop plus 10 seconds
    - More than Emergency Service taken: Stop plus 60 seconds



### ON TRACK

- RESTARTS
- LOCAL YELLOWS
- BLOCKING / DEFENDING INCREASE RESPONSIBILITY
  - Proactive vs. Reactive
- CONTACT
  - Responsibility
  - Class racing
  - Multi-class incidents
- MULTI-CLASS COEXISTENCE
  - Awareness
  - Coexist



#### RACE CONTROL

#### COMMUNICATION

- Radio Communications
- Race Control Notification System (RCNS)/Instant Messenger
  - Race Control
  - Timing and Scoring
  - Technical Department

#### REVIEW PROCESS

- Data
- Video
- All incidents are reviewed for the purpose of apportioning individual responsibility that may result in penalties. Race how you expect to be raced and acknowledge that this is the longest race of the season and there are numerous new competitors. Best of luck and make it a great race!



#### MISCELLANEOUS REMINDERS

- Pass Arounds, Final Wave-Bys and Class Splits are two phase procedures.
  - PREPARE
  - COMMENCE
- Competitors who fail to prepare and/or commence when the commands are communicated from Race Control and subsequently lose positions will not be given positions back.
- TRACK WALK
  - Scheduled at all IMSA events
  - Walk only
  - Take time to view items on official track map
- Multi-Class Racing
  - Performance Differences
    - Downforce
    - Straight-Line Speed
    - Surprises
    - Interactions
    - Remain Predictable
- Driver "Bandwidth"





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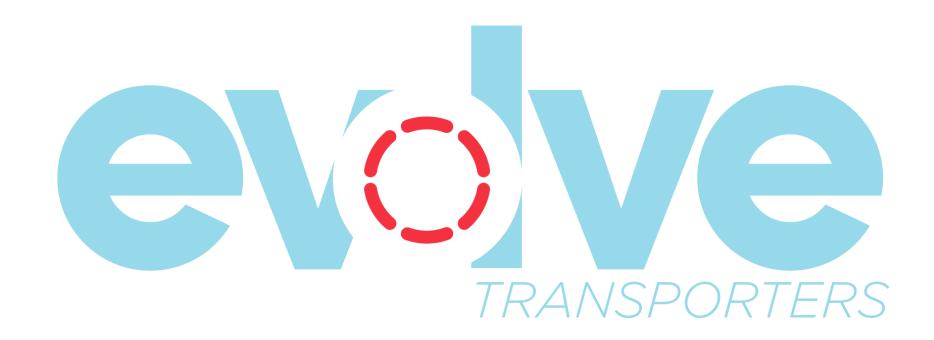


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## IMSA WEATHERTECH SPORTSCAR CHAMPIONSHIP





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