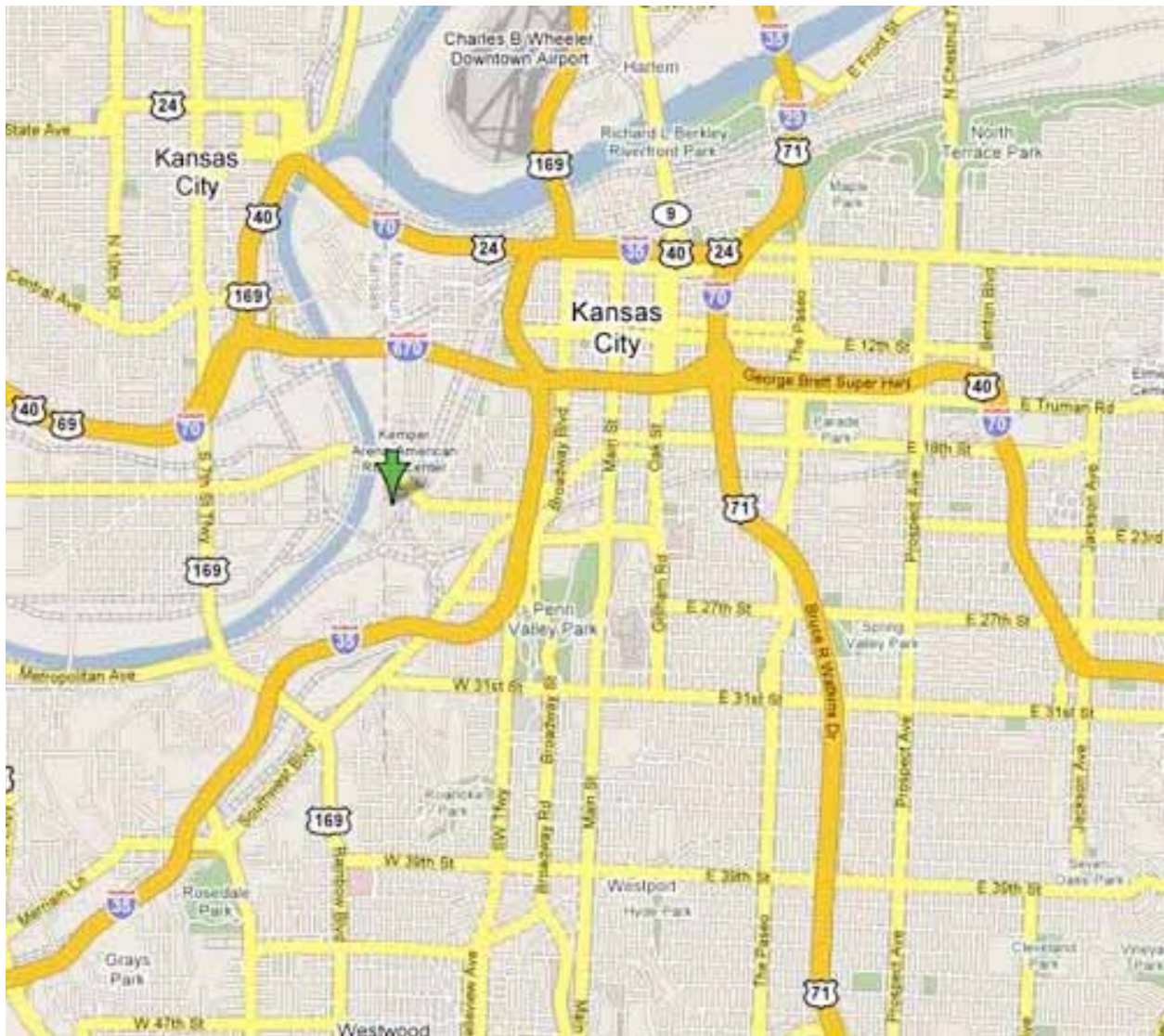


DIRECTIONS

Kemper Arena

1800 Genessee Street
Kansas City, Missouri
Telephone: (816) 513-4000

**SkillsUSA General Sessions will be held at Kemper:
Opening Ceremony • Tuesday, June 26 at 7 p.m.
Awards Ceremony • Friday, June 29 at 6 p.m.**



From Kansas City Marriott Downtown/Convention Center Area

Head east on W. 12th Street toward Wyandotte Street. Turn right onto Wyandotte Street. Turn right onto W. 13th Street. Turn right onto Broadway Blvd. Turn left onto W. 12th Street. (W. 12th Street becomes 12th Street Viaduct). Turn left onto Genessee and travel approximately five blocks. As you approach Kemper Arena, veer to the left and travel southeast to Wyoming. The main parking lots are on your right one block ahead.

From the East:

Take I-70 West to I-670 West. Travel west on I-670 to the Genessee Street exit (marked Genessee Street/Kemper Arena). At the bottom of the ramp, continue through intersection to Genessee Street. Turn left onto Genessee and travel approximately five blocks. As you approach Kemper Arena, veer to the left and travel southeast to Wyoming. The main parking lots will be on your right one block ahead.

From the Southwest:

Follow I-35 North to I-670 West. Travel west on I-670 to the Genessee Street exit (will be marked "Genessee Street/Kemper Arena"). At the bottom of the ramp, continue through the intersection to Genessee Street. Turn left onto Genessee and travel approximately five blocks. As you approach Kemper Arena, veer to the left and travel southeast to Wyoming. The main parking lots will be on your right one block ahead.

From the Southeast:

From Grandview and places more south than east, follow U.S. Highway 71 north to I-435 North. From Lee's Summit, take I-470 West to the Grandview Triangle to I-435 North. Travel North on I-435 to I-70 West. Travel west on I-70 to I-670 West. Travel west on I-670 to the Genessee Street exit (will be marked "Genessee Street/Kemper Arena"). At the bottom of the ramp, continue through the intersection to Genessee Street. Turn left onto Genessee and travel approximately five blocks. As you approach Kemper Arena, veer to the left and travel southeast to Wyoming. The main parking lots will be on your right one block ahead.

From the West:

Take I-70 East to I-670 East. Exit I-670 East at Genessee. At the bottom of the ramp make a right turn onto Genessee and travel approximately five blocks. As you approach Kemper Arena, veer to the left and travel southeast to Wyoming. The main parking lots will be on your right one block ahead of you on Wyoming.

TRAFFIC ADVISORY

The Wyoming Street Ramp off of the 23rd Street Viaduct closed April 6, 2007 for demolition. The 23rd Street Viaduct will be closed in late April and re-open in October.