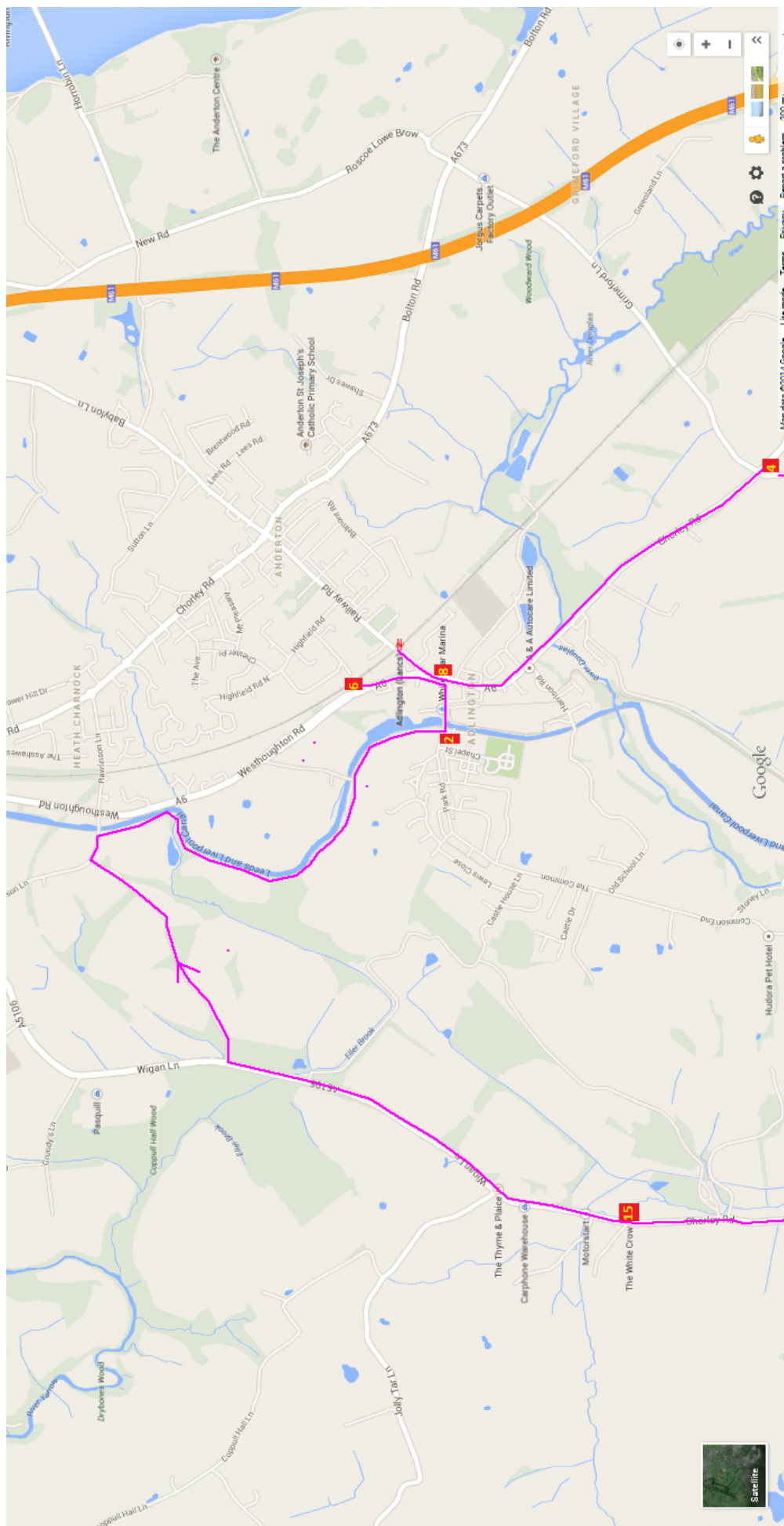
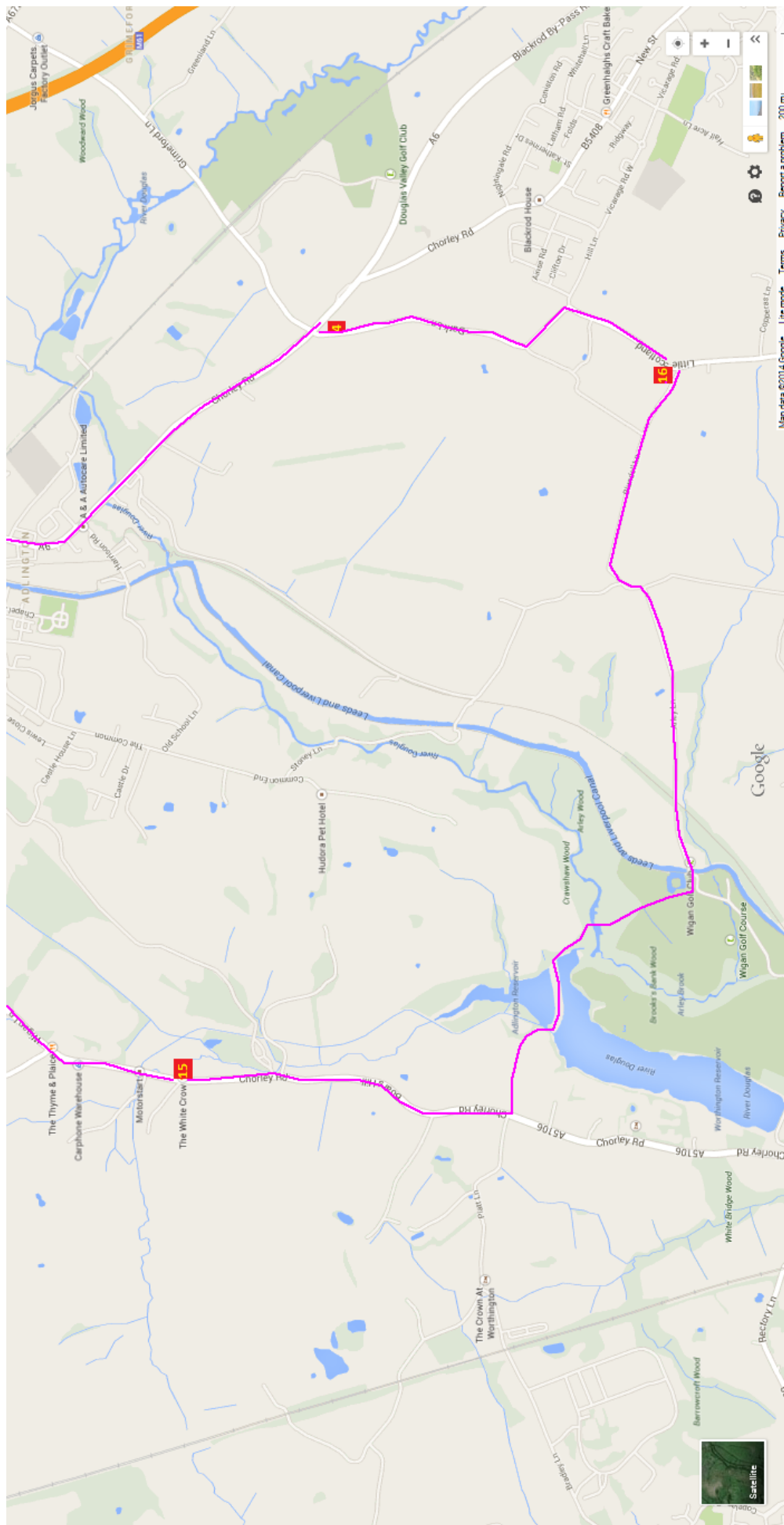


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This walk combines the longest bits of walks 10 & 11 to create an even longer walk.

1/ Leave the train station and turn left towards the mini roundabout. Turn left again and you will see the White Bear on your left. Pop in here, this will take less than 5 minutes.

2/ Upon leaving the White Bear, we will be heading left, along the A6 towards Blackrod. It may be a good idea to cross at the crossing and stay on the right hand side path. Go past the petrol station and continue along, past the car wash. Just a little further on the left, you will see the Cherry Tree. This is your next stop and should take around 15-20 minutes.

3/ Go out of the Cherry Tree, turn left, but then take the immediate left, before the car wash, up Dark Lane. This is quite a steep hill with no path, so please face oncoming traffic, but get as close to the side as possible and be careful. The road will bend left at the top and bring you to the give way. At the give way, turn right and you will start heading slightly downhill. On your right, you will see Suzanna's at Little Scotland. This is the next venue, enter by the rear door to the bar. This will take 25-30 minutes to arrive.

4/ When you leave Suzanna's, you want to go past the front on to Blundell Lane. Continue along Blundell Lane, you will go past some farm houses and bend left. Continue along past some more houses and you will then go round a right bend, on to Arley Lane. Keep going straight and you will eventually come to the canal at Bridge 64. Keep following Arley Lane to the golf club entrance. Enter by turning right and walking through the car park, past the lovely club house on your right, keeping to the path at all times. Please remember, the golfers have the right of way, so watch out for flying balls! When you come to the wooded area, there will be a sign directing you into the woods. Take this path, heading downhill slightly. After a very short walk, you will come to a bridge which you will cross, go up the steps and turn left at the top. You will get to another path and turn right, which will bring you out on the between 2 reservoirs. Follow the path to the other side, continue by the side of the stream, which you will cross, and the path will end up bending sharp left. Now follow this path all the way to the main road. You should emerge opposite Platt Lane. Turn right along Chorley Road/Wigan Lane making sure you walk on the path. After a minor right and left bend, you should come to the White Crow on the right hand side. This section should take around 40 min to an hour.

5/ When leaving the White Crow, continue right along Wigan Lane. You will pass the Thyme and Plaice and further along, pass by Chorley Sand. Slightly further along on you will see a public footpath on the left and on the right. You should be on the path at the moment, so cross over and take the footpath on the right. This will take you on a pathway which will lead to Rawlinson Lane. Cross over to the opposite path, but bear right, towards the canal bridge. Turn left on to the canal, but immediately head right and back under bridge 71. Continue along with the canal on your left, passing under bridge 70, past the marina to bridge 69. Leave the canal here and you will see the Bridge pub directly opposite so just enter for a drink. This should take about 40-50 minutes.

6/ Exit the Bridge and turn right, going over the canal, but please cross to the left path. Turn left at the end and pass by the Co-op and RBS until you get to a crossing. Cross here

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and turn left, passing Rajpoot on your right, you will arrive at the Spinners Arms. About 5 minutes should get you here.

7/ This is the end of the walk, so you can go for the next train or have another beer if you wish!