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Miles: 29.1
Surface Type: Paved/Gravel
Elevation Gain: 2,312 ft
Difficulty: Moderate/Challenging

Chester and Ludlow are known for their historic village districts as well as being a hub of arts, restaurants and boutique shopping in the region. The Chester - Ludlow loop connects these two historic villages in a rolling mixed terrain route with stunning views of Mt Ascutney. Heading clockwise from Chester, the route slowly climbs until it reaches Andover, where the road decidedly points upwards. With a max grade almost nearing 12 percent, the route makes up what it lacks in distance with climbing. After a short and fast descent to the Williams River, you make another punchy climb before generally descending back towards Chester on VT-103.

Legend			
	Paved Road		Parking
	Gravel Road		Bike Shop
	Paved Bike Route		Food
	Gravel Bike Route		Ice Cream
	Mile Marker		Brewery/Tavern
	Caution - Steep Grade		Swimming Hole
	Rail Road Crossing		Covered Bridge

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