# **PUEBLO MOTORSPORT PARK**

## **DRIVING NOTES**

#### TAKE SPECIAL NOTE FOR THIS TRACK

- "Soft" hands & gentle accelerator/brake inputs in turns #1 and #6 A&B THINK CAR BALANCE!
- There are some distinct early & late apex turns identify and drive accordingly
- Learn where to "brush" brakes vs. threshold braking (most are a "brush")
- Turn #1 has multiple "lines" below is one of them

#### TURN 1 - threshold brake / late late apex

At 2.5 marker, angle in aiming at distance light pole Brake near 1 marker - gentle turn-in while trail-braking FOCUS ON CAR BALANCE THROUGHOUT TURN

Double-clutch downshift to  $3^{rd}$  in  $\underline{middle}$  of turn VISION - to VERY VERY LATE apex

Track out entirely after apex

## TURN 2 - brush brakes / early apex

**ENTRY** – To 2/3<sup>rds</sup> right side of track 'Brush' brakes – smooth momentum **VISION** – Fast EARLY apex–focus on 'track out'

## TURN 3 - brush brakes / late apex

**ENTRY -** Accelerate hard, then lightly 'brush' brakes Late turn-in to <u>late</u> apex BEWARE: Off-camber exit

## TURN 4 - brush brakes / late apex

Set up car with a slight 'cheat-in' line on ENTRY (BEWARE: Inside ENTRY line has bumps (tough braking)

Keep MOMENTUM with light trail-braking

## **TURN 5** - brush brakes / early to mid apex

Find exact braking mark between 2 & 1 markers Lightly 'brush' brakes (not too much!) Semi-early apex – follow berm/track seam around VISION – Focus on apex & fast <u>full</u> track-out

# TURN 6 A & B - great place to differentiate

PRECISE DRIVING-FOCUS - "A real finesse section"

**ENTRY** – Hug left side over hill

'Lift' but no brake

Wait...wait...wait...before turn in. *VISION!!!!* – focus on mid to later apex, then around the corner.

Once at apex-accelerate with smooth hands/feet inputs! If done correctly, hands are set in one position

Throughout section

#### TURN 7 - great place to differentiate

**ENTRY** - Keep trying to stay on gas where possible

- Use straightest line possible for best braking

**FOCUS** – Keep **MOMENTUM** with rounded turn Drive to right side, 'brush' brakes, then momentum through gradual late turn-in

**VISION** – around the corner

Smooth, MOMENTUM, rounded corner – be sensitive to using more track than you have to upon exit

### TURN 8 - brush brakes / early apex

**ENTRY** – From far left side & 'brush' brakes **VISION** - to slightly early apex and full track-out Drive over corner of apex berm Upshift to 4<sup>th</sup> gear after exit

## TURN 9 - threshold brake / late apex

**ENTRY** – drive straight line from Turn 8 'Squeeze' brakes – downshift to 3<sup>rd</sup> Drive 2' in on flat part of berm to later apex **VISION** - to slightly off-camber track-out

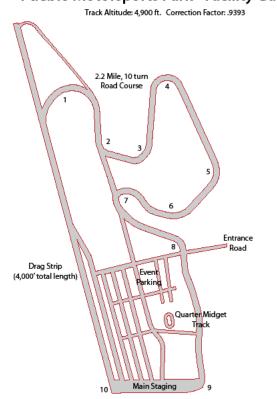
### TURN 10 - brush brakes / late apex

Be careful – drag strip can be slippery!

'Squeeze' brakes / nip apex

Exit to far left side of 'drag strip' to 3' wide concrete strip (left wheels on concrete for best and safest traction)

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