

Montana Highway Map

Montana Vacation Regions

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Native American Tribes - Visit the Salish-Kootenai tribe on the Flathead Indian Reservation (C-1, 2), and the Blackfoot tribe on the Blackfoot Reservation (A-3, 4).
National Bison Range (D-2). This national treasure protects one of the most important remaining herds of American bison. Visitor center and year-round self-guiding auto tour.
Ross Creek Cedar Green Senses Area (D-1). Walk among cedars more than 200 years old and 250 feet tall on this handicapped accessible interpretive trail.
Missions - See the influence of the Catholic Church on Montana's history at St. Ignace Mission (C-1), built against the backdrop of the Mission Mountains in 1854, and at St. Mary's Mission (E-2), the first Catholic mission in the Northwest, established in 1841 in Stevensville.

RUSSELL COUNTRY
Lewis & Clark National Historic Trail Interpretive Center (C-5). The center focuses on the month-long portage around the five falls on the Missouri River, the largest of the world's largest freshwater springs.
C.M. Russell Museum Complex (C-5). Famed Western artist Charlie Russell inspired the landscape and Montana's cowboy and in bronze sculpture. The museum has the largest collection of his art.
Bear Paw Battlefield (B-7). The site, 16 miles south of Chinleek, marks the surrender of Joseph of the Nez Percé on October 5, 1877, after a 1,170-mile retreat.
Dinosaur Digs (C-6). A discovery near Choteau changed the way paleontologists think about dinosaurs. Visit Choteau's Old Trail Museum to view the fossils.
Upper Missouri National Wild & Scenic River (C-6, 7). A remote stretch flowing 149 miles from Fort Benton. Lewis and Clark explored and camped on its banks.

MISSOURI RIVER COUNTRY
Fort Peck Lake (C-9, 10). This island oasis stretches 135 miles along the Missouri River. It's one of the nation's best wildlife fisheries and home to 45 species of fish.
Charles M. Russell and V.P. Brent National Wildlife Refuge (G-4, 5). Pristine, scenic, breaks and backdrops encompass a million acres of wildlands surrounding Fort Peck Lake. They support Montana's largest prairie elk herd, plus moose, deer, and a great diversity of birds.
Fort Union Trading Post and National Historic Site (B-12). The Missouri River's pre-eminent trading post from the 1830s to the Civil War is north of Fort Union.
Bovine National Wildlife Refuge (B-9). Famous for its great flocks of migrating waterfowl, including Canada geese, ducks, colonial nesting birds and upland game birds.
Pioneer Town (A-11). Walk the streets of an Old West Montana town to view 50 restored, furnished buildings of the homestead era. Located in Shelby.
Little Rocky Mountains (C-8). An island of mountains on a sea of plains, they have drawn visitors since Bunk Cassidy and Kid Curry chose them as a favorite hideout.

GOLD WEST COUNTRY
Fishing - Many of Montana's famed blue-ribbon trout streams are here, including the Madison, Big Hole, Missouri, Beaverhead, and Jefferson.
Lewis & Clark Caverns State Park (F-5). Montana's first and best kept secret features the most highly decorated limestone caverns in the Northwest. Daily cave tours, May to September.
Virginia City, Nevada City (G-4). Two preserved mining camps from the 1860s gold rush era. See the railroad, daily tours, May to September.
Big Hole National Battlefield (F-2). See where the Nez Percé Indians were taken in a surprise attack in 1877. The U.S. Army they were later forced onto a reservation.
Great Kaber Ranch (F-2). This National Historic Site in Deer Lodge, still operating as an 18th-century manor house, is one of the largest in the U.S.
Old Montana Prison Complex (F-2). A Deer Lodge prison built by convict labor in 1873 and kept in operation until 1975.
Mining Cities. Butte (F-4), known as "the richest hill on earth," was built on copper. Helena (F-4), Queen City of the West.
Ghost Towns. See Montana's past at Garnet (D-3), Bonanza State Park (G-3), Elkhorn State Park (E-4), Granite (E-3) and Marysville (E-4).

YELLOWSTONE COUNTRY
Yellowstone National Park (I, J, K). The world's first national park is renowned for its spouting geysers, brilliant pools, bubbling cauldrons, mountains, waterfalls, canyons and wildlife. Winter brings ski and snowmobile touring.
Hiking - Two federally protected wilderness areas and several national forests offer endless hiking options. The Absaroka-Bitterroot Wilderness (G-6) and the Bridger-Teton National Wilderness (G-6) adjoin Yellowstone Park on its north edge and offers more than 700 miles of trails and over 400 alpine lakes.
Winter Sports - Miles and miles of cross-country and snowmobile trails are easily accessible. The region is home to three of Montana's most popular ski areas, including the destination resorts of Big Sky (G-3), Bridger Bowl (F-3) near Bozeman and Red Lodge Mountain (G-7).
Montana's Largest City (F-4). Billings is a regional hub and cultural center.
Traditional Western Town (E-11). Miles City, home of the world-famous Bucking Horse Sale in May.

CUSTER COUNTRY
Pompey Pillar National Historic Landmark (F-8). William Clark named his name on this sandstone butte in 1805, the last remaining evidence of the Lewis and Clark Expedition.
Big Horn Canyon National Recreation Area (G-8). Stunning scenery, hiking trails, boating, fishing and camping.
Manhattan State Park (D-12). Significant fossil finds, water centers, scenic drives, interpretive trails, picnic sites and campground.
Medicine Rocks State Park (F-12). Primitive park with sculptured garden of well-exposed sandstone ideal for picnics and hiking.
Little Bighorn Battlefield National Monument (C-9). On June 25, 1876, Colonel George Armstrong Custer and his troops met their demise. The battlefield has a visitor center, museum, battlefield tours, Custer National Cemetery and 7th Cavalry Memorial.

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CITIES AND TOWNS

County	City or Town	Population
Beaumont	1	1
Big Horn	2	2
Blaine	3	3
Broadwater	4	4
Carbon	5	5
Cascade	6	6
Chouteau	7	7
Custer	8	8
Deer Lodge	9	9
Dewey	10	10
Flint	11	11
Flathead	12	12
Forest	13	13
Gallatin	14	14
Glacier	15	15
Golden Valley	16	16
Granite	17	17
Highway	18	18
Judith	19	19
Lake	20	20
Liberty	21	21
Lincoln	22	22
McCone	23	23
Meagher	24	24
Mineral	25	25
Missoula	26	26
Musselshell	27	27
Nevada	28	28
Niangua	29	29
North Park	30	30
Park	31	31
Petroleum	32	32
Powder River	33	33
Prairie	34	34
Richmond	35	35
Roosevelt	36	36
Sandwich	37	37
Sawyer	38	38
Sheridan	39	39
Silver Bow	40	40
Snowflake	41	41
Southern	42	42
Teton	43	43
Thompson	44	44
Tongue River	45	45
Townsend	46	46
Traverse	47	47
Two Medicine	48	48
Wahkiakum	49	49
Waller	50	50
Wendell	51	51
Wetmore	52	52
Wheatland	53	53
White Sulphur Springs	54	54
Yellowstone	55	55

Map Legend

- Interstate Highways: Interstate Route, Full Access Interchange, Partial Access Interchange, No Access
- Principal Highways: Multi-lane, Two Lanes Paved
- Other Highways: Two Lanes Paved, Gravel, Unsurfaced (Inquire Locally)
- Route Markers: Interstate, U.S. Route, State or Provincial Route, Lewis & Clark Trail, Nez Perce Trail
- Boundaries: State, County, Reservation, Continental Divide, National Park, Wilderness Area, National Forest, Wildlife Refuge
- Miscellaneous: Mileage Between Interchanges, Intersections and Towns, ADA Accessible Rest Areas, Port of Entry, Airports - Commercial, Military, Amtrak Station, State Parks - With Camping, No Camping, Public Campsites - Minimum of 5 sites, Ghost Towns, Ski Areas, Visitor Information, Wildlife Viewing Site, National Historic Site, Point of Interest

Emergency: 911 emergency phone service is available state-wide.
Road Conditions: 1-800-226-ROAD (7623)
1-800-335-7592 TTY
Please note that unpaved backcountry roads may be primitive and dangerous to travel on. Please inquire locally.
Weather Report: Western Montana (406) 329-4940
Central Montana (406) 663-2001
Northeastern Montana (406) 228-4042
Southeastern Montana (406) 662-0811

Traffic Regulations and Safety Rules

1. Montana does have speed limits on Interstates. The speed limit is 75 mph (85 mph for heavy trucks and for all vehicles through urban areas). On other principal highways, the speed limit is 70 mph in daylight and 65 mph at night (60 mph and 55 mph, respectively, for heavy trucks). On US 93 in Western Montana, the speed limit is 85 mph day and night (80 and 55 for heavy trucks). Speed laws are enforced by radar and aircraft. Fines double in construction work zones. Heavy truck limits apply to one ton GVW and greater.
2. All vehicle occupants must wear a safety belt, and children under four (or 40 pounds) must be restrained by an approved restraint system.
3. Motorcycles must be operated with lights on at all times. No more than two motorcycles may be operated side by side in a single traffic lane. Operators under 18 and passengers under 18 must wear approved headgear helmets.
4. A passenger vehicle or truck of less than 2,000 pounds "manufacturer's rated capacity" may not pull more than one trailer or semi trailer. This combination length may not exceed 65 feet. A passenger vehicle or truck with "manufacturer's rated capacity" of 2,000 pounds or more may tow two trailers. This combination length may not exceed 75 feet. The combination length is the overall length inclusive of front and rear bumpers. Call (406) 444-6130 for more information or permits.

Visit Our Web Sites
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