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Welcome to Pulaski County



Nestled in the Ozark Mountain range between Branson and St. Louis, Missouri, Pulaski County and its local communities offer some of the most unique diversions in the state. The Military Museum Complex on Fort Leonard Wood is open to the public and presents the history of the Army Engineers, Military Police and Chemical Warfare disciplines.

St. Robert and Waynesville both have a rich history featuring Route 66, the Trail of Tears and the Civil War. The influence of the railroad can be seen in Dixon, Crocker and Richland. The pristine waterways of the Gasconade and Big Piney rivers entice visitors to swim, canoe and fish, and the Roubidoux Spring is one of the few urban trout streams. Local festivals abound throughout Pulaski County. Frog Fest, Cow Days, Paw Paw Daze, two county fairs and many others fill most weekends.

This Visitors Guide will help provide useful information for a stop along the way or planning a longer stay in the area. Up-to-date information can be found on the Web site (www.VisitPulaskiCounty.org) as well. Another useful resource is the Visitor Center, located on the north frontage road of I-44 at exit 161. Helpful staff and hundreds of brochures from all over the state of Missouri await your arrival.

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Experience the Charm of the Ozarks

In 1833 pioneers were migrating west. The beauty and opportunity that rested in the open rivers and streams, wooded forests, and abundant wildlife of central Missouri attracted early travelers. Modern-day travelers are drawn for many of the same reasons. In the heart of Missouri, Pulaski County affords the opportunity to escape the hustle and bustle of modern-day life to glimpse a simpler time. Looking for a bit of history? We've got that. How about history in the making? No problem. Have a passion for outdoor adventure? Give us a real challenge! Golf? Fishing? Spelunking? Pulaski County has something for everyone.

As summer's warmth folds into the brilliant fall foliage, possibilities in Pulaski County thrive. Summer festivals, carnivals, community parks and access to some of America's favorite outdoor escapes — reasons abound that beckon visitors from around the world. Charming Midwestern towns, breathtaking scenery, outdoor adventure and echoes of history invite travelers throughout the year to linger in the Ozark landscape. Whether you enjoy admiring a stunning sunset or exploring history in a museum, Pulaski County has something for everyone.

Much of Pulaski County's charm rests with its link to a younger America. As stagecoaches made way for railroads and the Wire Road faded under the construction of Route 66, Pulaski County witnessed history and the rise of the Midwest. The Cherokee traversed the

area in 1838 on the grueling trek to Oklahoma that would become known as the Trail of Tears. The Civil War was the backdrop against which Pulaski County witnessed neighbor fight against neighbor, while the Union Army built a fort in Waynesville and Confederate militias patrolled the woods. Railroads boomed and faded, planting the foundations for Crocker, Dixon and Richland. World War II introduced the construction of Fort Leonard Wood, through which passed infantry troops bound for Europe as well as German and Italian POWs. The post has since supported and trained military personnel for every U.S. war; the re-establishment of the post after a brief deactivation led to the boom of the neighboring community, St. Robert. Present-day St. Robert has grown to be the economic center of Pulaski County.

As America moves into the next century, Pulaski County still preserves and honors its history, yet itself is witness to history in the making. A tour of the county reveals unique relics and museums; a chat with a local resident will illustrate enchanting folklore of days past. Escape the frantic pace of the Interstate to relax on Route 66, where a winding country drive will remind you of the good old days. Neighboring Fort Leonard Wood stands proud as the launching ground for thousands of military careers.

Outdoor lovers won't be disappointed. The Ozark landscape of Pulaski County is

unique in its rolling hills, dramatic caves, abundant wildlife and winding rivers. Take your pick from the Roubidoux, Gasconade or Big Piney rivers. Spend an afternoon fishing, hunting, camping or cave-diving. The area is home to world-renowned fishing and canoeing. Its hiking trails and community parks are ideal, whether you want a rugged challenge or a leisurely walk. Sports enthusiasts — we've got what you're looking for, too. Multi-purpose fields for soccer, rugby, field hockey and lacrosse exist side by side with volleyball courts, softball fields, swimming pools, tennis courts and horseshoe pits. Pulaski County is also a popular geocaching location, concealing almost 40 caches.

Every city has its own charm, and the communities of Pulaski County are no exception. Blossoming and thriving St. Robert, historic Waynesville, and proud Fort Leonard Wood complement the beauty of Richland and the railroad history of Crocker and Dixon. Perhaps most central to the heart of the county is its people. Friendliness and hospitality overflow throughout the city festivals and community events or with a neighborly wave on the street.

Don't miss Pulaski County's miles of waterways, caves, mills and springs, history, and Midwestern charm.



Each Community Holds a Unique Charm

CROCKER: **REMEMBERING THE RAILROADS**

The days when railroads ruled America may have gone the way of the steam engine, but the town of Crocker preserves its railroad history with pride. This cozy city, surrounded by forested hills and rolling farms in the heart of the Ozarks, affords visitors a unique look at a historic railroad town known for its community values and hospitality.

From the railroad tracks that date back to the Frisco Railroad to the red caboose that resides in the heart of town, Crocker embraces its rail roots. What began as a small trading post in the 1800s has grown to be a charming Midwestern town surrounded by the Ozark hills and meandering Gasconade River. Crocker's history isn't limited to the railroads, however; the James Gang, the notorious band of criminals who frequently robbed stagecoaches, trains and banks, once traveled the area regularly. Rumor has it that Jesse James had a cousin who lived in town.

Railroad enthusiasts, history buffs and those who are simply curious are drawn to Crocker's Depot Museum and Norma Lea Frisco Park. The depot was the last in Pulaski County and served as the mail pick-up and drop-off point for the rest of the county. Now a museum, the original structure is home not only to county antiques, photographs and old train logs, but also to warm memories. Some still recall time spent by the potbelly

stove awaiting the next train that would bring friends and family. After you've lingered over the depot's relics, head out to Frisco Park to visit the Frisco Railroad caboose.

Crocker boasts another park as well, complete with soccer and softball fields; a swimming pool; a lake for fishing, surrounded by a walking trail; and picnic areas with a pavilion. Indulge on a warm afternoon with an escape to our native wildflower prairie. The peaceful meadow is the habitat for a variety of native wildflowers; birds, ducks and geese join visitors in the relaxing environment. Even a blue heron stops occasionally for a visit.

Of course, it's the people that give a town its character, and Crocker is no exception. Residents pride themselves on their closely held values of faith, patriotism and community. The city park is home to Railroad Days each Labor Day weekend, and visitors can't help but be charmed by this growing community. Plus, Crocker is easily accessible from local highways, making it the perfect day trip.

From the days of the Depression, when teachers volunteered to teach without pay, to the 1940s, when residents housed construction workers from Fort Leonard Wood, Crocker has earned its reputation as a warm, welcoming community. Crocker extends its characteristic hospitality and encourages you to tour its historic landmarks or take a scenic drive to visit the local parks.

DIXON: A PANORAMIC VIEW

It may be a small town, but Dixon knows how to attract attention. Looking for the perfect day trip to gain a little relaxation or perspective? Why not try a scenic overlook that attracts artists, photographers and nature lovers? Maybe you're in the mood for golf, or want to unwind on a trip down the Gasconade River. Your refuge lies just north of Interstate 44, where Dixon blends nature's beauty, outdoor recreation and a welcoming community. It began as a railroad boomtown on the Frisco Railroad; as the railroad faded, it became a cozy Midwestern city known for its miles of scenic views and small-town hospitality and friendliness.

Dixon is home to some of Pulaski County's best camping, whether you're pitching a tent or own an RV. Soak up the sun on the Gasconade River as you paddle its waters in a canoe. Golfers can work on their handicap on the beautiful nine-hole golf course. Dixon's beauty will capture visitors no matter the season. Warm summer breezes on the Gasconade and the vibrant red and orange hues of autumn captivate visitors and bring out the nature lover in everyone.

An afternoon at Portuguese Point provides an extraordinary view of the Missouri landscape. Formed by two large rock formations 400 feet above the Gasconade River, the surrounding valley that once provided land for Portuguese cattle and sheep farmers is

now an inspiring perspective for artists and photographers. Enjoy the view with a steak or a glass of Missouri wine at The Point Steakhouse, where window seating offers a panoramic view of Portuguese Point.

If you're fortunate enough to be in town during one of our annual festivals, stop by and see why Dixon's hospitality is unparalleled. Feel lucky? Test your luck to win a cow at the Dixon Cow Days Festival, or put on your dancing shoes and join the fun at the Dixon Blue Grass Music Festival.

While you're in town, be sure to browse through the antique shops or visit local berry and pumpkin farms for your pick of seasonal fruits and vegetables.

No matter how you spend your time, you're sure to leave with the one-of-a-kind perspective and contentment only Dixon's hometown atmosphere can provide.

RICHLAND: THE PERFECT ESCAPE

In 1869, when a railroad surveyor noticed the potential in a small area between Springfield and St. Louis, he undoubtedly had his eye on the miles of sprawling hills, the sparkling Gasconade River and the acres of green forest. The town of Richland sprang up along the Frisco Railroad and became a livestock production and farming community. Today, Richland still promises miles of scenic beauty and Midwestern charm to refresh your spirit and satisfy all of your outdoor aspirations.

Tucked in Missouri's Ozark region just minutes off Interstate 44, Richland's appeal lies in its small-town, family atmosphere; connection to outdoor adventure; and beautiful parks.

Richland's proximity to local highways makes it a short driving distance to major shopping malls and facilities, resort communities, and several Missouri state colleges and universities.

A day at Shady Dell Park will entertain and captivate any crowd, whether it's a company picnic or an afternoon with the family. Located in the heart of town, this 20-acre park is home to covered picnic pavilions, playgrounds, sand volleyball courts, a horse-shoe pitching area, tennis courts and an Olympic-sized swimming pool. If you're in the neighborhood, join us for the annual Tri-County Fair, held at the park. Concerts and a carnival provide a festive backdrop for crafts, truck and tractor pulls, kids' contests, and Missouri's best barbecue.

Love to golf? Test your skill at our nine-hole community golf course. If you're eager for adventure of a different nature, head out to the Gasconade River. Thirty miles of clear water winds its way around Richland to provide some of Missouri's best bass fishing. Round up some friends and paddle down the river in a canoe, or pitch a tent and spend the night in Mark Twain National Forest.

The average traveler has probably never eaten dinner in a cave. In Richland, you can finish your day with dinner in one of our historic caves at the nationally famous Caveman BBQ and Steakhouse.

Like many towns in Pulaski County, Richland traces much of its history to the railroads. Long ago, the railroad gave Richland the boost it needed to establish its roots as a cornerstone of Pulaski County. By 1877 it was a major shipping point between Springfield and St. Louis. The railroad also provided local farmers the opportunity to earn extra money by cutting lumber for railroad ties. Today, Richland invites visitors who want to revel in the outdoor escapes, linger in beautiful parks or take advantage of the easy access to Missouri's best. Rekindle your love of the outdoors and recharge your batteries, and discover why Richland is the perfect escape.

ST. ROBERT: PULASKI COUNTY'S BUSINESS HUB

St. Robert rises to life on Interstate 44 as a welcome destination for weary travelers. Boasting over 1,300 hotel rooms and a wide variety of American and international cuisine restaurants, St. Robert is the perfect stop as the sun fades on a long day — but it also provides a destination in itself.

The youngest city in Pulaski County, St. Robert is the business hub for surrounding communities. National franchises and local merchants give way to the main entrance of Fort Leonard Wood, home of the U.S. Army's Maneuver Support Center and training post for the Engineer, Chemical and Military Police corps. Whether you're searching for a luxurious night's sleep or want to satisfy your appetite with an out-of-the-ordinary dining experience, we've got the answer.

St. Robert is an exciting community in one of the fastest-growing regions in the country. The bustling town provides an enjoyable atmosphere to do some shopping or kick back with friends at a local restaurant. The flurry of activity easily recedes into peaceful neighborhoods, quiet parks and scenic country roads.

Visitors have always enjoyed sunny afternoons in St. Robert's parks. The town is proud of its dedication to community and family; picnic areas, a community and skate park, and playground equipment provide a haven for an afternoon outdoors. The paved walking trails that line the city complement the local landscape and provide an outdoor diversion for travelers. There are even park areas that pay proud tribute to the armed forces and neighboring Fort Leonard Wood with the presence of decommissioned Army and Marine vehicles. The authentic pieces make great photo opportunities!

St. Robert's convenience to I-44 and historic Route 66 means it's only a short drive to outdoor adventure and breathtaking scenery, family day trips, history's haunts, or Missouri's wine country. Travel back to an earlier America on intriguing Route 66, whose quaint towns still hold many glimpses into American history. Head out for a day with the family to experience some of the Ozark region's best canoeing, camping or fishing. Or simply relax at one of our beautiful community parks. No matter the season you visit, there's sure to be a festival or show to draw your attention.

Blending small-town charm with the excitement of a growing community, St. Robert promises an enjoyable visit. Spend an afternoon or a week, but stop and see why we invite you to "grow with us."

WAYNESVILLE: CITY OF POSSIBILITIES

Whether it's the beauty of a summer sunset over the Roubidoux Spring, the breathtaking fall foliage along Route 66, or the charm of the downtown square, Waynesville has something to offer everyone. Even Santa doesn't miss "Christmas on the Square" in December! Waynesville's possibilities range from historic attractions to award-winning fishing, from

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underwater caves to beautiful parks, from modern-day excitement to echoes of the past.

The giant Frog Rock, W.H. Croaker, greets visitors as they arrive in downtown Waynesville. The huge painted rock is a Waynesville landmark that hints to visitors they've entered a city with a personality all its own.

Consider yourself a history buff? With a namesake like Revolutionary War hero "Mad Anthony" Wayne, Waynesville is as rich in history as its name suggests. One of the oldest cities in Pulaski County, it has been a trading post for trappers and pioneers, a rest stop for stagecoaches traveling west, and an encampment for the infamous Trail of Tears. It has hosted battles and skirmishes in the Civil War and established its popularity with travelers and day-trippers alike with the development of Route 66. Waynesville's history is immortalized in several downtown buildings; a marker on Fort Street indicates the site of a Civil War Union fort.

Take the trip back in time to visit Waynesville's historic downtown square. The site of the Old Courthouse Museum has housed the Pulaski County Courthouse since 1837; the current structure was built in 1903. This is one of the few remaining courthouses that sits directly on Route 66.

An original courtroom is available for tours, and visitors can linger over memorabilia from county history.

The Old Stagecoach Shop is listed on the National Register of Historic Places and was built in the late 1850s. The original structure has a storied and varied history, having served as a post office and stagecoach stop for pioneers journeying the Springfield to St. Louis Wire Road, as a tavern, as a dental office, as a hospital for injured soldiers during the Civil War, as a hotel, and as a private residence.

If modern-day fun holds more appeal, spend the day at beautiful Roubidoux Spring to experience the area's best trout fishing at one of the few urban trout streams. The famous spring is also home to an underwater cave that draws certified cave divers from around the globe. In 1837, the spring was a site along the infamous Trail of Tears during the Cherokee removal.

Take an afternoon stroll on the walking trail that joins Waynesville and Laughlin Park for a refreshing tour along the Roubidoux River, or gather the family for a picnic in one of the pavilions to please any crowd.

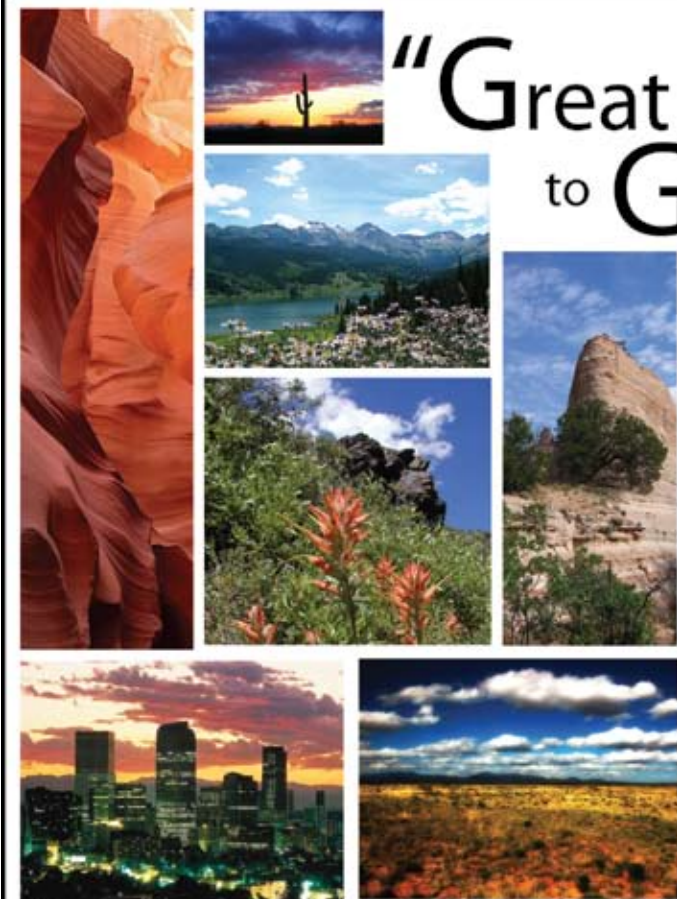
Whether you're fishing, enjoying walking trails or taking advantage of the short distance to Pulaski County's finest camping and

canoeing, Waynesville is sure to offer activities for any interest.

While you're visiting our historic downtown square, be sure to check out the antique shops and visit our local merchants. If you have extra time, why not catch the latest production at our community theater or attend one of the many local festivals throughout the year?


Visitors can also take advantage of Waynesville's convenient proximity to major highways. Travel Highway 17 to reach local communities, and enjoy the striking landscape and quaint developments that spring to view as you drive over the picturesque Ozark mountains and valleys. Local highways are especially rewarding on an autumn afternoon, when the fall foliage has developed into brilliant shades of orange and red against the background of the shimmering Gasconade River. Waynesville is also convenient to Interstate 44, making day trips to the Ozark region's best outdoor escapes, state parks, vineyards and shopping easily accessible.

No matter if you're searching for nostalgia or for some present-day adventure, Waynesville has what you're looking for.

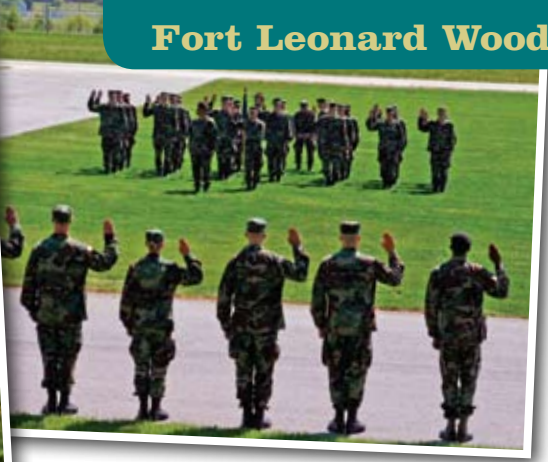


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With its main gate bordering St. Robert, Fort Leonard Wood has become both an integral part of Pulaski County and an active supporter of the surrounding communities. Since its construction in late 1940, the post has become renowned for state-of-the-art training and support of national defense and has served as the launching point for millions of military careers. Fort Leonard Wood has rapidly grown as a training center, as a community and as a partner with Pulaski County.

The post is home to the Engineer, Chemical and Military Police corps training schools as well as personnel from all branches of the U.S. Military. In fact, the largest Marine detachment not stationed at a Marine base is stationed at Fort Leonard Wood. The post is also home to the U.S. Army Maneuver Support Center (MANSCEN), which develops concepts, doctrine, force structure and material requirements to ensure the vitality of the Engineer, Chemical and Military Police schools.

Construction for the post began in December 1940 and, by the following May, the complex already had over 1,600 temporary buildings. Its original mission as a basic training center began in World War II when five infantry divisions prepared for battle here. Additionally, over 5,000 POWs were detained here to work in agriculture and construction. Since World War II, Fort Leonard Wood

has had units and personnel activated for every major U.S. military action.

In addition to training, Fort Leonard Wood maintains its bond with Pulaski County through participation and sponsorship of community events. The 399th Army Band is a regular performer at county parades and festivals, and military volunteers have lent a hand in various community parks and clean-up efforts.

For a real treat, join in celebrating our country on Independence Day at the annual celebration, where a dazzling array of fireworks promises a memorable night.

Most of Pulaski County offers lots of options for outdoor enthusiasts, and Fort Leonard Wood is no exception. With acres of forests, fields and streams, the beautiful land on which the post resides provides beautiful hiking trails, trout fishing, hunting and canoeing, to name just a few options (be sure to sign in at the Outdoor Recreation Center).

Fort Leonard Wood is a community source of history, recreation and great people. Living up to its motto of “#1 in Training” and maintaining strong bonds to the surrounding community, Fort Leonard Wood invites you to stop by and see our country’s armed forces in action.

PRESERVING AND CELEBRATING OUR MILITARY HERITAGE

It’s no surprise that Fort Leonard Wood has devoted significant effort to honoring military history and heritage — after all, units and personnel from the Army post have deployed to aid every major U.S. military action and peacekeeping effort since World War II. With its state-of-the-art technology and training, Fort Leonard Wood leads the way to the

future while preserving the proud history of the U.S. military. Fort Leonard Wood is home to museums, memorials and historic attractions that stir patriotism in all of us.

Perhaps the most prominent is the John B. Mahaffey Museum Complex. Attracting over 100,000 visitors each year, the complex houses museums dedicated to preserving the history of Fort Leonard Wood, the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, the Military Police Corps and the Chemical Corps. The museums combine vivid, life-size exhibits and authentic relics, including old weaponry, documents, vehicles and tools from all American military conflicts.

The Fort Leonard Wood Museum captivates visitors at its World War II Compound. The compound is a grouping of original barracks built from December 1940 through May 1941. Designed to be temporary structures, the buildings were built at a rate of one every 45 minutes. The museum also shows descriptions of life on the post dating back to the early 1940s. Additionally, the museum pays tribute to the career of the post’s namesake, Gen. Leonard Wood, whose career highlights include being the first commander of the Rough Riders (yep, he’s Theodore Roosevelt’s predecessor) and his appointment as the Army Chief of Staff.

Did you know that Confederate Gen. Robert E. Lee was an army engineer? The Engineer Museum is full of surprises for visitors, who can wander through the bridging gallery and tour a special weapons room. Visitors will also appreciate the amphibious exhibits and detailed land mine warfare and demolitions exhibits.

The Chemical Corps Museum will interest anyone captivated by recent newspaper headlines that describe future warfare. Museum exhibits trace the progression of the Army’s

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Chemical Corps towards modern-day weaponry and explain the history and growth of chemical, biological and radiological weapons. Visitors can gain a hands-on perspective of life in the Chemical Corps in walk-through exhibits. Video displays and historic weapons add to the experience as well.

The distinguished Military Police Corps traces its proud history in a museum that displays hundreds of artifacts and amazing exhibits. The museum is notable for its first-hand descriptions of battles, soldier experiences and historic photographs. Civil War uniforms, disciplinary barracks and prison models, historic vehicles, and modern-day military police exhibits offer visitors the chance to glimpse the life of the military police.

Museums are only the beginning of Fort Leonard Wood's attractions, where historic buildings are set against a natural landscape abundant with hiking trails, caves and waters for fishing and boating.

Some of Fort Leonard Wood's most popular sites are highlighted on the post driving tour. Several buildings along the tour date back to the origins of Fort Leonard Wood and contain interesting bits of history. The Black Officer's Club was built in 1941 and houses a restored mural that was painted by SSG Samuel Countee in 1945. Like many of the post structures, the Ike Skelton House was also constructed in 1941 as the post's Red Cross Office. The original structure still stands and is now used as VIP Guest Quarters. Other original structures along the route include the old post headquarters and the Garlington House. Another structural highlight is the Rolling Heath Schoolhouse, which dates back to 1912.

In addition to historic buildings, the driving tour shows off Fort Leonard Wood's geographic uniqueness. The impressive Miller Cave is one of the area's largest caves and once served as a prehistoric Native American shelter. Or, visit Stone Mill Spring, where over 18 million gallons of water flow daily. The spring was once home to a historic mill dating back to the 1840s.

Fort Leonard Wood also pays homage to U.S. military heroes at several memorial sites, including Veterans Memorial Park and Memorial Grove and Park.

The Piney Valley Golf Course promises a challenging game of golf against the beautiful Piney Valley landscape. The 18-hole course is open to the public, year-round.

No matter your mission, a day at Fort Leonard promises a link to our country's heritage and a tour that will rank above any other.



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Conflict in the Midwest

The battle lines had been drawn, and Americans picked up their weapons. The Civil War was about to change the face of the nation as they knew it. Most of us are familiar with the battle that raged on the East Coast, but what about the Midwest? Few realize the impact the Civil War had on both historic and present-day Pulaski County.

While alliances were mostly clear in the East, loyalties were much hazier in Pulaski County. Missouri was Confederate territory and, indeed, Waynesville initially flew the Confederate flag. The rugged terrain and relative isolation of the Missouri frontier shielded locals from strong opinions for or against slavery, however, and secession from the Union held little immediate consequence. As debate raged in the young country, the prevalent support in Pulaski County remained with the South; the presidential election of 1860 yielded only seven votes for Abraham Lincoln to John Breckenridge's 281. As war became imminent, however, opinions began to shift, and this trend continued throughout the war. In Pulaski County, neighbors, families and friends found themselves on opposite sides of the battlefield.

It soon became clear that the key supply road from St. Louis to Springfield would be critical to either side's success, placing Pulaski

County as a main thoroughfare. What is now Route 66 was, at the time, a path for transporting troops and supplies for each army; the Union Army eventually strung a telegraph wire along the route, resulting in its nickname of "The Wire Road."

Many Pulaski County farmers joined either the Union Army or Confederate militias or guerilla groups, and by 1862, Waynesville had become the center of the war in Pulaski County. While a few women remained to support local fighters, most fled with their children to safer territory. Union soldiers took over the town and erected a large fort on Fort Street, overlooking the downtown square. A marker at the site is now all that remains of the fort. The Pulaski County Courthouse was so badly damaged by rifle fire that it had to be torn down in 1870. The stagecoach stop, which still stands as The Old Stagecoach Stop museum in downtown Waynesville, was converted to a hospital for wounded soldiers.

As Union forces patrolled the streets, the wilderness was alive with Confederate militias that ambushed supply wagons. Pulaski County's rugged terrain and numerous caves changed the face of battle from traditional fighting methods to brief clashes between armies. The area was host to bloody skirmishes and raids.

By the time Union troops left Waynesville in 1865, Pulaski County was deserted. Some estimates maintain that up to 75 percent of the population had left. Homes and farms were vacant. Buildings were looted and destroyed; livestock was gone, and farms were overgrown. Many citizens never returned; for a time the Ozark region remained dangerous territory.

Fortunately, word of land ownership opportunity traveled east. Southerners who had lost their homes in the war seized the opportunity and headed west to establish new roots. The Southern Pacific Railroad opened rail lines to Springfield, giving rise to numerous small towns along the tracks, opening new economic possibility and establishing much of modern-day Pulaski County.

History has not been forgotten. Pulaski County still holds many remnants of the Civil War, allowing glimpses into our rich past. Two markers indicate areas of interest from the battles. The Old Courthouse Museum holds many relics from county history; the Old Stagecoach Stop features a Civil War medical display as well as artifacts from local history. The original structure still stands as a testament to the ties that bind modern-day Pulaski County with memories of the past.



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Get Your Kicks in Pulaski County

It's undergone many transformations and is known by many names, but most of us have heard of Route 66. You've heard you can "get your kicks on Route 66," but what does that really mean? If you're traveling the 300 miles of highway that spans 10 counties in Missouri, it means tearing a page out of history as you travel through quaint towns that provide glimpses to, and even memories of, a younger America.

The stretch of Route 66 that winds through Pulaski County is lush with brilliant scenery and breathtaking landscapes. Valleys cut through limestone and dolomite rock, and you'll visit cities whose heyday was years ago, as well as cities just finding their roots. The tour will captivate travelers as they wind along the historic road in Pulaski County. Take your time to experience what a 1930 tourist map describes as "a glorious panorama, whose grandeur is unrivaled in America."

- "The Main Street of America"**
- "The Wire Road"**
- "Bloody 66"**
- "The Mother Road"**

Migrating mastodon once traveled a track that was later a pathway for Indians. The natural thoroughfare was a key supply route for soldiers and materials during the Civil War, and later, the Union Army strung a telegraph line along the road — the origin of the nickname "The Wire Road." The road also served as the main passage from St. Louis to Springfield. The staying power of the route was solidified in 1926, when a 2,400-mile road that would stretch from Chicago, Illinois, to Santa Monica, California, was commissioned. The road would become Route 66 as we know it.

The route through Pulaski County holds particular appeal for modern-day travelers, with its blend of historic landmarks and



natural preservation. Scenic overlooks and rivers are interspersed with historic buildings. Still visible is the historic Hooker Church and Graveyard, which dates back to the early 1900s. As you travel through Hooker Cut, take in the popular postcard landscape that was once rumored to be the deepest road cut in America and that shows the layers of limestone that had to be overcome to build the road.

Travel through the beautiful hamlet of Devil's Elbow and find out why lumberjacks cried in frustration at a large boulder lodged in the sharpest bend in the Big Piney River. They reasoned the boulder could only have been put there by the devil — the boulder and sharp corner caught the logs they tried to float downriver and created work-stopping logjams. Stop for lunch in Devil's Elbow. Continue to Waynesville, the only downtown area on Route 66 in Missouri, where the historic Old Stagecoach Stop has stood since the 1850s. Listed on the National Register of Historic Places, the building has served as a stagecoach stop, private residence, post office and Civil War hospital. While you're in the neighborhood, stop by the Old Courthouse Museum, which still houses one of its original 1903 courtrooms.

This historic road was once home to homemade Ozark basket shops, tourist courts (early motels) and a hillbilly store. It has opened the highways of America and opened a passage to the West. Today, it is a perfect afternoon drive that promises natural beauty, preserved history and landmarks, and scenic overlooks.



Hideaway in the Heart of It All

We'd call it a hideaway if it weren't so easy to find. Centrally located along Interstate 44, Pulaski County is a short drive from St. Louis, Kansas City and Branson and is only an hour from other enjoyable attractions, including the St. James Winery region, the Osage Beach Outlet Mall and the Bass Pro Headquarters in Springfield, Missouri.

Pulaski County offers many activities. Follow the Trail of Tears, visit one of the many Civil War sites or take a Railroad Driving Tour. Or, get your kicks on historic Route 66, where

you can visit Hooker Pass or Devil's Elbow. Antique shops and flea markets abound, providing opportunities to treasure hunt. See history in the making and history preserved at Fort Leonard Wood, home to the Mahaffey Museum Complex, which tells the fascinating stories of the Army's Engineering, Chemical Warfare and Military Police schools.

DAY TRIPS AND DRIVING TOURS

Pulaski County offers many driving tours with breathtaking views of the limestone cliffs and meandering rivers of the Ozarks.

Retrace the growth of the railroad and see the influence it had on the communities it created. Find a treasure or unique gift with a tour of the many antique shops and flea markets. Take a historical driving tour of Fort Leonard Wood and see the original buildings, including the Ike Skelton House and the Black Officer's Club, plus natural resources at Miller Cave and Stone Mill Spring. Stop at the Mahaffey Museum Complex. Or get your kicks on Route 66.

Stop by the Visitors Center and pick up one of our many driving tour brochures.

AREA ATTRACTIONS

Number following site indicates location on maps (Pages 28 & 29) ● GEOGRAPHICAL AREA

Army Museum Complex

Corner of Nebraska & South Dakota, FLW
573-596-8844 or 573-596-2666
Monday–Friday, 8 a.m.–4 p.m.
Saturday 10 a.m.–4 p.m.

- Three museums
- World War II, Korea and Vietnam buildings
- Soldiers Memorial Park

Frisco Depot Museum 9

10th St., Crocker
573-736-2649

- Open by appointment
- Great photo opportunity

Frog Rock 5

Waynesville Hill, Historic Route 66/
Business Loop I-44, Waynesville

- Great photo opportunity

M-60 Tanks 4 5

Two locations for a great photo opportunity:

- Reed Park off Historic Route 66 in St. Robert, across from Ramada Inn
- St. Robert Boulevard, north side of I-44, Exit 161, across from Wal-Mart

Old Pulaski County Courthouse Museum 5

On the Waynesville Square
573-774-5368
www.pcmuseumoldcrtrs.org

Open Saturdays April–September
10 a.m.–4 p.m. or by appointment

- Built in 1903
- Original judge and jury boxes
- Museum has a piece of World Trade Center post 9/11

Old Route 66 Adventure 7 12

Old Route 66, I-44 Exits 153–169

- Take a loop at Teardrop Road in Devil's Elbow for a scenic drive. The Pulaski County Tourism Bureau produces a brochure showing the route and highlighting some of the historic features along Route 66.

Old Stagecoach Stop 5

On the Waynesville Square
573-774-5368
www.oldstagecoachstop.org

Open Saturdays 10 a.m.–4 p.m.,
April–September and by reservation

- Oldest building in Pulaski County; listed on the National Register of Historic Places
- 1850s log cabin and 1860s log tavern
- Civil War display
- 1915 and 1946 kitchens
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Portuguese Point 7

Off Exit 163, six miles east on Highway 28
• Scenic view

Remember When Museum 8

500 S. Oak St., Dixon
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Off FLW 25, Fort Leonard Wood

- Built in 1912, grades one through eight were taught here until 1941. The building was restored in 1995 and is currently used by nature, historical and civic groups.
- Behind the school there is a walking trail through the woods.

St. Robert City Museum 1

City of St. Robert Municipal Center
East Lawn Ave., St. Robert
573-451-2000

Wooden Railroad Trestle Bridge

Route 66 to Teardrop Road in Devil's Elbow.
Continue east, turn left on Trophy Lane. Road leads to trestle bridge.

- Scenic overlook

RECREATION

American Legion Post 331 3

492 St. Robert Outer Road, St. Robert
573-336-4653

- Bingo Sunday afternoons

Buckhorn Lanes 11

25915 Highway 17, Waynesville
573-774-5561

VFW Post 3168 12

26050 Swindell Drive, Laquey (Exit 150)
573-765-3168

- Bingo Saturday and Monday nights

VFW Post 4956 9

13165 Highway 17, Crocker
573-736-2455

- Bingo Thursday nights

THEATERS

Cinema 8 6

100 Tremont Center, Waynesville, I-44 Exit 156
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FISHING AND BOATING

Gasconade Hill Access

- Ten miles south of Dixon on Highway 28, then west on County Road 28-462

Hazelgreen River Access

- I-44 Exit 145, then west on South Outer Road to Gasconade River

Laughlin/Roubidoux Parks

- Near Highway 17 in Waynesville at Roubidoux River Bridge. A certified site of the National Park Service, National Historic Trail as an Encampment on the Trail of Tears.

Mitschele Access

- Five miles south of Richland on Highway 7 Riddle Bridge River Access
- Highway Y north of I-44 at the Gasconade River

Riddle Bridge Access

- Highway Y north of I-44 at the Gasconade River

Ross River Access

- Two and a half miles west of Duke on County Road TT-820N


Roubidoux River Access

- Highway 17 North one mile from Waynesville. South of the steel bridge.

Schlicht Springs River Access

- Highway 17 North from Waynesville to Highway 133, then west approximately one mile. Follow signs.

OUTDOOR ACTIVITIES AND ATTRACTIONS

Number following site indicates location on maps (Pages 28 & 29)  GEOGRAPHICAL AREA

4-J Horse Camp

P.O. Box 308, Waynesville
573-774-6879 or
573-774-5300
RSVP 573-774-2986

Blossom Rock Trail

- Lane Spring Recreation Area *(From Rolla, take Highway 63 south 12 miles. Turn in at the large Forest Service sign. Follow this road for 1.5 miles.)*
- The one-mile trail threads through woods along an old stream channel, then rises gradually to Blossom Rock. This enormous, flower-like sandstone formation, about 3 feet high and 30 feet across, "blooms" out of the surrounding limestone. Past the rock, the trail follows a ridge, then descends through a steep glade to Little Piney Creek and returns to the campground.
- Seventeen single sites, one double site
- Table, tent pad, lantern post, fire ring, drinking water, vault toilets
- Open May 1 through October 31
- Trail rating: Moderately Difficult

Cardin's Lake

14200 Colorado Road, Dixon *(I-44 Exit 163, north on Highway 28 to Highway D, right onto D for 0.25 mile, then right onto Colorado Road and 0.75 mile to driveway.)*
573-759-6664

Carol's Memorial Bluegrass Park

North Highway 133, Dixon
573-759-3544

- Bluegrass Pickin' Time, Memorial Day and Labor Day weekends

Cedar Bluff Trail

- Lake Spring Recreation Area *(From Rolla, take Highway 63 south 12 miles. Turn in at the large Forest Service sign. Follow this road for 1.5 miles)*
- The 1.5-mile trail is mostly wooded and is steep in some places. If you've never seen an Ozarks "glad," you'll enjoy visiting the rocky meadow at the top, surrounded by cedar trees for which the trail is named. At its highest point, the trail offers a view of the Little Piney Creek.
- Seventeen single sites, one double site
- Table, tent pad, lantern post, fire ring, drinking water, vault toilets
- Open May 1 through October 31
- Trail rating: Moderately Difficult

Clifty Natural Bridge

Dixon *(I-44 Exit 163, north on Highway 28 to Dixon. Continue on Highway 28 to Highway W, 3.9 miles past Dixon. Follow Highway W 3.8 miles and park at the Conservation Department sign on the left.)*

- Hike down to the creek bed, then go right along the creek bed and watch for the bridge on the left. It's about a one-hour walk over rough rocks to the bridge. You must cross the creek several times. Do not wear sandals! This is a beautiful site listed as a Missouri State geologic oddity.

Confluence of Roubidoux River & Gasconade River

- North of Waynesville on Highway 17 at the first bridge
- River access

Crocker Park, Swimming Pool & Fishing Pond

Off Highway 17, Crocker

- Admission fee for pool

Crocker Walking Trail

- Crocker Community Park, Crocker
- Half-mile lighted trail winding around the lake in the park
- Gazebo at the edge of the lake
- Foot travel only
- Trail rating: Easy

Fort Waynesville

- Historic Route 66 in Waynesville. Turn south on Benton Street, east on Fort Street; located on right
- Historical Land Marker highlighting the location of the fort, built to overlook the old Wire Road (now known as Historic Route 66)

Meyer's Berry Farm (U-Pick) 8

Highway D, Dixon
573-759-7998

Mill Creek

- In the Mark Twain National Forest (*From Newburg, 0.2 miles south on Highway T; 2.3 miles southwest on Highway P; 2.3 miles south on Forest Road 1579*)
- Camping, fishing, hiking, picnicking, horseback trails

Miller Cave & Trail

Off FLW N, Fort Leonard Wood

- Mouth of cave overlooks scenic view of the valley and river
- Hiking trail to cave
- Trail rating: Difficult

Oak Hills Country Club 8

13351 Cunnuck Lane, Dixon
573-759-2323

Ozark Mountain Ranch 8

11599 Castle Lane, Dixon
573-759-2622

Paddy Creek

In the Mark Twain National Forest (*From Roby, two miles north on Highway 17; four miles northeast on County Road 2800; two miles south on Forest Road 220*)

- One-mile and 19-mile trails for hiking and horseback riding
- Camping, fishing, picnicking and bathrooms
- Trail crosses the river — bring your water shoes

Paddy Creek Wilderness

In the Mark Twain National Forest (*From Roby, two miles north on Highway 17; right on the gravel road, past the sign for campground, for six miles; right on Forest Road 22; two miles to recreation site*)

- Hiking and horseback trails
- Scenic views
- Trail crosses the river — bring your water shoes

Piney Valley Golf Course

Bldg. 102201, FLW 20, Fort Leonard Wood
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573-329-4770

Reed Park 4

Roadside park located south of Exit 161 on Historic Route 66, across from Ramada Inn

- Picnic tables, grills and photo opportunity with M-60 Tank

Richland Community Center 10

Highway 7, Richland
573-765-4421

- 4,000 square feet; 150 occupancy

Richland Public Golf Course 10

1555 Airport Road, Richland
573-765-4825

Richland Walking Trail 10

Shady Dell Park

- Trail rating: Easy

Roby Lake Recreation Area

From Roby, take Highway 17 north for one mile; turn east at the Forest Service sign onto Forest Road 274 for 0.6 miles

- Four tables with grills
- Vault toilets provided
- Camping allowed, but no developed campsites
- No vehicles allowed in camping area
- Recreation area is the trail head for 17-mile Big Piney Trail into Paddy Creek Wilderness
- Trail: Horses and foot traffic only, no motorized vehicles allowed in the wilderness
- Fishing: Roby Lake is 5 acres; stocked with bluegill, bass and catfish

Roubidoux Spring at Laughlin Park 5

On the river in downtown Waynesville (*South of the bridge*)

- Handicapped-accessible fishing
- Picnic tables

Sandspring Trail

Behind the Rolling Heath One-Room School, Fort Leonard Wood

- Foot traffic only
- Trail rating: Easy

Scuba Diving 5

At Roubidoux Spring & Underwater Cave
573-774-2414

- Contact Waynesville Police Department for information

Shady Dell Park & Swimming Pool 10

Highway 7, Richland
573-765-5128

- Admission fee for pool, baseball field and walking trail

Slabtown Recreation Area

From Licking take Highway 32 west for four miles, turn north on Highway N for 2.5 miles, then south on Highway AF for 6.5 miles

- Five picnic tables, each with fire ring
- Vault toilets
- Open year-round
- No fees
- Approximately a two-mile hike

St. Robert Community Center and Park 4

James Williamson Boulevard off Historic Route 66

- Community events held year-round
- Skate park
- Athletic fields

St. Robert Walking Trail 4

- Along Historic Route 66
- Trail rating: Easy

Stone Mill Spring and Trail

Off FLW 25, Fort Leonard Wood.

- Approximately a 0.5-mile walk to spring

Trout Fishing at Roubidoux River 5

Downtown Waynesville

- Trophy trout fishing
- Missouri fishing license required

Warnol Valley Lakes Fish Farm 8

10401 Circle Road, Dixon (*I-44 Exit 163, then north on Highway 28 to Highway D; right onto Highway D to lake*)
573-759-2907

Waynesville Community Park & Roubidoux Trail 5

Behind the Courthouse


- Playground equipment
- Pavilions
- Walk beside the river

Waynesville Walking Trail 5

Waynesville Park to Laughlin Park

- One-mile trail winding along the Roubidoux River
- Trail goes through the area where the Kickapoo Trace Muzzle Loaders and Indians camp during many festivals
- Leads to the Roubidoux Spring, home of the underwater cave
- Laughlin Park offers picnic tables, large playing field and easy-access fishing
- Waynesville Park offers several pavilions, playing fields and playground equipment
- River access available
- Trail: Foot traffic only; Rating: Easy
- Camping: Only during specified festivals
- Public restrooms

CANOE OUTFITTERS/CAMPGROUNDS, RV PARKS AND CABINS

Number following site indicates location on maps (Pages 28 & 29)  GEOGRAPHICAL AREA

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Boiling Spring Campground 

BL • CN • I • J • K • PA • RVC • RVR • S • T
18700 Cliff Road, Dixon (I-44 to Exit 163. North on Highway 28, right onto Highway PP, go three miles. Road turns to gravel; go 0.5 mile on right.)
573-759-7294

Carol Jones Memorial Park 

RVC • T
Highway 133, Dixon
573-759-3544
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Country View Acres Campground & RV Park 

CN • I • J • RVC • T
17430 Cliff Road, Dixon (I-44 to Exit 163. North on Highway 28, across Gasconade River, then right on PP Highway. Three miles on blacktop road, then continue on gravel road for 1.25 miles.)
573-759-7363

Devil's Elbow River Safari 

CN • I • R • T
21525 Tidal Road, P.O. Box 362, Devil's Elbow
573-336-7979

Gasconade Hills Resort 

CB • CN • I • J • K • P • PA • R • RVC • S • T
28425 Spring Road, Richland (I-44 Exit 145. South on Highway 133 to Road AB, then left to Spring Road, then one mile south.)
573-765-3044 or 800-869-6861
www.canoemissouri.com

Glen Oaks RV Park – A Good Sam Park 

RVP • T
26215 Highway 17, Waynesville (10 miles) (I-44 Exit 153)
573-774-2727

Lay Z Day Canoes and Camping 

CN • J • K • P • PA • R • RV • S • T
23417 Teak Lane, St. Robert (I-44 Mile Marker 163. West on Z Highway 0.5 mile, left on Tulsa Road to Teak Lane. Approximately three miles from Z Highway.)
573-336-8639

Rich's Last Resort 

CB • CN • I • K • PA • R • RVC • S • T
33401 Windsor Lane, Duke (I-44 Mile Marker 169. South on Highway J then west through Duke to the resort and Ross Access to the Big Piney River. Watch for signs.)
573-435-6669
www.richslastresort.com

Roubidoux Springs Campground & RV Park 

RVP • T
Historic Route. 66W, Waynesville (5 miles)
573-774-6171

Route 66 Canoe Rental 

CN • I • J • R • T
1050 Trophy Lane, Devils Elbow (I-44 Exit 169. West on Highway Z to Trophy Lane.)
573-336-2730

Wilderness Ridge Resort 

CB • CN • I • PA • R • RVC • T
33850 Windsor Lane, Duke (I-44 Mile Marker 169. South on Highway J, then west through Duke. Watch for signs.)
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Shopping Center.....	Location	GPS Coordinates
1 878 Center	Missouri Avenue, St. Robert.....	N37.48.089 W092.08.461
1 Clayton Towers.....	Missouri Avenue, St. Robert.....	N37.48.086 W092.084.61
4 Copperfield Center	Historic Route 66 E., Waynesville.....	N37.48.723 W092.13.388
6 Cross Creek Center	Ichord Avenue, Waynesville	N37.48.723 W092.13.388
1 Gateway Center.....	Missouri Avenue, Waynesville	N37.47.843 W092.08.209
1 Hidden Valley Plaza	Missouri Avenue, St. Robert.....	N37.49.146 W092.08.469
4 High Point Center.....	Historic Route 66 E., Waynesville.....	N37.49.544 W092.10.253
3 Liberty Plaza.....	St. Robert Boulevard, St. Robert.....	N37.49.588 W092.10.166
6 Lincoln Center.....	Historic Route 66 W., Waynesville	N37.49.239 W092.12.882
1 Main Gate Center.....	Missouri Avenue, St. Robert.....	N37.47.780 W092.08.337
1 Maple Tree Center	Missouri Avenue, St. Robert.....	N37.48.015 W092.08.337
1 The Plaza	Missouri Avenue, St. Robert.....	N37.47.780 W092.08.159
1 Spur Shopping Center.....	Missouri Avenue, St. Robert.....	N37.48.324 W092.08.669
3 St. Robert Center.....	St. Robert Boulevard, St. Robert.....	N37.49.534 W092.09.347
4 Sunrise Plaza.....	Historic Route 66, St. Robert.....	N37.49.729 W092.10.698
1 Three Rivers Center.....	Missouri Avenue, St. Robert.....	N37.48.591 W092.08.620
6 Townfield Plaza	Highway H, Waynesville.....	N37.48.509 W092.13.514
1 Upper Mini Mall.....	Missouri Avenue, St. Robert.....	N37.48.445 W092.08.589
1 VFW Circle.....	Missouri Avenue, St. Robert.....	N37.48.132 W092.08.609
5 Waynesville Square	Historic Route 66 E., Waynesville.....	N37.49.720 W092.10.078
6 Westside Shopping Center	Historic Route 66 W., Waynesville	N37.45.927 W092.13.212

STORES AND SHOPS

Number following site indicates location on maps (Pages 28 & 29)  GEOGRAPHICAL AREA

Bear Ridge

Antiques & Collectibles **9**

17984 Highway 17 N., Crocker
573-736-5858

Bruner's Hallmark **6**

Townfield Plaza, 320 Ichord Ave., Waynesville
573-774-3737

Candy Bouquet **6**

Townfield Plaza, 320 Ichord Ave., Waynesville
573-774-3636

CAR-TUNES **1**

156 Marshal Drive, St. Robert
573-336-4688

Cato's **3**

St. Robert Center,
215 St. Robert Blvd., St. Robert
573-336-2995

County Mart **8**

Highway 28 & 133, Dixon
573-759-6212

Cracker Barrel Old Country Store & Gifts **3**

128 St. Robert Blvd., St. Robert
573-336-7273

Dan's Men's Wear & Accessories **1**

Clayton Towers,
690 Missouri Ave. #2, St. Robert
573-336-8949

Designs From Nature **6**

Unique Gifts & Home Decor
Townfield Plaza, 320 Ichord Ave., Waynesville
573-774-3733

Dollar General **1**

Spur Shopping Center,
743 Missouri Ave., St. Robert
573-336-0036

Dollar General **6**

104 Ashley May Lane, Waynesville
573-774-0341

Dollar General **8**

103 W. 4th, Dixon
573-759-7687

Dollar Tree **3**

St. Robert Center,
215 St. Robert Blvd., St. Robert
573-336-4512

Eircil's Jewelry **5**

Waynesville Square,
317 North St., Waynesville
573-774-5211

Family Dollar **10**

700 W. Washington Ave., Richland
573-765-4905

Family Dollar **1**

113 Marshall Drive, St. Robert
573-336-7989

Fleas-R-Us **10**

Highway 7, Richland
417-765-4444

Food For Life **1**

105 Bosa Drive #2, St. Robert
573-336-1002

Giggles & Wiggles **1**

Spur Shopping Center,
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573-774-5113

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220 Marshal Drive, St. Robert
573-336-2143

Green's Antiques, Gifts & Collectibles 8

11971 Highway D, Dixon
573-759-2556

Halo Candle Co. 1

Hidden Valley Plaza,
220 Marshal Drive, St. Robert
573-336-8824

Hawkeye Auction 9

Highway 17 N., Crocker
573-736-5236

L&M Gifts 10

Highway 7, Richland
573-765-4195

Laura's Jewelry Designs 1

Clayton Towers,
690 Missouri Ave., St. Robert
573-336-0171

Lepard's Shoes 1

Clayton Towers,
690 Missouri Ave., St. Robert
573-336-3387

Market Basket Cafe 10

204 E. McClurg, Richland
573-765-3366

Maurice's 5

St. Robert Center,
215 St. Robert Blvd., St. Robert
573-336-4914

Mets Resale & Military Surplus 1

834 Missouri Ave., St. Robert
573-336-3369

Michel's Frames & Things 1

Clayton Towers,
690 Missouri Ave., St. Robert
573-336-8666

Military Pro Shop 1

878 Center, 878 #2, St. Robert
573-336-7737

Nancy's Pawn Shop 1

129 E. Lawn Ave., St. Robert
573-336-4149

Orscheln Farm & Home Supply 6

110 CW Parker Lane, Waynesville
573-774-6484

Other Mother's 4

531 Historic Route 66 E, St. Robert
573-336-7003

Paum's Bridal & Formal 1

Clayton Towers,
690 Missouri Ave., St. Robert
573-336-3848

Plaza Gifts & Home Decor 1

Hidden Valley Plaza,
220 Missouri Ave., St. Robert
573-336-4736

Portia's Patchwork 3

Clayton Towers,
690 Missouri Ave., St. Robert
573-336-7427

Post Pawn Store 1

Upper Mini Mall,
1018 Missouri Ave., St. Robert
573-336-3441

Radio Shack 1

Hidden Valley Plaza,
330 Missouri Ave., St. Robert
573-336-4969

Route 66 Flea Market 10

25845 Highway AB, Richland
573-765-5323

Sax Thrift Ave. 10

Corner of McClurg and Chestnut, Richland
573-765-5323

Sears 1

Spur Shopping Center,
713 Missouri Ave., St. Robert
573-336-7133

Secret Western Store 3

22975 Hardy Lane, St. Robert
573-336-5066

Seda's Gift Shop 5

Waynesville Square,
107 N. Benton, Waynesville
573-774-6910

Simple Pleasures 10

700 W. Washington, Richland
573-765-0181

Snuggie's Fashion and Beauty 1

Hidden Valley Plaza,
1018 Missouri Ave., Suite 11, St. Robert
573-336-5798

Super Wal-Mart 5

185 St. Robert Blvd., St. Robert
573-336-5103

Talbot House Antiques & Collectibles 5

Waynesville Square,
405 North St., Waynesville
573-774-6096


Value Footwear 1

Hidden Valley Plaza,
220 Marshal Drive #4, St. Robert
573-336-1080

The Vineyard Bible Book and Store & More 1

1018 Mo Ave., Suite 8, St. Robert
573-336-8801

FLORAL SHOPS

Number following site indicates location on maps (Pages 28 & 29)  GEOGRAPHICAL AREA

All Your Events Flower and Gift Shop 10

117 W. Camden St., Richland
573-765-3986

DC Floral 9

316 S. Commercial St., Crocker
573-736-3000

Dixon Floral 8

208 W. 2nd St., Dixon
573-759-6660

Every Bloomin' Thing 5

206 Historic 66 W, Waynesville
573-774-6775

Flower Bin 4

Copperfield Center,
372 Historic Route 66 #2, St. Robert
573-336-2641

Rainbow Florist & Wedding Shop 8

217 W. 2nd St., Dixon
573-759-2551

Richland Floral 10

106 McClurg, Richland
573-765-3621 or 800-535-8958


Shantelle's Floral and Gift 10

206 S. Chestnut, Richland
573-765-3986

Sunshine Floral 9

118 S. Commercial St., Crocker
573-736-2630

PERSONAL SERVICES


Number following site indicates location on maps (Pages 28 & 29)  GEOGRAPHICAL AREA

Adam & Eve Salon 

Hidden Valley Plaza,
220 Missouri Ave., St. Robert
573-336-7033

Angel Nails & Hair 

Clayton Towers,
690 Missouri Ave., St. Robert
573-336-4104

Barber Tan and Style 

25865 Historic Route 66 W, Waynesville
573-774-5655

Beauty Zone 

878 Center, St. Robert
573-336-2269

Betty's Carousel Salon 

202 S. Ellen St., Dixon
573-759-2740

Bill's Wood Products 

17420 Cashew Lane, Dixon
573-759-3624

Capers 

Waynesville Square,
300 Historic Route 66 E, Waynesville
573-774-3482

Center Stage 

Hidden Valley Plaza,
220 Missouri Ave., St. Robert
573-336-3181

Central College of Cosmetology 

Clayton Towers,
690 Missouri Ave., St. Robert
573-336-3888

Cooks Day Spa 

Clayton Towers,
690 Missouri Ave., #1, St. Robert
573-336-5700

Curves for Women 

1100 W. Historic Route 66, Waynesville
573-774-3534

Cyberbytes 

Hidden Valley Plaza,
220 Missouri Ave., St. Robert
573-336-1233

Diane's Beauty Salon 

Westside Shopping Center,
1125 Historic Route 66 W, Waynesville
573-774-3433

Evelin's Beauty Salon 

208 North St., Waynesville
573-774-5022

Hair Matters 

1603 Historic Route 66 W, Waynesville
573-774-3300

Hair On The Square 

Waynesville Square,
233 Historic Route 66 E, Waynesville
573-774-2384

The Hair Shoppe 

209 Historic Route 66 W, Waynesville
573-774-2150

Hair Station 

288 Missouri Ave., St. Robert
573-336-2078

In Touch Massages 

High Point Center, Historic Route 66, St. Robert
573-336-5343

Judi's Nails & Hair 

Cross Creek Plaza,
123 Ichord Ave., Waynesville
573-774-6522

Kwik Kar Lube & Tune 

121 St. Robert Blvd., St. Robert
573-336-4354

Laundry Room 

Sunrise Plaza,
1106 Historic Route 66, Waynesville
573-336-4925

Lifestyles Full Service Salon 

Copperfield Center,
360 Historic Route 66, St. Robert
573-336-2228

Linda's Hair Designs 

430 Historic Route 66, Waynesville
573-336-4454

Lion's Maine 

122 Old Route 66, St. Robert
573-336-2296

LV Nails 

Plaza Center,
1044 Missouri Ave. #2, St. Robert
573-336-1222

Mailbox It 

St. Robert Center,
213 St. Robert Blvd., St. Robert
573-336-5555

Major Cuts Barber Shop 

Hidden Valley Plaza,
220 Missouri Ave., St. Robert
573-336-4201

Med-Plus Wellness Clinic 

394 Historic Route 66
573-336-4221

Mid-America Wireless 

151 St. Robert Blvd., Suite 2, St. Robert
573-336-3148

Military Cuts 

Highway Z
573-336-8680

The New You 

High Point Center,
Historic Route 66, St. Robert
573-336-5612

Nu-Prestige Beauty Studio 

221 Eastlawn Ave., St. Robert
573-336-8877

Odyssey Scuba & Travel 

881 Old Route 66 E, Waynesville
573-774-3483

Outback Island 

Hidden Valley Plaza,
240 Missouri Ave., St. Robert
573-336-4730

St. John's Medical Center 

Historic Route 66, St. Robert
573-336-5100

The Station Tanning Salon 


288 Missouri Ave., St. Robert
573-336-7160

The Tanning Spa 

Westside Shopping Center,
1129 Historic Route 66 W, Waynesville
573-774-3826

Tonya's Creative Hair Design 

217 W. 2nd St., Dixon
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709 Missouri Ave., St. Robert
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283 Eastlawn Ave., St. Robert
573-336-3759

Rocky Top Kennel

23725 Red Oak Road, Waynesville
573-774-2900

Freedom Mountain Inn

12501 Highway 28, Dixon
573-759-2369

Secret Arena

22975 Hardy Lane, St. Robert
573-336-5066

Pulaski Veterinary Clinic

22199 Highway Y, St. Robert
573-336-5099

MEETING SPACE

Location	Phone Number.....	Occupancy/Public/Private
All Towne Suites	573-451-2600	40, Private
Baymont Inn.....	573-336-5050	30, Private
Candlewood Suites	573-451-2500	10, Private
Chopstix.....	573-336-0104	100, Semi-private
.....	Breakfast-200, Private
Hampton Inn.....	573-336-3355	150, Private
The Hub Restaurant.....	573-336-3874	80, Private
Imperial Restaurant.....	573-774-0355	100, Private
Joe's Place.....	573-765-3638	100, Private
Microtel Inn & Suites.....	573-336-7705	15, Semi-private
Pepper's Sports Bar & Grill.....	573-336-2100	30, Semi-private
Point Steakhouse.....	573-759-6100	40, Private
Price Cutter Restaurant.....	573-774-8489	80, Private
Pulaski County Community Center.....	573-336-1078	150, Private
Richland Community Cente.....	573-765-4421	150, Private
Rockin' R	573-336-4244	350, Private/Semi-Private
Ryan's Steakhouse	573-336-8536	54, Private
Shriner's Club.....	573-774-5454	150, Private
St. Robert Community Center.....	573-451-2000	500, Private
Super 8.....	573-451-2888	45, Private; 10, Semi-Private



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Paradise German Deli **5**

C • P • Q

219 Historic Route 66, Waynesville
573-774-8422

Mexican

El Jimador **1**

A • M • P

Hidden Valley Plaza,
220 Missouri Ave., St. Robert
573-336-7555

El Sombrero **4**

A

385 Highway Z, St. Robert
573-336-72729

La Familia Mexican Restaurant **1**

A • C • M • P • Q

Upper Mini Mall,
658 Missouri Ave., St. Robert
573-336-3339

Latin Touch Café **1**

878 Center, 878 Missouri Ave., St. Robert
573-336-3826

Oriental

Bulgogie House **1**

1018 Missouri Ave., St. Robert
573-336-7550

China Buffet **1**

M • P

Spur Shopping Center,
743 Missouri Ave., St. Robert
573-336-5886

Chopstix **1**

A • D • M

Hidden Valley Plaza,
220 Missouri Ave., St. Robert
573-336-0104

Joe's Traditional Korean Food **1**

Upper Mini Mall,
1005 Missouri Ave., St. Robert
573-336-3590

Mi Suks Oriental Restaurant **1**

D

The Plaza, 1058 Missouri Ave., St. Robert
573-336-4770

Mizeki Japanese Sushi & Grill **4**

198 Old Route 66,
St. Robert

573-336-3399

Seoul Gardens **4**

626 Old Route 66, St. Robert
573-336-2023

American Cuisine

Aussie Jack's Steaks, Seafood & Spirits **3**

A

141 St. Robert Blvd., St. Robert
573-336-2447

Café Italia **5**

M

Waynesville Square,
103 N. Benton St., Waynesville
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101 Comfort Inn Blvd., St. Robert
573-336-1001

Country Café **7**

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573-336-5200

Cracker Barrel Old Country Store **3**

P

128 St. Robert Blvd., St. Robert
573-336-7273

Dixon Drive Inn **8**

208 S. Ellen, Dixon
573-759-2222

Elbow Inn & BBQ Pit **7**

A • C • P • Q

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C	Catering
D	Delivery
M	Meeting Space
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Q	Debit Cards Accepted

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573-759-3210

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A • C • P

948 Old Route 66, St. Robert
573-336-2943

Joe's Place **10**

A • M

25955 Highway P, Laquey
573-765-5040

Kentucky House **9**

200 N. Commercial St., Crocker
573-736-2970

Linda's Family Restaurant **8**

305 2nd St., Dixon
573-759-6379

Main Street Grill **3**

A

231 St. Robert Blvd., St. Robert
573-336-1004

Market Basket Café **10**

204 E. McClurg, Richland
573-765-3366

Mediterranean Grill **1**

A • C • M • P • Q

379 Hwy. Z, St. Robert
573-336-4378

Oak Hills Country Club **8**

13351 Cunnuck Lane, Dixon
573-759-2323

Oasis Truckport Restaurant **10**

Highway 133, Richland
573-765-5474

Patsy & Sam's **9**

H120 N. Commercial, Crocker
573-736-2167

Pepper's Sports Bar & Grill **4**

A • M

560 Old Route 66, St. Robert
573-336-2100

Dining

The Point Steakhouse **8**

A • C • M • P

16995 Highway 28, Dixon
573-759-6100

Price Cutter Plus Restaurant & Buffet **6**

M • P • Q

320 Ichord Ave., Waynesville
573-774-8489

Ridgeway Bar & Grill **10**

Highway 7 North, Richland
573-765-2525

Route 66 Diner **3**

M • P

126 St. Robert Blvd., St. Robert
573-336-8989

Ruby Tuesday **3**

A • P • Q

135 St. Robert Blvd., St. Robert
573-336-5140

Ryan's **3**

C • M • P • Q

220 St. Robert Blvd., St. Robert
573-336-8536

Salami's Deli & Grill **1**

2020 VFW Circle, Suite 9, St. Robert
573-336-3232

Simple Pleasures Diner **10**

609 W. Washington, Richland
573-765-0181

Soulful Filling **1**

716 Missouri Ave., St. Robert
862-452-2119

Southern Spice **1**

Clayton Towers, 690 Missouri Ave., St. Robert
573-336-2058

Star Restaurant **4**

1057 Old Route 66 E./
Business Loop I-44, St. Robert
573-336-5660

Stephano's Pizza & Gyros **1**

A • D

Clayton Towers,
1015 Missouri Ave., St. Robert
573-336-7949

Sweetwater BBQ **7**

A • P • C

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Torch's Rock Café **1**

Main Gate Center,
946 Missouri Ave., St. Robert
573-336-5330

Total Truck Port **2**

333 Highway Z, St. Robert
573-336-5220

Waffle House **2**

321 Highway Z, St. Robert
573-336-4331

Westside Café **6**

Westside Shopping Center,
1119 Historic Route 66 W, Waynesville
573-774-3644

PIZZA

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Domino's Pizza **3**

D • P

St. Robert Center, 213 St. Robert Blvd.,
Suite 1, St. Robert
573-336-3400

GW Pizza **1**

D

896 Missouri Ave., St. Robert
573-336-5565

Morgan's Pizza Time **10**

717 E. Jefferson, Richland
573-765-5454

Papa John's Pizza **1**

D

Hidden Valley Plaza,
220 Missouri Ave., St. Robert
573-336-3344

Pizza Hut Restaurant **3**

D • P

133 St. Robert Blvd., St. Robert
573-336-4828

TK's Pizza Express **1**

D

Spur Shopping Center,
743 Missouri Ave., St. Robert
573-336-5616

FAST FOOD

Number following site indicates location on maps (Pages 28 & 29) **1** GEOGRAPHICAL AREA

Arby's **1**

116 Marshall Drive, St. Robert
573-336-3624

Burger King

Missouri Ave., Fort Leonard Wood
573-329-3952

Dairy King **10**

S. Pine and Pulaski, Richland
573-765-3253

Dairy Queen **4**

1046 Old Route 66 E, St. Robert
573-336-3931

Full Belly Deli **8**

211 W. 2nd St., Dixon
573-759-3855

Kentucky Fried Chicken **4**

P • Q

180 Old Route 66 E./
Business Loop I-44, St. Robert
573-336-5885

McDonald's Restaurant **1**

381 Z Highway, St. Robert
573-336-3510

McDonald's Restaurant **6**

310 Ichord Ave., Waynesville
573-774-6671

Popeye's Chicken & Biscuits **3**

119 St. Robert Blvd., St. Robert
573-336-3297

Quizno's Subs **3**

Liberty Plaza,
310 St. Robert Blvd., Suite 3, St. Robert
573-336-7849


Shepherd's Drive Inn **8**

711 W. 5th St., Dixon
573-759-7710

Sonic Drive Inn **4**

1030 Old Route 66 E, St. Robert
573-336-2007

CONVENIENCE STORES SELLING HOT FOOD

Number following site indicates location on maps (Pages 28 & 29)  GEOGRAPHICAL AREA

All Star Express

906 Missouri Ave., St. Robert
573-336-7372

Andy's Short Stop

502 S. Commercial, Crocker
573-736-2900

BP of St Robert

681 E. Old Route 66, St. Robert
573-336-5454

Casey's General Store

100 E. 4th, Dixon
573-759-9966

Casey's General Store

111 W. Washington, Richland
573-765-9922

Casey's General Store

1106 W. Historic 66, Waynesville
573-774-5695

CB's Mini Mart

14130 Highway Z, St. Robert
573-336-3515

Cenex

333 Highway Z, St. Robert
573-336-5220

Cody's Convenience Store

291 Ichord Ave., Waynesville
573-774-0116

Crocker Conoco Convenience Store

504 N. Commercial, Crocker
573-736-2721

Delano Station Break

308 S. Ellen St., Dixon
573-759-7469

Delano Station Break

216 S. Commercial, Crocker
573-736-2333

Gas Hopper

16030 Highway 28, Dixon
573-759-3020

Interstate Food Mart

26075 Highway 17, Buckhorn (Exit 153)
573-774-2973

LMC Convenience Store

1302 W. Historic 66, Waynesville
573-774-2300

Mobil On The Run

122 St. Robert Blvd., St. Robert
573-336-5853

Oakwood Quick Stop

658 Historic Route 66, St. Robert
573-336-7707

Ozark Outdoorsman's Convenience Store

700 W. Washington, Richland
573-765-5833


Road Ranger Convenience Store

I-44 Exit 163 and Highway 28, St. Robert
573-336-8703

Total Truck Port

333 Highway Z, St. Robert
573-336-5220

COFFEE SHOPS

Number following site indicates location on maps (Pages 28 & 29)  GEOGRAPHICAL AREA

Café Italia

Waynesville Square,
103 N. Benton St., Waynesville
573-774-5707

Bldg. 570, Fort Leonard Wood
573-329-6022

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250 Carmel Valley Way, St. Robert (3 miles)
(I-44 Exit 161, north side of interstate)
573-451-2600 • 866-645-8658
www.alltownesuites.com
• 57 rooms
GPS N37.49.748 W092.09.077

Alpine Haus Motel ²

M • R

632 Old Route 66, St. Robert (3 miles)
(I-44 Exit 161, south side of interstate)
573-336-3424
• 30 rooms
GPS N37.49.403 W092.09.740

Baymont Inn & Suites ³

B • BA • E • F • H • IC •

IP • J • M • P • R • S • W

139 Carmel Valley Way, St. Robert (3 miles)
(I-44 Exit 161, north side of interstate)
573-336-5050 • 877-BAYMONT
www.baymontinns.com
• 70 rooms
GPS N37.49.625 W092.08.823

Bell's Extended Stay ⁴

IC • M • R

116 Bell Drive, St. Robert (1.5 miles)
(I-44 Exit 161, south side of interstate)
573-451-2222 • BellsMotelSuites.com
• 24 rooms
GPS N37.48.846 W092.08.031

Best Western Montis Inn ⁵

B • BA • M • OP • P • R • W

14086 Highway Z, St. Robert (4 miles)
(I-44 Exit 163, south side of interstate)
573-336-4299 • 800-528-1234
book.bestwestern.com
• 45 rooms
GPS N37.50.032 W092.05.844

Budget Inn ⁶

B • M • OP • P • R

127 Fina St., St. Robert (2 miles)
(I-44 Exit 161, south side of interstate)
573-336-5212 • 800-308-3309
www.budgetinn.com
• 45 rooms
GPS N37.49.264 W092.08.469

Candlewood Suites ⁷

BA • E • F • H • IC • M • P • R • W

140 Carmel Valley Way, St. Robert (3 miles)
(I-44 Exit 161; north side of interstate)
573-451-2500 • 888-CANDLEWOOD7
www.fortwoodhotels.com
• 74 rooms
GPS N37.49.570 W092.08.879

Comfort Inn ⁸

B • BA • E • F • H • IC •

IP • J • M • R • S • W

103 Comfort Inn Blvd., St. Robert (3 miles)
(I-44 Exit 161; north side of interstate)
573-336-3553 • 800-4-CHOICE
www.fortwoodhotels.com
• 70 rooms
GPS N37.49.474 W092.08.474

Days Inn ⁹

B • H • M • OP • P • R • W

14125 Highway Z, St. Robert (4 miles)
(I-44 Exit 163; south side of interstate)
573-336-5556 • 800-329-7466
www.daysinn.com/DaysInn/control/home
• 35 rooms
GPS N37.50.009 W092.05.923

DeVillie Motor Inn ¹⁰

H • M • P • R

461 Old Route 66, St. Robert (3 miles)
(I-44 Exit 161; south side of interstate)
573-336-3113 • 800-DV Motel
www.webound.com/devillie
• 40 rooms
GPS N37.49.212 W092.19.383

Econo Lodge ¹¹

B • BA • H • J • M • OP • P • R • W

309 Highway Z, St. Robert (2 miles)
(I-44 Exit 161; south side of interstate)
573-336-7272 • 800-553-2666
• 50 rooms
GPS N37.49.293 W092.08.498

Fairfield Inn ¹²

B • BA • E • F • H • IC •

IP • J • M • R • S • W

131 St. Robert Blvd., St. Robert (3 miles)
(I-44 Exit 161; north side of interstate)
573-336-8600 • 800-MARRIOTT
www.fortwoodhotels.com
• 79 rooms
GPS N37.49.503 W092.08.781

Fort Wood Inn ¹³

M • OP • R • P • W

1-44 Exit 153 East on Route 66 Waynesville
(8 miles from Exit 156/Waggoner Gate entrance)
573-774-3600 • www.fortwoodinn.com
• 55 rooms
GPS N37.47.160 W092.15.602

Hampton Inn ¹⁴

B • BA • E • F • H • IC •

J • K • M • OP • R • W

103 St. Robert Place, St. Robert (3 miles)
(I-44 Exit 161; north side of interstate)
573-336-3355 • 800-HAMPTON
www.fortwoodhotels.com
• 80 rooms
GPS N37.49.473 W092.08.963

Holiday Inn Express ¹⁵

B • BA • H • IC • IP • W

114 Vickie Lynn Lane, St. Robert (2 miles)
(I-44 Exit 161; south side of interstate)
573-336-2299 • 800-HOLIDAY
www.holidayinnexpressstrobort.com
• 52 rooms
GPS N37.49.395 W092.08.172

MainStay Suites ¹⁶

B • BA • E • H • IC • M • P • OP • R • W

227 St. Robert Blvd., St. Robert (3 miles)
(I-44 Exit 161; north side of interstate)
573-451-2700 • 800-4-CHOICE
fortwoodhotels.com
• 77 rooms
GPS N37.49.574 W092.09.495

Microtel Inn & Suites ¹⁷

B • BA • IC • D • E •

F • H • J • M • R • W

562 Old Route 66, St. Robert (3 miles)
(I-44 Exit 161, south side of interstate; or Exit 159, north side of interstate)
573-336-7705 • 877-336-7705
fortwoodhotels.com
• Convenience store
• 66 rooms
GPS N37.49.357 W092.09.605

Motel 6 18

BA • H • IC • M • P • R • W
 545 Highway Z, St. Robert (2 miles)
 (I-44 Exit 161; south side of interstate)
 573-336-3610 • 800-4MOTEL6
 www.motel6-strobert.com
 • 79 rooms
 GPS N37.49.389 W092.08.234

Ramada Inn 19

B • BA • E • F • H • IP • J • M • OP • P • R • S • W
 MO Ave. & Old Route 66, St. Robert
 (2 miles)
 (I-44 Exit 161; south side of interstate)
 573-336-3121 • 800-228-2828
 www.ramada.com/Ramada/control/home
 • 82 rooms
 GPS N37.49.327 W092.08.729

Ranch Motel 20

Old Route 66, St. Robert (2 miles)
 (I-44 Exit 161 or Exit 160)
 573-336-4894
 • 10 rooms

Red Roof Inn 21

B • BA • H • IC • IP • J • M • R • S • W
 129 St. Robert Blvd., St. Robert (3 miles) (I-44
 Exit 161; north side of interstate)
 573-336-2510 • 800-843-7663
 flwredroof.com
 • 70 rooms
 GPS N37.49.555 W092.08.771

Star Motel 22

D • M • OP • R
 1057 Old Route 66, St. Robert (4 miles)
 (I-44 Exit 161, south side of interstate; or
 Exit 159, south side of interstate)
 573-336-3223 • 800-953-2506
 star-motel.com
 • 66 rooms
 GPS N37.49.694 W092.10.632

Super 8 23

B • BA • E • F • H • IC • IP • J • M • P • R • S • W
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Bus Service

Service is available via Greyhound Bus Line. Bus Station is located one mile north of the Fort Leonard Wood gate. 800-231-2222 or local 573-336-5913.

Airports

Private planes are welcome to land at Fort Leonard Wood. For information, call Waynesville City Aviation at 573-329-4216. The city code for Waynesville City Aviation is TBN. This airport is located on Fort Leonard Wood. All commercial flights are provided by Great Lakes Aviation (see ad on page 8). To plan your flight, either call your local airport, make online arrangements or contact a travel agent. You may also log onto our Web site, visitpulaskicounty.org, and make arrangements online through our partnership with TravelHero. Schedule your flight from your area to Waynesville Regional Airport (airport code TBN).

Commercial airline service is also available to the following airports:

- Springfield, Missouri: 86 miles west of Fort Leonard Wood. Airport Code: SGF.
- St. Louis, Missouri: 120 miles east of Fort Leonard Wood. You may want to consider flying into Waynesville Regional Airport (TBN), located at Fort Leonard Wood, due to the 2.5-hour drive from St. Louis to our area. Airport Code: STL.

- Kansas City International: 240 miles, four-hour drive, northwest of Fort Leonard Wood. Airport Code: MCI.

Ask your travel agent to recommend an airline.

Airport Shuttles

Shuttles are available, for a fee, from the St. Louis/Lambert International Airport:

- FLW Express Shuttle: 888-359-7488 or 888-FLW-SHUT
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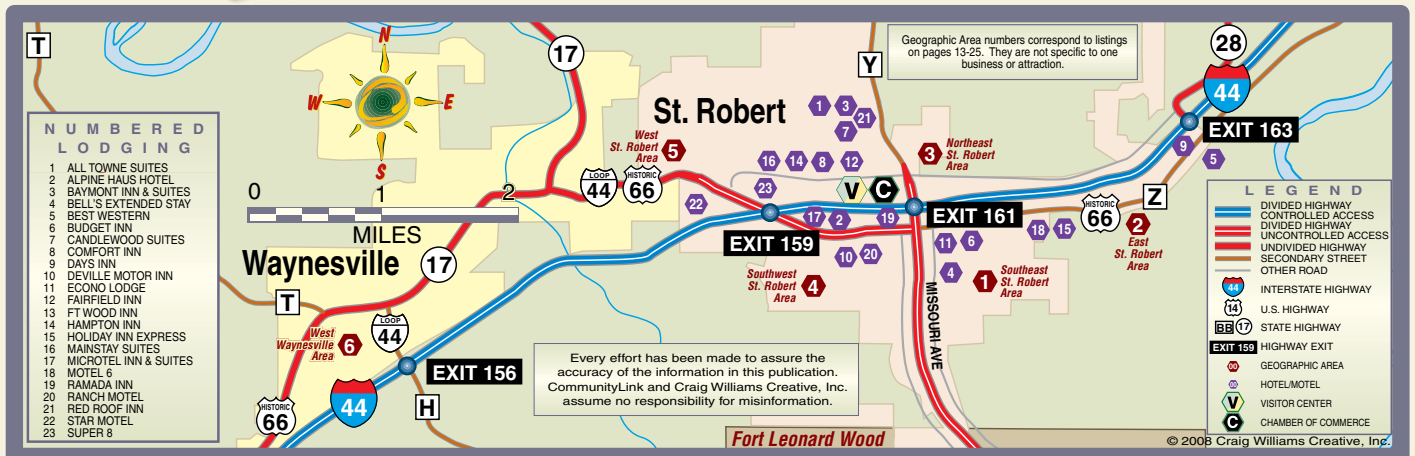
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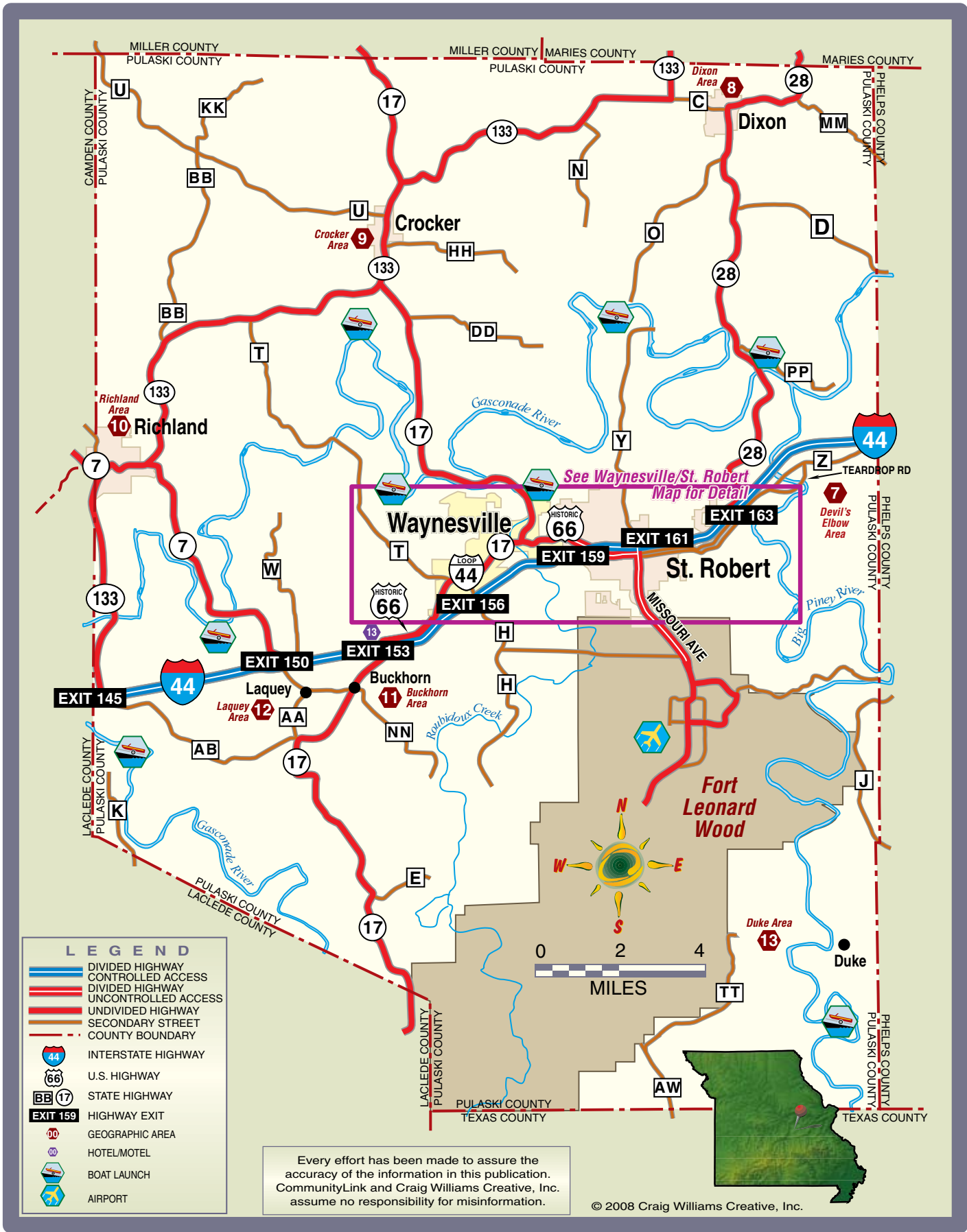
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Year-Round Fun

JANUARY

- **Kickapoo Trace Muzzleloaders 1840s & Blackpowder Trade Show**, held the third weekend at the St. Robert Community Center, St. Robert. For more information, call 573-762-2038.

APRIL

- **Spring BMX Bike Competition**, held the first four Fridays at 7 p.m. at Shady Dell Park, Richland. For more information, call 573-765-5128.
- **Earth Day Celebration**, held the last Saturday in Shady Dell Park, Richland. Art contests, tree planting. For more information, call 573-765-4421.

MAY

- **Frog Fest**, held the first full weekend at Waynesville City Park, Saturday 10–6 p.m., Sunday 10–4 p.m. For more information, contact Waynesville City Hall at 573-774-6171.
- **ATV Rodeo**, held the second Saturday at the Jeremiah Brackett Pulling Track, Richland. For more information, call 573-765-4421.
- **Dixon Bluegrass Festival**, held Memorial Day Weekend at Carol Jones Memorial Park. For more information, call 573-759-3544.
- **Mid America Freedom Rally**, featuring an outdoor rock concert and motorcycle contests, is held Memorial Day Weekend at the Shrine Club, Laquey. For more information, contact the Freedom Road Riders at 573-765-5034 or 573-774-5454.

JUNE

- **Pulaski County Regional Fair**, held the third weekend in June at the St. Robert City Park. Carnival, food and craft vendors, karaoke competition. For more information, visit www.pulaskicountyregionalfair.com.
- **Tri County Fair**, held the last weekend at Shady Dell Park, Richland. For more information, call 573-765-4421 or 573-765-5155.

JULY

- **Buckhorn Blast**, an outdoor concert at the Shrine Club, Laquey. For more information, contact the Freedom Road Riders at 573-765-5034 or the Shrine Club at 573-774-5454.
- **Fort Leonard Wood Independence Day Celebration**, at Gerlach Field, Fort Leonard Wood. For more information, call MWR 573-596-0434.
- **Old Settler's Day**, held the last full weekend in July at the Waynesville City Park. For more information, contact Kelly at 573-774-5315.

AUGUST

- **National Outlaw Truck and Tractor Pull**, held the second weekend at the Jeremiah Brackett Pull Track, Shady Dell Park, Richland. For more information, call 573-765-4421.

SEPTEMBER

- **Railroad Days**, held Labor Day Weekend at the Crocker City Park. For more information, call 573-736-5327.
- **Bluegrass Pickin' Time**, held Labor Day Weekend at Carol Jones Memorial Park, Dixon. For more information, call 573-759-3544.
- **Fall BMX Bike Competition**, held the first three Fridays at 7 p.m. at Shady Dell Park, Richland. The championship is held Saturday night during Founders Day. For more information, call 573-765-5128.
- **Dixon Cowdays**, held the third Friday and Saturday, 10 a.m. to midnight in downtown Dixon. Parade, karaoke, live music, craft and food vendors. Chance to win a cow! For more information, call 573-759-7776.
- **Richland Founders Day**, held the last Saturday at Shady Dell Park, Richland. For more information, call 573-765-4421.
- **Southern Gospel Reunion**, held the last weekend at Waynesville High School. For more information, call 573-774-3829.

OCTOBER

- **Buckhorn Halloween Bash**, held Halloween Weekend at the Shrine Club, Laquey. For more information, contact the Freedom Road Riders at 573-759-5034.
- **Richland Spooktacular**, a haunted walking trail, held the weekend of Halloween in Shady Dell Park. For more information, call 573-765-4421.

NOVEMBER

- **Waynesville St. Robert Study Club Bazaar**, held the first Saturday at the St. Robert Community Center, St. Robert. For more information, call 573-774-2095.
- **Veterans Day Parade**, held Veterans Day, 11 a.m. For more information, call 573-336-5121.

DECEMBER

- **Crocker Downtown Christmas**, held the first weekend in downtown Crocker. For more information, call 573-736-5327.
- **Laquey Lions Craft Show and Parade**, held the first Saturday at the Laquey School, Laquey. For more information, call 573-765-7867.
- **Holiday in the Park**, held the first Sunday at the St. Robert Community Center. This event follows the Lions Club Parade, held at 1 p.m. in Waynesville. For more information, call 573-336-4404.
- **Christmas on the Square**, held the first Thursday at 6:30 p.m. on the square in Waynesville. For more information, contact 573-774-6000.
- **Christmas on the Boulevard** is held the first part of December on St. Robert Boulevard, St. Robert. For more information, contact 573-336-3553.



Promoting the Pulaski County Experience

The Pulaski County Tourism Bureau began as a vision of community leaders to establish an organization to market the attributes of the county and shift some reliance for economic support from Fort Leonard Wood to tourism. A ballot was presented to the voters in 1998 asking them to approve a transient guest tax of 3 percent on lodging sales in the county. The ballot was approved, and the Tourism Bureau was created to over-

see the distribution of collected funds for the purpose of marketing the attractions and natural resources of Pulaski County.

The Tourism Bureau consists of a nine-member Board of Directors who are representative of the County. Each of the incorporated communities nominates someone from its Chamber of Commerce. Lodging, restaurant and outfitters businesses receive a nomination, and the Board chooses a

local businessperson who has an interest in tourism.

The Pulaski County Tourism Bureau opened the Pulaski County Visitor Center in St. Robert in 2001. The Visitor Center operates year-round and distributes free brochures from all over the state of Missouri to visitors and residents alike. The Visitor Center also serves as a central hub for groups to host registrations and tours to meet their Army escort.

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