



LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION & DEVELOPMENT

Drive Smarter. 511

Travel Info
Dial 511 or visit www.511LA.org

Out-of-state travelers can access the Louisiana 511 Traveler Information System by dialing 1-888-ROAD-511 (1-888-762-3511)


Visit us at www.dotd.la.gov

To report road conditions, ask questions or provide comments contact:
DOTD Customer Service Center
(225) 379-1232 or 1-877-4LADOTD / 1-877-452-3683
Email: DOTDCS@la.gov

The 511 Traveler Information Service provides travelers with around-the-clock, real-time traffic and road condition updates via the phone or internet.

EMERGENCY EVACUATION NETWORK

When an emergency occurs, will you be ready? For your safety, the key is to have a winning game plan. For evacuation information and maps go to www.getgameplan.org or visit www.gobsep.la.gov.



EMERGENCY BROADCAST SYSTEM OPERATIONAL AREAS

Alexandria AM 580 KZMZ AM 979 KSTL FM 96.9 KZMZ FM 93.1 KQJD	Shreveport AM 1130 KWHL FM 94.5 KWHL
Baton Rouge AM 1150 WFBZ FM 102.9 KZMZ FM 102.9 KZMZ	New Orleans AM 670 WWL FM 101.9 WJMG
Crowley FM 102.9 KZMZ	Ruston AM 1090 KRIS FM 107.5 KKKZ
Lafayette FM 99.9 KTDY	Northeast AM 540 KNDE FM 101.9 KNDE
Lake Charles AM 1470 KLCL FM 99.5 KHLA	

★ State Police Troop Headquarters

LOUISIANA STATE POLICE
www.lsp.org

To Report Roadway Emergencies,
Dial *LSP (*577) on your cell phone. For incidents involving hazardous material, call the HazMat Hotline at 1-877-925-6595.

Crossroads Sportsman's Paradise

STATE WELCOME CENTERS

Riverfront Welcome Center
112 Front St.
Vidalia, LA 71373
(318) 336-7008
8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. daily

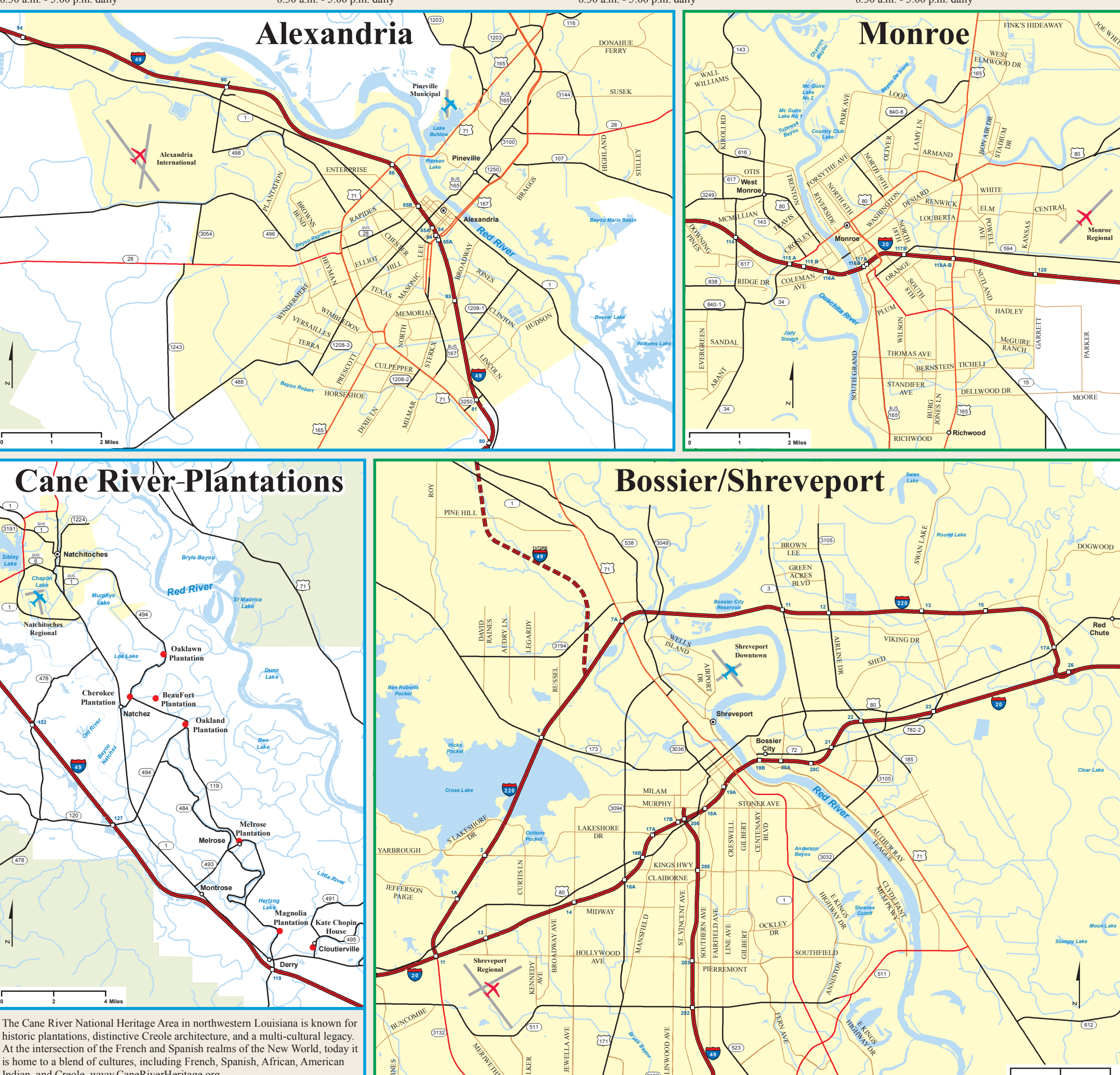
I-49 Welcome Center
7050 Hwy. 1 North
Bovay, LA 71409
(318) 767-6000
8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. daily

I-20 Eastbound Welcome Center
P.O. Box 207
Greenwood, LA 71033-0207
(318) 938-5613
8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. daily

I-20 Westbound Welcome Center
P.O. Box 1312
Tulaha, LA 71284-1312
(318) 574-5674
8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. daily

I-10 Eastbound Welcome Center
6212 I-10 West
Vinton, LA 70668-0278
(337) 589-7774
8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. daily

I-10 Westbound Welcome Center
1908 Atchafalaya River Highway
Beaure Bridge, LA 70017
(337) 228-1094
8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. daily



Alexandria
The Alexandria National Heritage Area encompasses one of the most culturally rich and ecologically varied regions in the United States. It is home to Cajun culture as well as a diverse population of European, African, Caribbean and American Indian descents and an endless variety of flora and fauna found only in this wilderness. www.Atchafalaya.org

Monroe
Wild and ruggedly beautiful, the Creole Nature Trail All-American Road traverses more than 180 miles in Southwest Louisiana. World-class bird and alligator populations are a natural wonder. Top-notch fishing, hunting, crabbing, boating and nature photography distinguish the Creole Nature Trail as a recreational paradise. www.CreoleNatureTrail.org

Cane River-Plantations
The Cane River National Heritage Area in northwestern Louisiana is known for historic plantations, distinctive Creole architecture, and a multi-cultural legacy. At the intersection of the French and Spanish realms of the New World, today it is home to a blend of cultures, including French, Spanish, African, American Indian, and Creole. www.CaneRiverHeritage.org

Bossier/Shreveport
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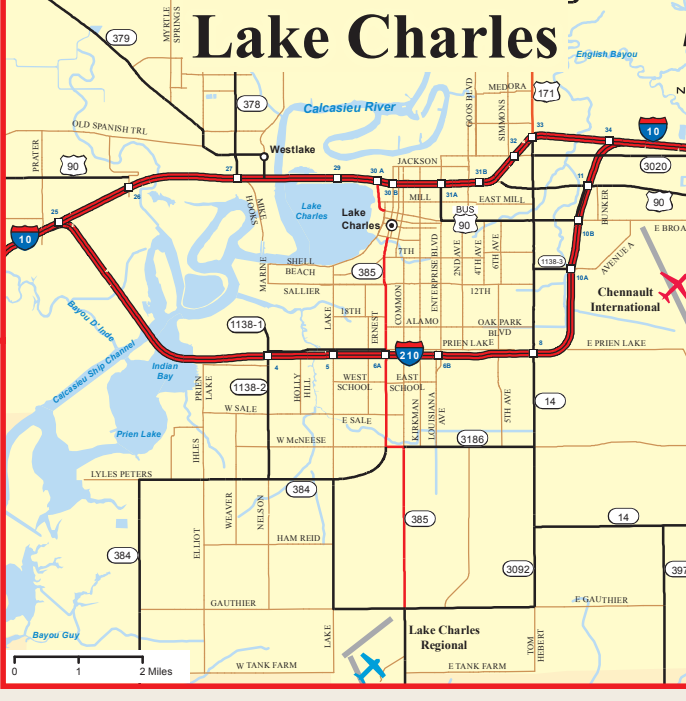
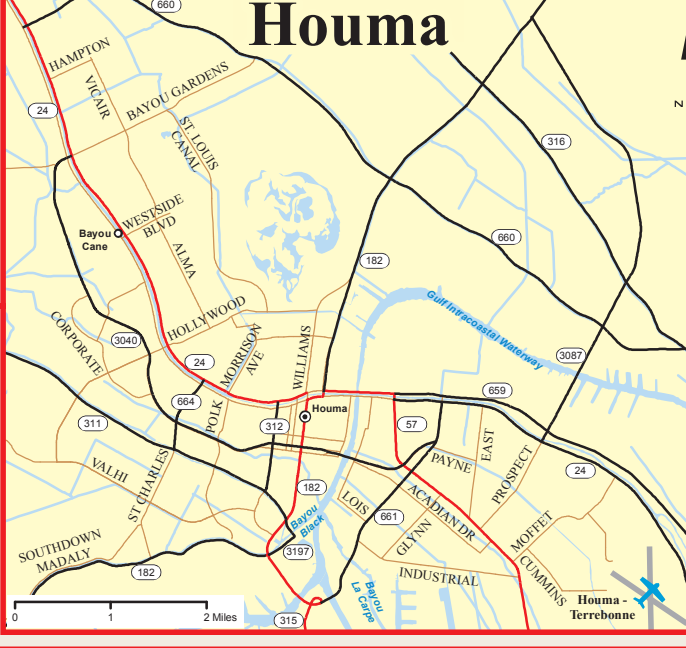
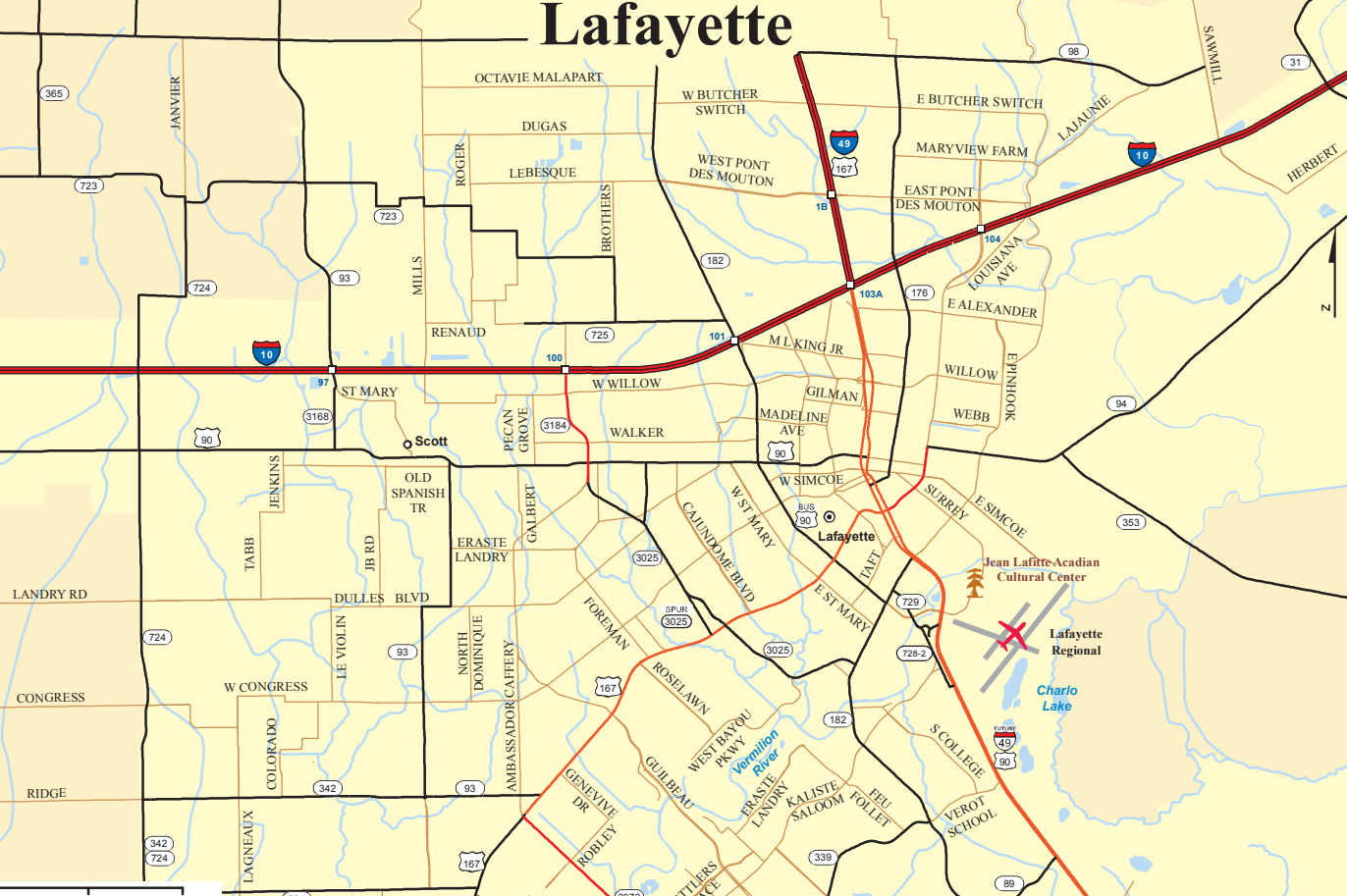
Lafayette
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Cajun Country

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6212 I-10 West
Vinton, LA 70668-0278
(337) 589-7774
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I-10 Westbound Welcome Center
1908 Atchafalaya River Highway
Beaure Bridge, LA 70017
(337) 228-1094
8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. daily

Lake Charles
The Atchafalaya National Heritage Area encompasses one of the most culturally rich and ecologically varied regions in the United States. It is home to Cajun culture as well as a diverse population of European, African, Caribbean and American Indian descents and an endless variety of flora and fauna found only in this wilderness. www.Atchafalaya.org

Houma
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5 Regions - 1 Great State



For your **FREE Louisiana Tour Guide**, please call **1-800-99 GUMBO (1-800-994-8626)**
www.LouisianaTravel.com

All State Welcome Centers are Open 7 Days A Week, Excluding New Year's Day, Easter, Thanksgiving And Christmas.

LOUISIANA
Pick your Passion

LouisianaTravel.com

Visit www.LouisianaTravel.com to plan your next Louisiana getaway. Then stop at one of our 13 Louisiana Welcome Centers once you're here. We'll be happy to help you Pick Your Passion!

Discover Louisiana's scenic back roads. Visit www.byways.org/explore/states/LA/.



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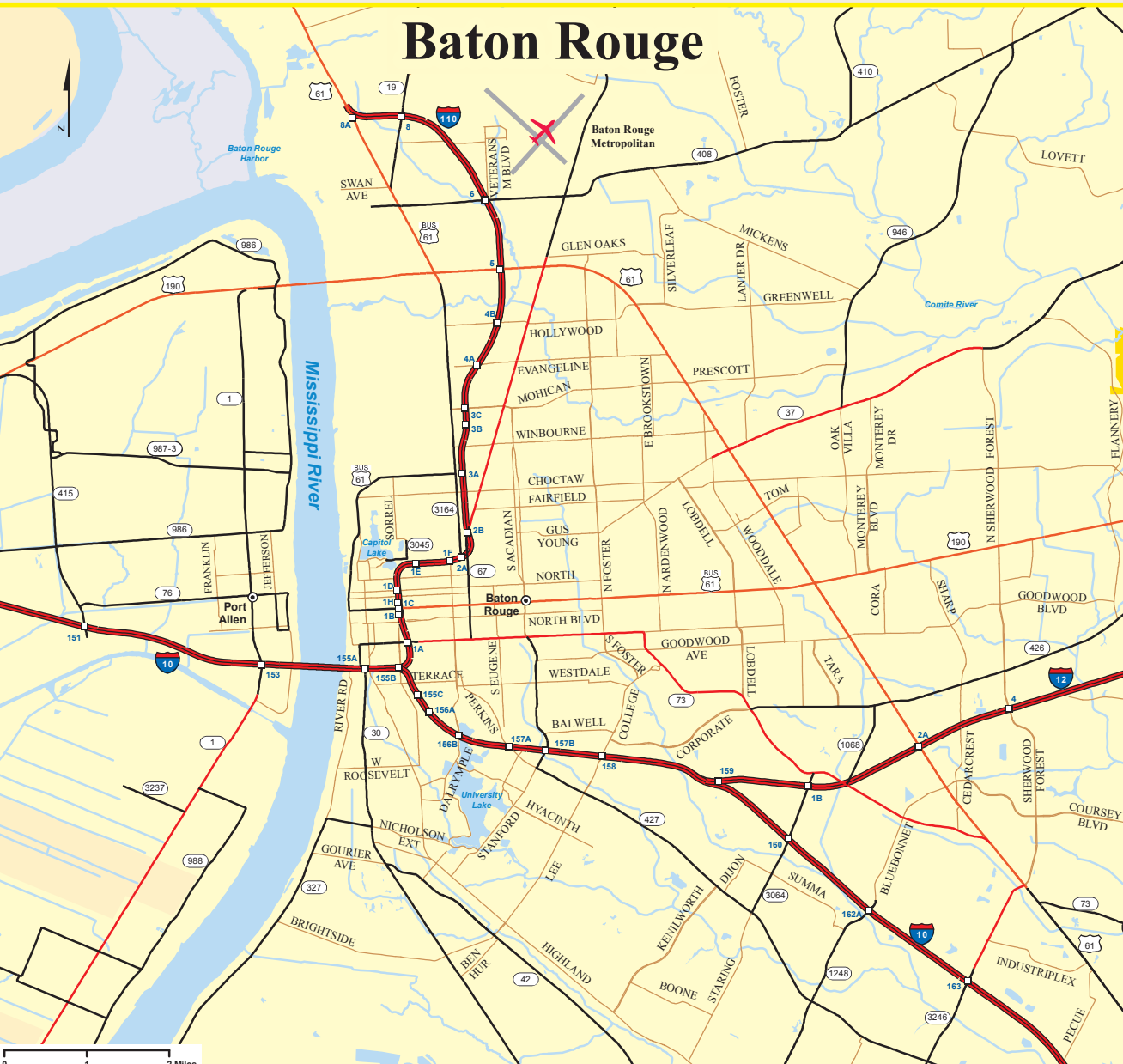
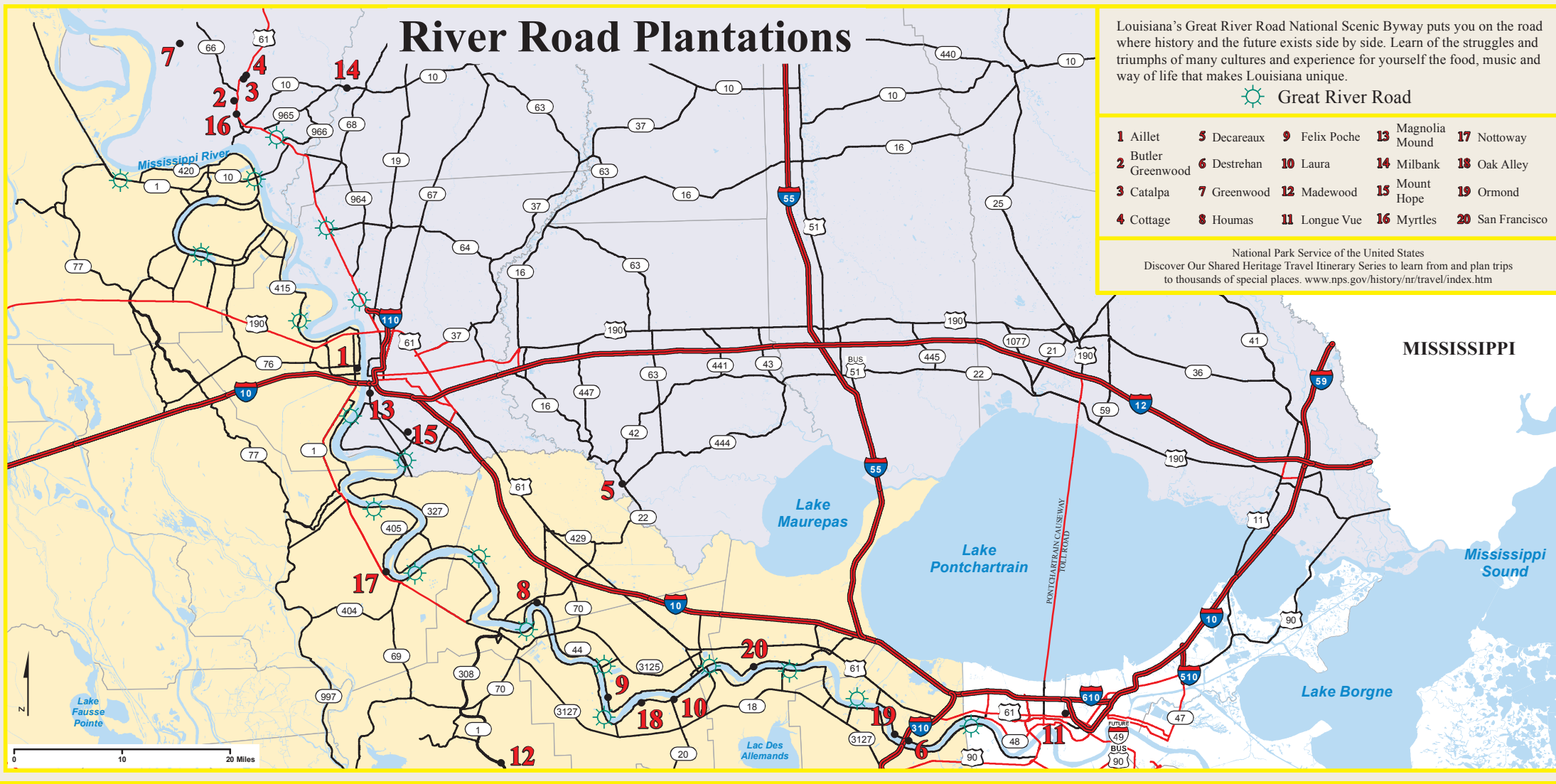
Plantation Country

STATE WELCOME CENTERS

Louisiana State Capitol
900 North Third St.
Baton Rouge, LA 70802
(225) 342-7117
8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. daily

Capital Park Welcome Center
702 North River Rd.
Baton Rouge, LA 70802
(225) 219-1200
8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. daily

U.S. 61 Welcome Center
14860 U.S. Hwy. 61
St. Francisville, LA 70775
(225) 635-4962
8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. daily

Downtown Baton Rouge

Baton Rouge

River Road Plantations

Louisiana's Great River Road National Scenic Byway puts you on the road where history and the future exists side by side. Learn of the struggles and triumph of many cultures and experience for yourself the food, music and way of life that makes Louisiana unique.

Great River Road

1 Allot	5 Deshauss	9 Felix Poche	13 Magnolia	17 Nottway
2 Butler	6 Deshauss	10 Laura	14 Milbank	18 Oak Alley
3 Canale	7 Greenwood	11 Madewood	15 Mount Hope	19 Ormond
4 Cottage	8 Houmas	11 Longue Vue	16 Myrtles	20 St. Francis

National Park Service of the United States
Discover Our Shared Heritage Travel Itinerary Series to learn from and plan trips to thousands of special places. www.nps.gov/forvisitors/travelitineraries.htm

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Greater New Orleans

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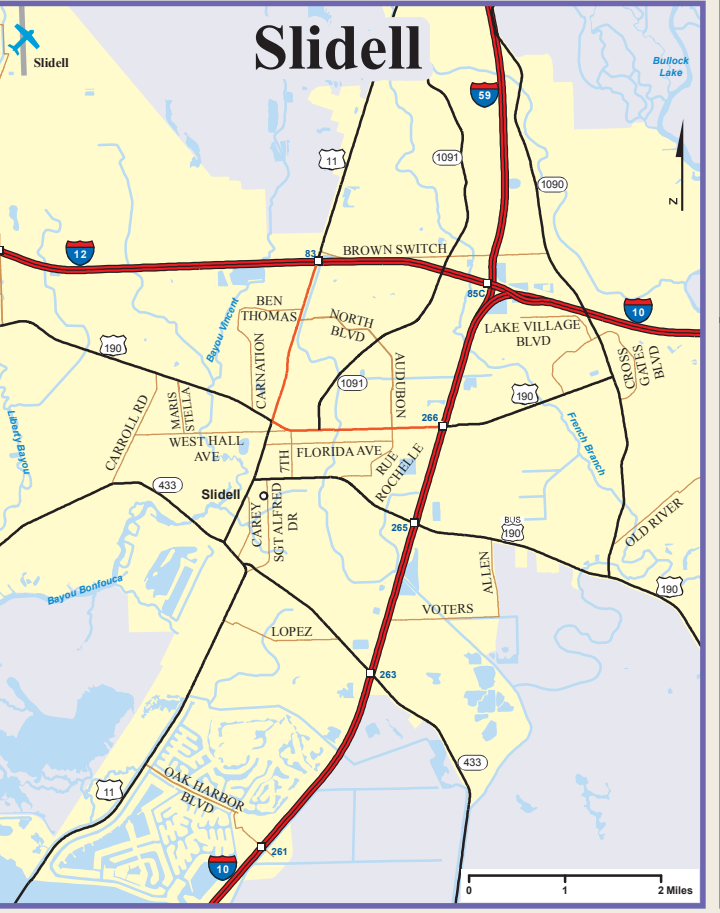


I-55 Southbound Welcome Center
7747 I-55 South
Kenwood, LA 70444
(985) 229-8138
8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. daily

New Orleans Welcome Center
501 Basin St.
New Orleans, LA 70112
(504) 568-5661
9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. daily

French Quarter Welcome Center
529 St. Ann St.
New Orleans, LA 70116
(504) 568-5661
9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. daily

I-59 Southbound Welcome Center
6141 I-59 South
Pearl River, LA 70452-1539
(985) 646-6450
8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. daily

I-10 Westbound Welcome Center
41300 Crawford Landing Rd.
Slidell, LA 70461
(985) 646-6451
8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. daily

Downtown New Orleans

Slidell

Mandeville/Covington

New Orleans



LOUISIANA
Pick your Passion

Official Highway Map

Let these Louisiana signs lead you on a safe and memorable journey.

NO TEXTING while driving!

OPERATION LIFESAVER Louisiana
Use caution at all railroad crossings.

BUCKLE UP Louisiana. IT'S THE LAW
NO EXCUSES! Everyone...Every Time!
Wearing a seat belt is the law.

Help keep Louisiana beautiful. Please don't litter!

DESTINATION ZERO DEATHS
Driving toward ZERO deaths on Louisiana highways.

Louisiana laws to remember...

- No one shall operate any motor vehicle upon any public road or highway of this state while using a wireless telecommunications device to write, send, or read a text-based communication.
- Move your vehicle from the travel lanes to the nearest safe shoulder after a crash if the vehicle is drivable and there are no serious injuries.
- The driver and all passengers of a moving vehicle must wear seatbelts or use proper safety restraints.
- All riders of a motorcycle must wear a helmet.
- Drive with your headlights on in the rain.
- Use caution at all railroad crossings.
- Fines are doubled for speeding in work zones.
- Open alcoholic beverages in an operating vehicle are illegal.