

A LITTLE ABOUT ROUTE 66

Historic Route 66, created in 1926, is a 2,448 mile journey through the heart of America. Contrasted with the other highways of its day, Route 66 did not follow a traditionally linear course. Its diagonal path linked hundreds of rural communities across eight states and became the principal east-west artery. Like the country that the road traversed, history was made and imprints were left by the Roaring Twenties, the Great Depression, the war years, and the road trips of the fifties and sixties.

Route 66 is forever immortalized in America's consciousness. In *The Grapes of Wrath*, John Steinbeck's epic odyssey of the Great Depression, Steinbeck proclaimed U.S. Highway 66 the "Mother Road." Then Route 66 experienced the single greatest wartime manpower mobilization in the history of the nation, followed by a new generation of postwar motorists packing up the family for summer vacations. It was during this period that the television series, *Route 66*, starring Martin Milner and George Maharis drove into the living rooms of America every Friday and brought the Route to life.

THE ASSOCIATION

Route 66 may have been created simply as the first cross-continental highway, but today it remains a lasting part of American history thanks to the passion of its people who wouldn't allow the bypassing of the highway to bypass the heart and soul of America. Formed in 1987, the Historic Route 66 Association of Arizona has been a tireless champion of the Route. Led by Angel Delgadillo, a barber who grew up on Route 66 and understood the worldwide importance of this two-lane asphalt highway, Route 66 is back on the map.

Working tirelessly, this non-profit, all-volunteer Association has never lost sight of its mission to preserve, protect, and promote the Route. Over the years, the Association's efforts have resulted in Arizona's segment of Route 66 being designated as an Arizona Historic Road, a National Scenic Byway, and attaining All-American Road Status, the highest National designation possible. In addition, the Association continues to assist all of Arizona's Route 66 communities with preservation and marketing projects.

For more Route 66 info contact the Association at 928-753-5001, visit their website historic66az.com, or when you're in Kingman, stop into the Association's gift shop in the historic Powerhouse right on Route 66.

WELCOME TO HISTORIC ROUTE 66 IN ARIZONA!



Willkommen zur Historischen Route 66 in Arizona! Diese hilfreiche Karte zeigt Ihnen alle Attraktionen der Arizona Route 66. Weitere Informationen auf Deutsch finden Sie unter historic66az.com.



Bienvenue sur la Route Historique 66-Arizona! Cette carte vous guidera vers les trésors de la Route 66 en Arizona. Pour plus d'informations en français, veuillez consulter historic66az.com.



Benvenuti sulla storica Route 66 - Arizona! Questa mappa vi guiderà lungo le meraviglie della Route 66 in Arizona. Per ulteriori informazioni in italiano, visitare historic66az.com



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WELCOME TO ARIZONA'S HISTORIC ROUTE 66



**1 TOPOCK/GOLDEN SHORES
EXIT 1**

- Beginning/End of the longest remaining continuous stretch of Route 66 to Crookton Rd. (158 miles)
- Old Trails Arch Bridge
- Havasu National Wildlife Refuge
- Colorado River Recreational Area

**2 OATMAN
MILEPOST 25**

- Old West gold mining town in the Black Mountains where burros own the streets
- Daily gunfights



**3 COOL SPRINGS
MILEPOST 33**

- Restored 1926 Mobil gas station
- Roadside attraction/museum
- Site of the movie, *Universal Soldier*

**4 KINGMAN
EXITS 48-53**

- Heart of longest remaining stretch of Route 66
- Powerhouse Visitor Center & Route 66 Museum, Bonelli House & Mohave Museum
- Historic Downtown Walking Tour
- Drive Thru Shield
- Water Tanks

**5 ANTARES
MILEPOST 75**

- Giganticus Headicus

**6 HACKBERRY
MILEPOST 80**

- Hackberry General Store
- Hackberry School

**7 VALENTINE
MILEPOST 85-87**

- Valentine Indian School
- Keepers of the Wild Animal Sanctuary

**8 TRUXTON
MILEPOST 94**

- Historic Frontier Motel & Cafe

**9 PEACH SPRINGS
MILEPOST 103**

- Hualapai Indian Reservation/Cultural Center
- Hualapai Lodge and Restaurant
- Gateway to Grand Canyon West/Skywalk
- Osterman Service Station

**10 GRAND CANYON CAVERNS
MILEPOST 115**

- Natural Limestone Caverns
- Spend the night 210' below ground
- Motel, RV Park & Restaurant

**11 SELIGMAN
EXITS 121-123
MILEPOST 140-141**

- Birthplace of Historic Route 66
- Iconic Snow Cap Drive-In
- Historic Angel's Barber Shop Museum & Visitor Center

**12 CROOKTON RD.
EXIT 139**

- Beginning/End of the longest remaining continuous stretch of Route 66 to CA border (158 miles)
- Historic train bridge

**13 ASH FORK
EXITS 144-146**

- Flagstone Capital of the U.S.
- Ash Fork Museum & Visitor Center

**14 WILLIAMS
EXIT 165**

- Gateway to the Grand Canyon®
- Cruise the Loop®
- Grand Canyon Railway
- Canyon Coater Adventure Park
- Bearizona

**15 PARKS
EXIT 178**

- General Store
- Post Office

**16 FLAGSTAFF
EXITS 191-198**

- Train Station Visitor Center & Historic Downtown
- Lowell Observatory
- Museum of Northern Arizona & Pioneer Museum
- Northern Arizona University
- Snowbowl & Nordic Adventure Ctr.
- Riordan Museum
- Three National Monuments
- Walk the Talk Audio Tour

**17 TWIN ARROWS
EXIT 219**

- Twin Arrows Trading Post Ruins

**18 TWO GUNS
EXIT 230**

- Two Guns Tourist Attraction ruins

**19 METEOR CRATER
EXIT 233**

- Best preserved meteorite impact site
- Meteor Crater Discovery Center

**20 WINSLOW
MILEPOST 252-257**

- Historic Hubbell Trading Post & Visitor Center
- La Posada Hotel (Harvey House)
- Old Trails Historical Museum
- "Standin' on the Corner" Park
- 911 Remembrance Garden

**21 JOSEPH CITY
EXIT 277**

- Jack Rabbit Trading Post (I-40 exit 269)

**22 HOLBROOK
EXIT 289**

- Navajo County Historic Courthouse & Museum
- Wigwam Motel
- Gateway to the Petrified Forest & Painted Desert

**23 PETRIFIED FOREST/
PAINTED DESERT
EXIT 311**

- Museum with fossils & artifacts
- Painted Desert
- Route 66 Interpretive Shop
- Painted Desert Trading Post

**24 CHAMBERS
EXIT 333**

- Navajo Travel Center

**25 LUPTON
EXIT 359**

- Red Rock Cliffs



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Arizona's Historic Route 66