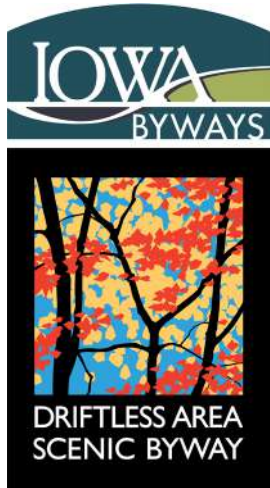


# Driftless Area Scenic Byway



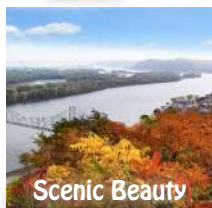
Art & Culture



History



Recreation



Scenic Beauty

**Travel Time: 3 hrs**

## What is a Scenic Byway?

A scenic byway is a road, but not just a road. It is a road with a story to tell. A scenic byway might feature magnificent views, amazing wildlife, historical sites, an array of outdoor activities or reveal captivating cultures. Byway travelers are treated to an uncommonly existing, educational and entertaining trek that will surely make a memorable experience.

## The Driftless Area Scenic Byway...

Is a 100 mile route that introduces travelers to the welcoming people found within the communities of Postville, Harpers Ferry, Waukon, Chruchtown, Lansing and New Albin.

Was designated in 2001 and exhibited the highest scenic rating of any state byway in Iowa.

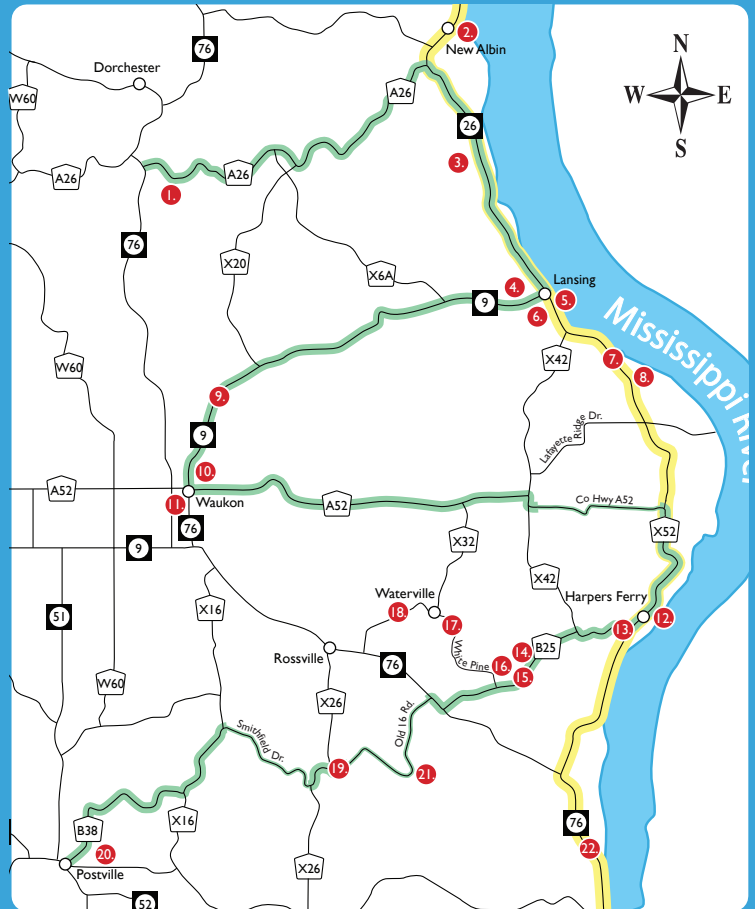
Awards travelers with views of breathtaking vistas, rolling hills, deep valleys and dense forests that showcase some of the best fall foliage found anywhere west of the Mississippi.

Is an ideal loop for visitors traveling the Great River Road as the byway connects along two segments; once in Harpers Ferry and again in Lansing.

Passes public lands and parks that offer seasonal opportunities for hiking, canoeing, camping, fishing, birding and cycling.

For additional information about all 11 of Iowa's Byways, please visit [www.iowabyways.org](http://www.iowabyways.org).

# Map of the Byway



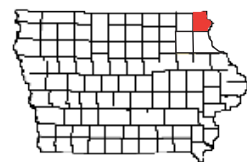
**● = Points of Interest**

1. Upper Iowa Canoe Access
2. Iron Post
3. Fish Farm Mounds
4. Mount Hosmer
5. River History Museum
6. Clear Creek Park
7. Columbus Property
8. Power Plant Fishing Access
9. County Home Park
10. Allamakee Historical Museum

11. Waukon City Park
12. Harpers Ferry Boat Landing
13. Bluff View Park
14. Larkin's Overlook
15. Yellow River State Forest
16. Paint Creek Overlook
17. Kolsrud Halverson Park
18. Waterville Park
19. Volney Canoe Access
20. Hall Robert's Swimming Pool
21. Bridge 16 Canoe Access
22. Effigy Mounds National MON

### Legend

- Driftless Area Byway
- Great River Road
- Paved Road
- Points of Interest



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