FLORIDA KEYS ROAD TRIP

The Mile Marker Cheat Sheet

18 stops worth pulling over for, from Key Largo to Key West

Mile markers count down as you drive south. Tick the circle when you stop.

MM 102.5	**John Pennekamp Coral Reef State Park** · Key Largo *The first underwater state park in the U.S. Snorkel or take the glass-bottom boat.*
MM 99.7	**The African Queen** · Key Largo *The actual boat from the 1951 movie, docked behind the Holiday Inn.*
MM 99.4	**Mrs. Mac's Kitchen** · Key Largo *License plates on the walls, Key lime pie on the table.*
MM 82.9	**History of Diving Museum** · Islamorada *Odd, old and better than it sounds. Rainy-day winner.*
MM 81.9	**Lorelei Restaurant & Cabana Bar** · Islamorada *Sunset with your toes in the sand.*
MM 81.5	**Hurricane Monument** · Islamorada *Marks the 1935 Labor Day hurricane. Two quiet minutes worth taking.*
MM 77.5	**Robbie's of Islamorada** · Lower Matecumbe *Feed the giant tarpon off the dock. Hold on to the fish.*
MM 73.5	**Anne's Beach** · Lower Matecumbe *Shallow water, boardwalk, almost no crowds on weekdays.*
MM 59	**Dolphin Research Center** · Grassy Key *Dolphins, sea lions and a mission behind it.*
MM 50	**Sombrero Beach** · Marathon *The best free beach in the Middle Keys.*
MM 48.5	**The Turtle Hospital** · Marathon *Meet the patients. You will leave wanting to adopt one.*
MM 47–40	**Seven Mile Bridge** · Marathon to Little Duck Key *Windows down. The old bridge runs beside you to Pigeon Key.*
MM 37	**Bahia Honda State Park** · Bahia Honda Key *The postcard beach, with the broken old rail bridge in the background.*
MM 30.5	**Blue Hole** · Big Pine Key *Old quarry, gators, and Key deer if you're lucky. Drive slow.*
MM 30	**No Name Pub** · Big Pine Key *Dollar bills on every inch of the walls. Worth the detour.*
MM 15	**Baby's Coffee** · Saddlebunch Keys *"The southernmost coffee roaster in the USA." Fuel for the last stretch.*
MM 0	**Mile Marker 0 sign** · Key West *Where US-1 starts. Get the photo.*
MM 0	**Mallory Square** · Key West *The sunset celebration every night. Get there early.*

Every stop above has a story. You'll get one each week in the Florida Keys Road Trip newsletter. Keep your windows down and your watch off.

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