

# DOWNTOWN KODIAK

1. Visitor Information Center at 100 Marine Way: Kodiak Island Convention & Visitors Bureau, Kodiak Chamber of Commerce, Ferry Terminal. (Pictured, right)

2. Baranov Museum. Located in the oldest Russian built wooden structure on the west coast of the U.S. Offers an overview of Alutiq, Russian and early American history. Gift shop.

3. Holy Resurrection Russian Orthodox Church. Oldest Orthodox parish in Alaska. Only open during regular services. The public is invited to attend.

4. St. Herman's Chapel

5. Alutiq Museum & Archaeological Repository. Artifacts, artwork and displays explaining the culture and history of Kodiak's indigenous people. Museum store.

6. Alaska Department of Fish & Game. Public information, licenses, hunting and fishing information.

7. Fred Zharoff Memorial Bridge, built in 1986. See description of Near Island points of interest on next page.

8. Army National Cemetery. Dates back to 1868 and U.S. Army presence at Fort Kodiak.

9. Russian Cemetery. Dates back to Russian colonization.

10. U.S. Post Office.

11. A. Holmes Johnson Memorial Library. Alaskan Room features volumes on Kodiak and Alaskan history.

12. Selief plaque. Marks the spot where 86' fishing vessel Selief came to rest after the 1964 tsunami washed out St. Paul Harbor.

13. Tsunami high water marker. Plaque on the corner of the Kodiak Police Station marks the high water point during the 1964 tsunami.

14. Old Russian Well. Source of Kodiak's domestic water supply prior to the installation of a modern water system in the 1940s.

15. Stairway leads down from Rezanof Drive to Shelikof Street.

16. St. Paul Boat Harbor & Shelikof Waterfront. Watch Kodiak's busy fishing fleet come and go, see all manner of fishing vessels along this working waterfront. Interpretive signs provided by the Kodiak Maritime Museum.

17. Harbormaster's Building. Fishermen's Memorial dedicated to fishermen lost at sea.

18. St. Paul Plaza or "The Mall" shops, restaurants and services.

19. "Welcome to Kodiak" chainsaw carving.

20. Plaque on theatre notes one acre lake that was filled with ash from the 1912 eruption of Mount Novarupta on the Alaska Peninsula.

21. Pier 1, Ferry Dock. Provides docking for the Alaska Marine Highway's M/V Tustumena and other larger vessels. Sea lions and eagles often seen around the channel.

22. Star of Kodiak. WWII Liberty Ship brought to Kodiak after 1964 tsunami to use as a cannery, nearly destroyed by fire in 1997.

23. Kodiak National Wildlife Refuge Visitor Center.

24. St. Paul Harbor Spit. Boat launch, and moorage. Photographic viewpoint. Gazebo, Public Restrooms, H2O and RV Dump Station near entrance.

## Near Island

The Fred Zharoff Memorial Bridge to Near Island opened in 1986. Prior to the bridge, a ferry carried fishermen to their boats moored in the much smaller St. Herman's Harbor. The bridge made the harbor more convenient and expansion began. After crossing the bridge you have two choices:

## Trident Way

North End Park: Easy hiking trails. Picturesque views of other nearby islands.

Fishery Industrial Technology Center: A research and development support center for the seafood industry.

Kodiak Fisheries Research Center: Houses a variety of fisheries research and regulatory agencies. Aquarium and touch tank are available in the Center's lobby. (Open M-F, Closed 1-2 p.m.)

Rotary Park: Easy trails and picnicking.

Trident Basin Floatplane Facility: Catch your flight for bear viewing, flightseeing or a backcountry destination.

## Dog Bay Road

St. Herman Boat Harbor called "Dog Bay" by locals, offers moorage for commercial, charter, and recreational vessels. Excellent view of Chiniak Bay. Sea lions are often seen from the end of the "N" float in Dog Bay.

