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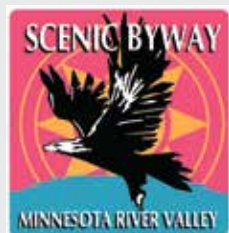
This map is the central portion of the Minnesota River Valley National Scenic Byway. Here you'll view remnants of two consequential Minnesota stories: the geological formation of the river valley and the U.S.-Dakota War of 1862.

Go to our website to get more information on these stories and view the full 300-mile Minnesota River Valley National Scenic Byway.

- KEY**
- Minnesota River Valley Scenic Byway Paved Surface
 - Minnesota River Valley Scenic Byway Gravel Surface
 - Alternate Route Paved Surface
 - Alternate Route Gravel Surface
 - Discovery Site
 - ▲ Historic Dakota Village, mid-1800's (no longer exists/not public)
 - 71 U.S. Highway
 - 67 State Highway
 - 7 County Road



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Minnesota River Valley NATIONAL SCENIC BYWAY

www.mnrivervalley.com



1 Granite Falls Footbridge

320-321-3202 | 761 Prentice Street, Granite Falls
www.granitefallschamber.com



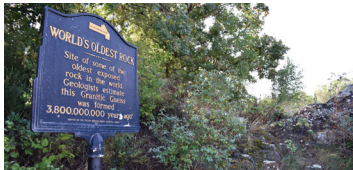
2 Andrew J. Volstead House Museum

320-564-3011 | 163 9th Avenue, Granite Falls
www.volsteadhouse.org



3 Yellow Medicine County Museum

320-564-4479 | 98 MN Hwy 67, Granite Falls
www.facebook.com/YMCHS/



4 Fagen Fighters World War II Museum

320-564-6644 | 2450 540th Street, Granite Falls
www.fagenfighterswwiimuseum.org



5 Minnesota Machinery Museum

507-768-3522
100 N 1st Street, Hanley Falls



6 Sacred Heart Area Museum

320-765-8868 | 300 5th Avenue, Sacred Heart
www.sacredheartareamuseum.org



7 Renville County Parks: Skalbekken

320-523-3747 | www.renvillecountymn.com
79257 County Road 10, Sacred Heart



8 Wood Lake Monument & Battlefield

6029 210th Avenue, Echo (Monument address)
2136 600th Street, Echo (Wood Lake Battlefield)



9 Joseph R. Brown State Wayside Rest

320-564-4777 | dnr.state.mn.us
76941 145th Street, Sacred Heart



10 Renville County Parks: Vicksburg

320-523-3747 | www.renvillecountymn.com
73715 County Road 6, Renville



11 Schwandt Memorial

County Road 15, Renville



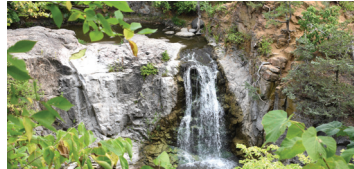
12 Redwood County Historical Museum

507-641-3329 | 913 W Bridge Street, Redwood Falls
www.redwoodcountyhistoricalsociety.com



13 Ramsey Park, Cañşayapi

507-616-7444 | 99 E Oak Street, Redwood Falls
www.redwoodareacommunitycenter.com



14 Renville County Parks: Beaver Falls

320-523-3747 | 31521 County Road 2, Morton
www.renvillecountymn.com



15 Birch Coulee Battlefield State Historic Site

800-657-3773 | County Hwy 2, Morton
www.mnhs.org/birchcoulee



16 Renville County Historical Museum

507-697-6147 | 441 N Park Drive, Morton
www.renvillecountyhistory.com



17 Morton Monuments

35003 650th Avenue, Morton



18 Lower Sioux Agency Historic Site

507-697-8674 | 32469 County Hwy 2, Morton
www.mnhs.org/lowersioux



19 Gilfillan Estate

507-430-2686 | 28263 State Hwy 67, Redwood Falls
www.redwoodcountyhistoricalsociety.com



20 Fort Ridgely State Park & State Historic Site

507-426-7840 | 507-628-5591
72158 County Road 30, Fairfax
www.mnhs.org/fortridgely



21 Sleepy Eye Depot Museum

100 Oak Street NW, Sleepy Eye | 507-794-5053
www.sleepyeyechamber.com



22 Harkin Store

66250 County Road 21, New Ulm
www.mnhs.org/harkinstore



23 Milford Monument

20870 County Rd 29, New Ulm



24 Hermann Monument

888-463-9856 | 14 Monument St, New Ulm
www.hermannmonument.com



25 Wanda Gág House Interpretive Center & Museum

507-359-2632 | www.wandagaghouse.org
226 N Washington Street, New Ulm



26 Glockenspiel

888-463-9856 | 327 N Minnesota Street, New Ulm
www.newulm.com



27 Kiesling House

507-233-2616 | 220 N Minnesota, New Ulm
browncountyhistorymn.org/kiesling-house/



28 Riverside Environmental Learning Center

507-766-5770 | www.newulm.com
101 S Front Street, New Ulm



29 Brown County History Museum

507-233-2616 | 2 North Broadway, New Ulm
www.browncountyhistorymn.org



30 John Lind House

507-354-8802 | www.lindhouse.org
622 Center Street, New Ulm



31 Minnesota Music Hall of Fame

507-354-7305 | 27 St. Broadway N, New Ulm
www.mnmusicHalloffame.org



32 August Schell Brewery Museum

507-354-5528 | 1860 Schell Road, New Ulm
www.schellsbrewery.com



33 Flandrau State Park

507-233-1260 | 1300 Summit Avenue, New Ulm
www.dnr.state.mn.us/state_parks/



Dakota Language

One of the first and oldest languages in this region (or State) is known as Dakota lapi. Place names are included on this map to honor the Dakota community and the names used and borrowed to understand the Minnesota we know today.

The Dakota have ancient and sacred relations with the Minnesota River Valley and adjacent landscape. Stories identify Mni Sota (Minnesota) as homeland, a place of creation to which Dakota have always been connected.

Historic Dakota Village Sites

Historic Dakota Villages The Mni Sota River Valley is Dakota homeland. This map illustrates some mid-1800s village locations, but Dakota people and their ancestors have lived throughout the river valley and beyond for millenia. These historic sites acknowledge this strong cultural context and remind all Minnesota River Valley visitors and residents of its history. NOTE: These approximate locations are for context only and not open to the public.



A special thanks to the Tribal partners for sharing their cultural property information.

Tribal elder, Vernell Wabasha gathering cultural/ medicinal plants within the Cañşayapi byway corridor.