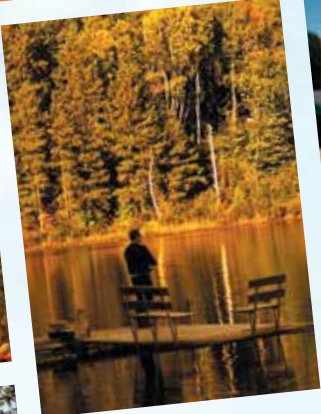




**2015  
AUTUMN  
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BRILLIANT COLORS MAKE GREAT ROAD TRIPS.  
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**MILLIONS OF LEAVES ON EVERY TOUR >>**

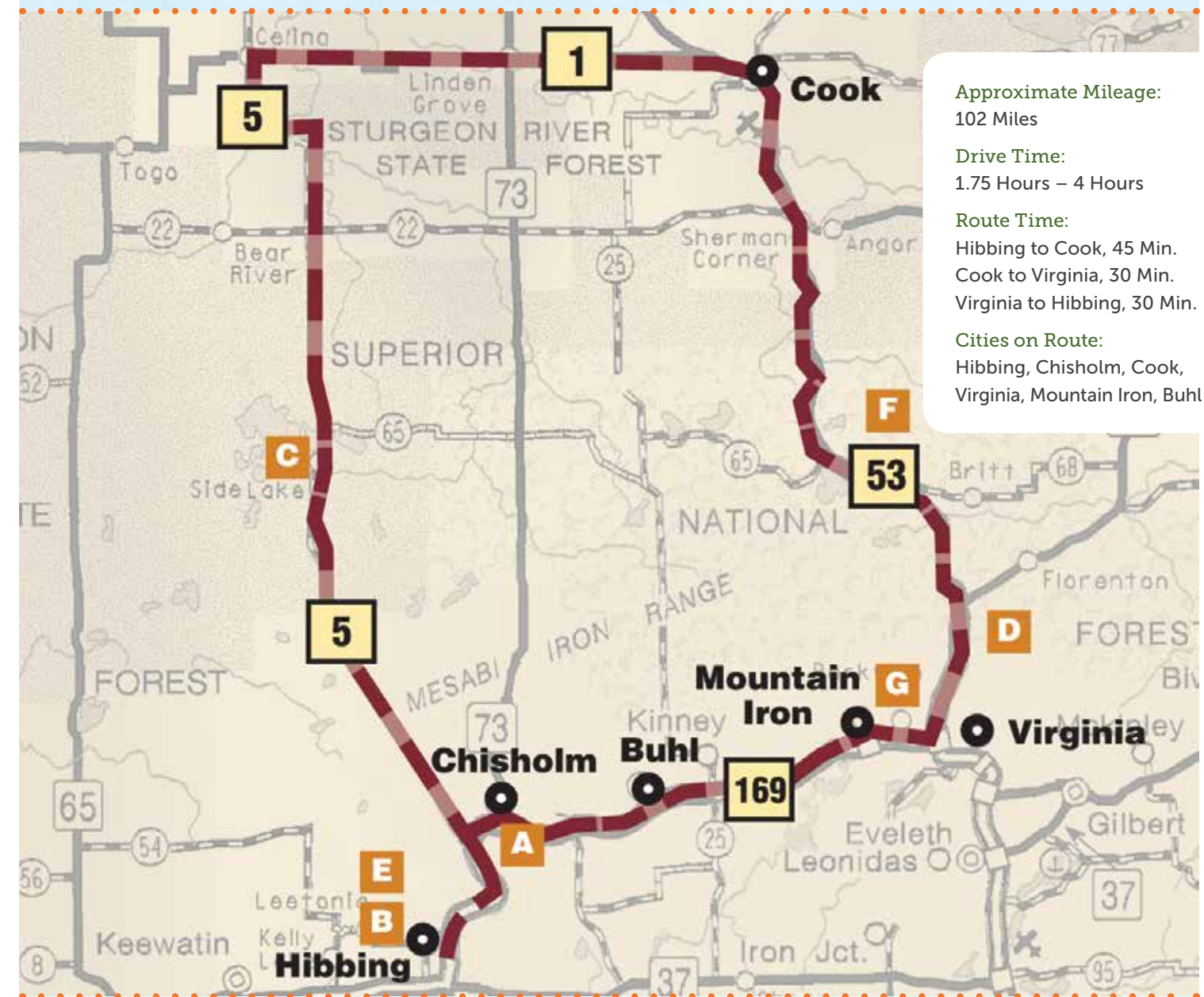
Surrounded by 320,000 acres of the Superior National Forest and many lakes and rivers, The Range is a special place to enjoy nature's kaleidoscope of colors. With backdrops like the Laurentian Divide and the Superior National Forest, you'll enjoy stunning autumn landscapes and breathtaking scenery all at your own pace.

Traveling west in the morning or east in the evening provides the best photo opportunities. Mid-September to mid-October is generally considered fall peak season, but it will vary from year to year.

We've chosen these four special routes to maximize your beautiful fall color intake.

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# Mines & Pines Tour



Approximate Mileage:  
102 Miles

Drive Time:  
1.75 Hours – 4 Hours

Route Time:  
Hibbing to Cook, 45 Min.  
Cook to Virginia, 30 Min.  
Virginia to Hibbing, 30 Min.

Cities on Route:  
Hibbing, Chisholm, Cook,  
Virginia, Mountain Iron, Buhl

**DON'T MISS THESE GREAT ATTRACTIONS ALONG THE WAY!**

- A- Minnesota Discovery Center-Chisholm
- B- Greyhound Bus Museum- Hibbing
- BEST CHANCE AT SEEING WILDLIFE:**
- C- McCarthy Beach State Park-Side Lake
- D- Laurentian Divide-Virginia
- SEE FOR MILES AND MILES:**
- E- Hull Rust Mahoning Mineview-Hibbing

- TAKE A WALK:**
- F- Big Aspen Recreation Area-Virginia
- STEP BACK IN TIME:**
- G- Mt. Iron Park & Mineview-Mt. Iron

# Laurentian Divide Tour



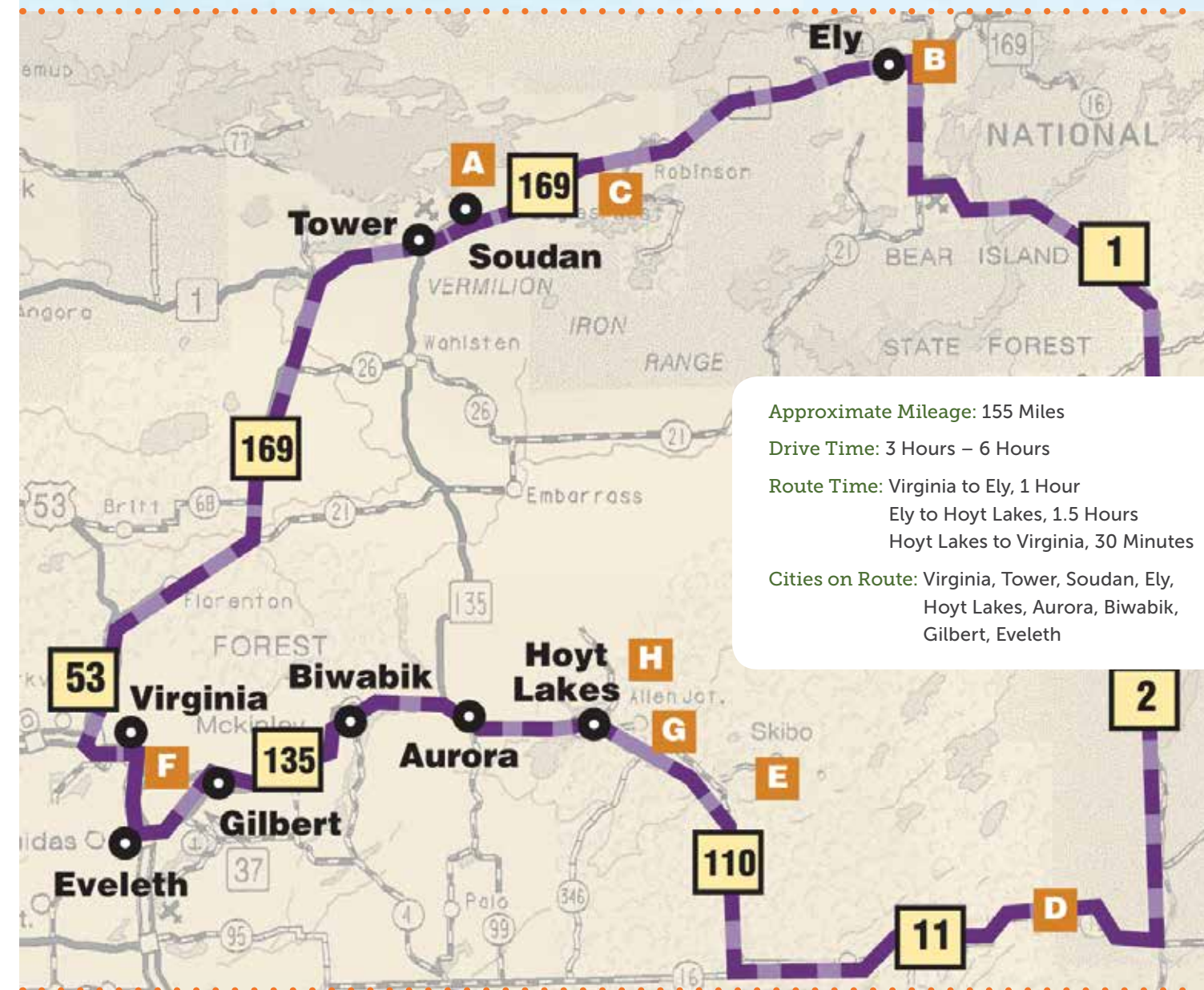
Approximate Mileage: 70 Miles  
 Drive Time: 1.5 Hours – 3.5 Hours  
 Route Time: Virginia to Tower, 35 Minutes,  
 Tower to Aurora, 30 Minutes  
 Aurora to Virginia, 20 Minutes  
 Cities on Route: Virginia, Tower, Aurora,  
 Biwabik, Gilbert, Eveleth

## DON'T MISS THESE GREAT ATTRACTIONS ALONG THE WAY!

- A- Pike River Dam-Tower
- B- Giants Ridge Golf & Ski Area-Biwabik
- BEST CHANCE AT SEEING WILDLIFE:**
- C- Giants Ridge Hiking Trails-Biwabik

- SEE FOR MILES AND MILES:**
- D- Mineview in the Sky-Virginia
- TAKE A WALK:**
- E- Laurentian Divide/Lookout Mountain-Virginia
- STEP BACK IN TIME:**
- F- World's Largest Hockey Stick-Eveleth

# Northern Lights Tour



Approximate Mileage: 155 Miles  
 Drive Time: 3 Hours – 6 Hours  
 Route Time: Virginia to Ely, 1 Hour  
 Ely to Hoyt Lakes, 1.5 Hours  
 Hoyt Lakes to Virginia, 30 Minutes  
 Cities on Route: Virginia, Tower, Soudan, Ely,  
 Hoyt Lakes, Aurora, Biwabik,  
 Gilbert, Eveleth

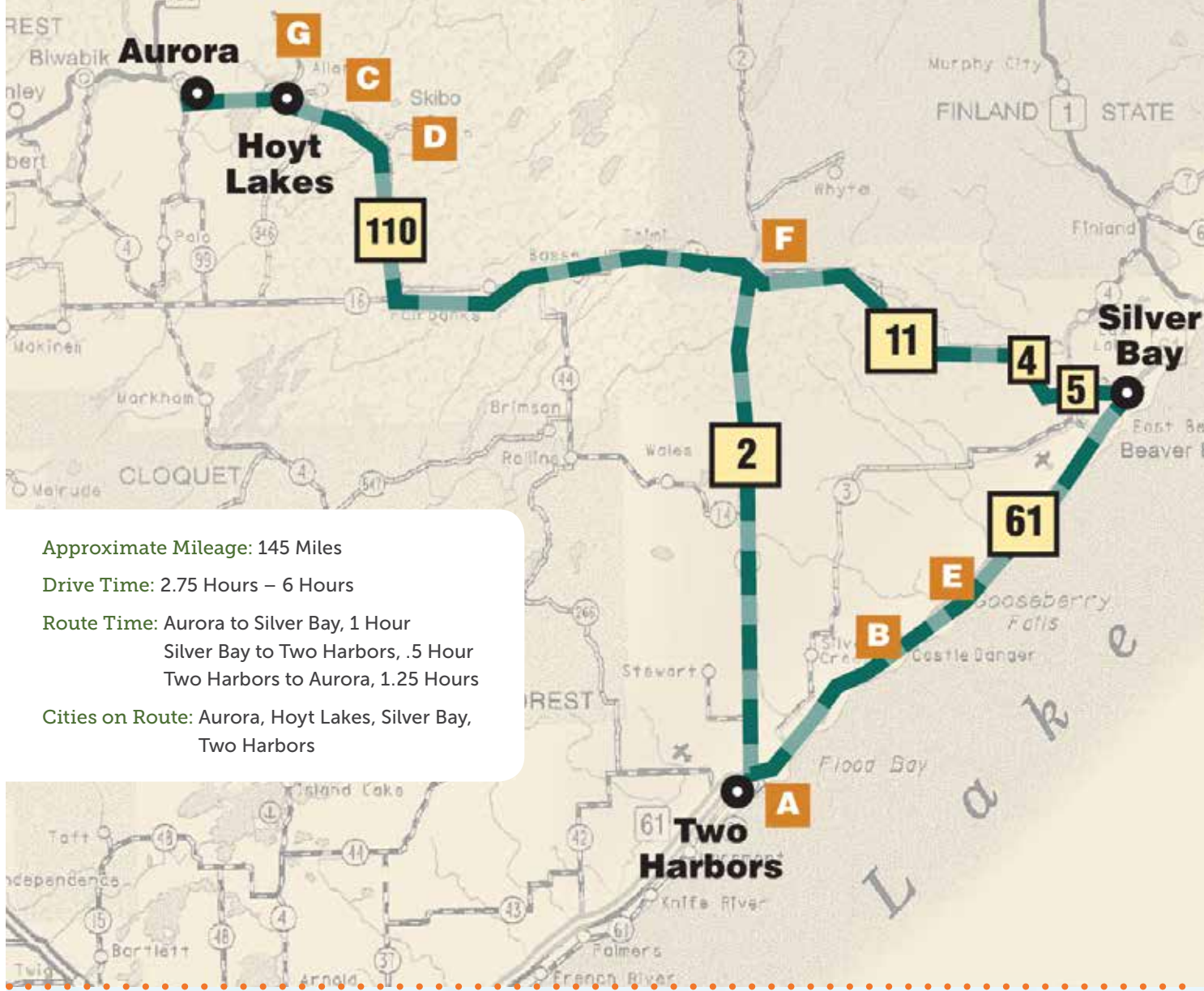
## DON'T MISS THESE GREAT ATTRACTIONS ALONG THE WAY!

- A- Soudan Underground Mine State Park-Soudan
- B- International Wolf Center-Ely
- BEST CHANCE AT SEEING WILDLIFE:**
- C- Bear Head Lake State Park-Soudan
- D- Superior National Forest Scenic Byway

- TAKE A WALK:**
- G- Bird Lake Recreation Area-Hoyt Lakes
- STEP BACK IN TIME:**
- H- Longyear Drill Site-Hoyt Lakes

- SEE FOR MILES AND MILES:**
- E- Skibo Vista-Hoyt Lakes
- F- Mineview in the Sky-Virginia

# Superior National Forest Scenic Byway Tour



Approximate Mileage: 145 Miles  
 Drive Time: 2.75 Hours – 6 Hours  
 Route Time: Aurora to Silver Bay, 1 Hour  
 Silver Bay to Two Harbors, .5 Hour  
 Two Harbors to Aurora, 1.25 Hours  
 Cities on Route: Aurora, Hoyt Lakes, Silver Bay, Two Harbors

## DON'T MISS THESE GREAT ATTRACTIONS ALONG THE WAY!

A- Iron Ore Docks-Two Harbors

B- Split Rock Lighthouse-Two Harbors

BEST CHANCE AT SEEING WILDLIFE:

C- Bird Lake Recreation Area-Hoyt Lakes

SEE FOR MILES AND MILES:

D- Skibo Vista-Hoyt Lakes

TAKE A WALK:

E- Gooseberry Falls State Park-Two Harbors

F- White Pine Interpretive Trail-Toimi

STEP BACK IN TIME:

G- Longyear Drill Site-Hoyt Lakes

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 Biwabik  
 866-409-6650  
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**The Lodge at Giants Ridge®**  
 6373 Wynne Creek Drive,  
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[lodgeatgiantsridge.com](http://lodgeatgiantsridge.com)

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 Biwabik  
 218-865-4155 » 800-843-7434  
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**Alesches' Accommodations** 🐾  
 10477 Pinewood Drive,  
 Meadowlands  
 218-427-2122  
[alesches.com](http://alesches.com)

**Green Gate Guest Houses**  
 5748 County Road 138,  
 Biwabik  
 218-290-2607  
[greengateguesthouse.com](http://greengateguesthouse.com)

## Bed & Breakfasts

**Northern Comfort** 🐾  
 4776 Waisanen Road,  
 Embarrass  
 218-984-2014  
[northerncomfortmn.com](http://northerncomfortmn.com)

**Mitchell Tappan House**  
 2125 4th Avenue East,  
 Hibbing  
 218.262.3862 » 888.662.3862  
[mitchell-tappanhouse.com](http://mitchell-tappanhouse.com)

## Hotels & Motels

**Americas Best Value Inn** 🐾  
 1411 40th Street East,  
 Hibbing  
 218-263-8982  
[americasbestvalueinn.com](http://americasbestvalueinn.com)

**Chisholm Inn & Suites**  
 501 Iron Drive,  
 Chisholm  
 218-254-2000 » 877-255-3156  
[chisholmnn.com](http://chisholmnn.com)

**Hampton Inn**  
 4225 9th Ave W.,  
 Hibbing  
 218-262-0000  
[HamptonInn.com](http://HamptonInn.com)

**Holiday Inn Express & Suites** 🐾  
 8570 Rock Ridge Dr.,  
 Mountain Iron  
 218-741-7411 » 866-987-7411  
[hiexpress.com](http://hiexpress.com)

**Americinn Lodge & Suites** 🐾  
 5480 Mountain Iron Drive,  
 Virginia  
 218-741-7839 » 800-634-3444  
[americinn.com](http://americinn.com)

**Trails Edge Lodging** 🐾  
 200 E Dakota Avenue,  
 Gilbert  
 218-410-0692  
[trailsedgelodging.com](http://trailsedgelodging.com)

**Budget Host** 🐾  
 Hwy 53 & Midway Road,  
 Virginia  
 218-741-6145 » 800-283-4678  
[budgethost.com](http://budgethost.com)

**The Coates Plaza Hotel** 🐾  
 1502 Chestnut Street,  
 Virginia  
 218-749-1000 » 800-777-4699  
[coatesplazahotel.com](http://coatesplazahotel.com)

**Lakeshor Motor Inn** 🐾  
 404 North 6th Avenue,  
 Virginia  
 218-741-3360 » 800-569-8131  
[lakeshor.com](http://lakeshor.com)

**Pine View Inn** 🐾  
 903 North 17th Street,  
 Virginia  
 218-741-8918 » 866-263-0535  
[pineviewinnmotel.com](http://pineviewinnmotel.com)

**Eveleth Super 8** 🐾  
 1080 Industrial Park Blvd.,  
 Eveleth  
 218-744-1661 » 800-800-8000  
[super8.com](http://super8.com)

**Koke's Motel** 🐾  
 714 Fayal Road,  
 Eveleth  
 218-744-4500 » 800-892-5107  
[kokesmotel.com](http://kokesmotel.com)

**Hibbing Park Hotel & Suites** 🐾  
 Hwy 169 & Howard Street,  
 Hibbing  
 218-262-3481 » 800-262-3481  
[hibbingparkhotel.com](http://hibbingparkhotel.com)

**Aurora Pines Motel** 🐾  
 310 West 1st Avenue South,  
 Aurora  
 218-229-3377

**Forest Garden Motel**  
 413 South Main Street,  
 Aurora  
 218-229-3676 » 800-718-2181

**Country Inn of Hoyt Lakes** 🐾  
 99 Kennedy Memorial Dr.,  
 Hoyt Lakes  
 218-225-3555 » 866-444-3555  
[countryinnofhoytlakes.com](http://countryinnofhoytlakes.com)

## Groups

**Northern Lights Lodge**  
 404 Main Street,  
 Biwabik  
 218-780-4541 » 218-749-9278  
[northernlightslodgemn.com](http://northernlightslodgemn.com)

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# **PEDAL YOUR WAY ACROSS THE RANGE.**

## **RENT A BIKE**

If you didn't bring your bike, no problem. Head to The Rental Shop at Giants Ridge® and rent a bike for just yourself or the whole family for just a couple hours or a full day and take an amazing ride along the Mesabi Trail.

## **LODGE TO LODGE BIKING**

We make it easy to get from place to place by breaking the trail into sections. You pick the lodges along the trail as your destination, then we provide the shuttle to your embark point and back to your car if you like. We also offer breakfast and a packed lunch before sending you on your way with great info about great stopping points along the way. Not a bad way to bike.



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