

DISCOVER
The Range

Autumn
TOUR



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.

**FALL
COLOR
UPDATES**

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

Mines & Pines TOUR

Approximate Mileage: 102 Miles

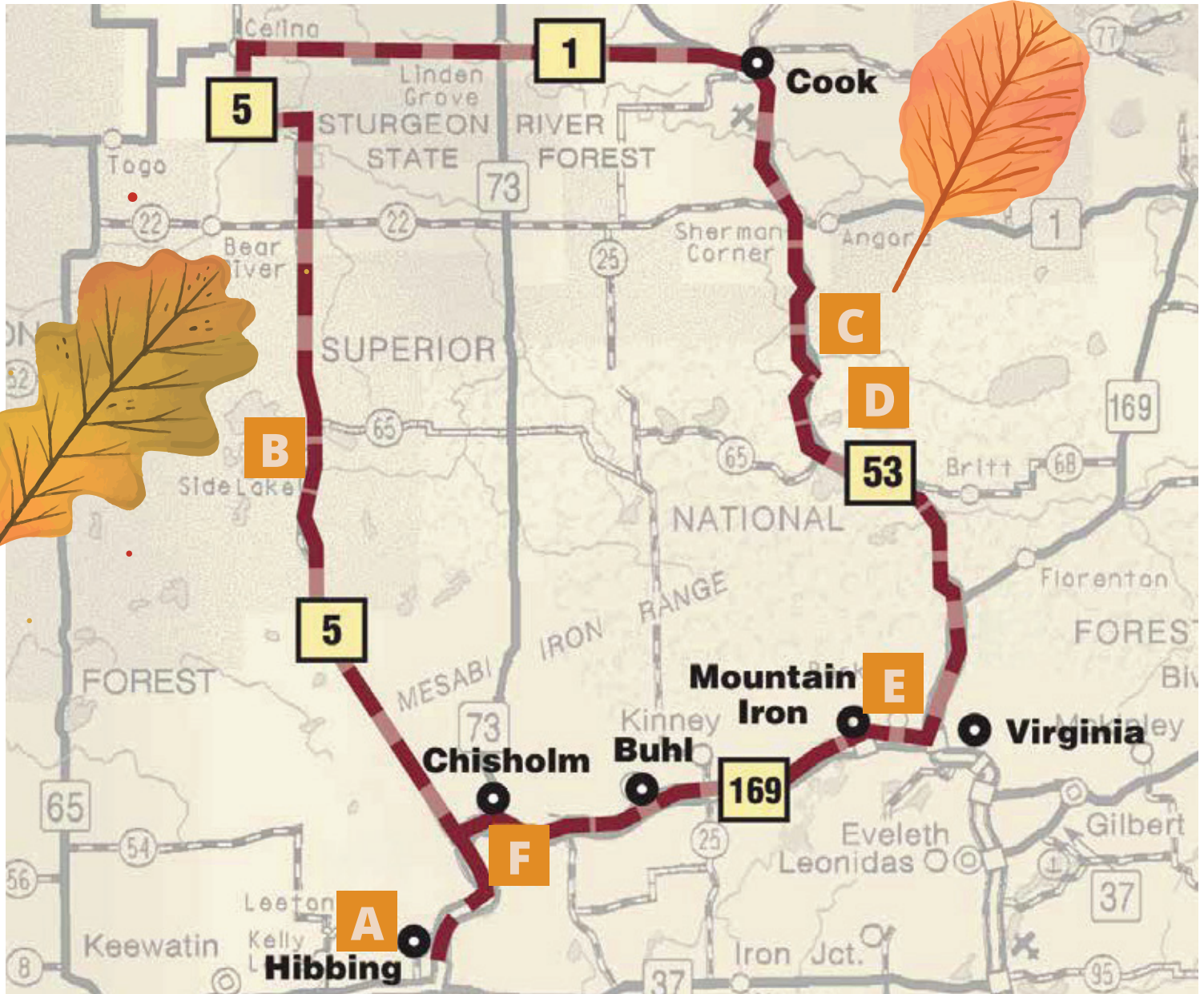
Drive Time: 1.75 Hours – 4 Hours

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



A **Active Mine Site:**
Hull Rust Mine View

B **Best Chance at
Seeing Wildlife:**
McCarthy Beach
State Park

C **Take a Hike:**
Big Aspen
Recreation Area

D **Laurentian Divide**

E **A Step Back
in Time:**
Locomotive Park

F **The Museum
of the Range:**
Minnesota Discovery
Center

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

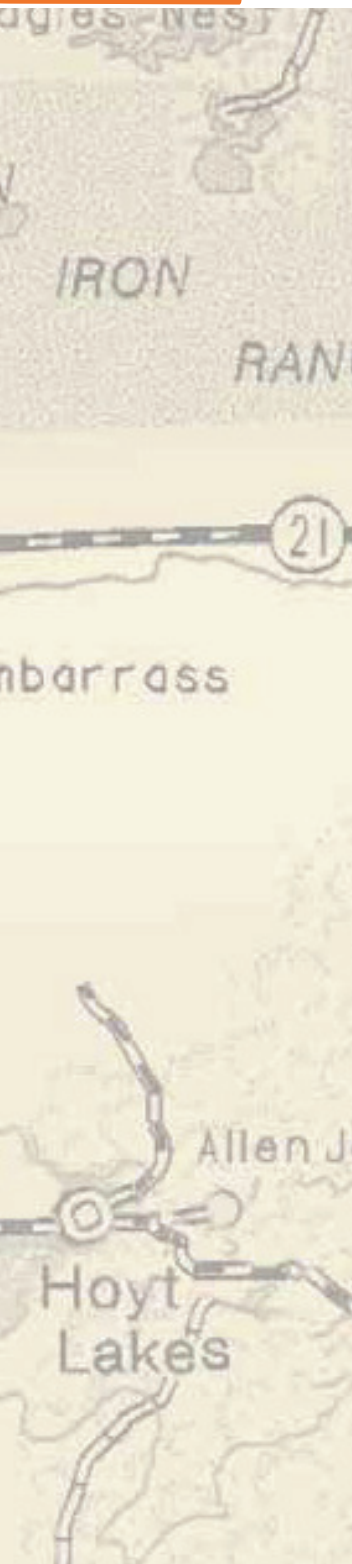
Cities on Route: Virginia, Tower, Aurora,
Biwabik, Gilbert, Eveleth



Don't miss these GREAT ATTRACTIONS along the way!

- A Roadside Stop:**
World's Largest Hockey Stick
- B Take a Walk:**
Follow the Mesabi Trail to the state's tallest bridge
- C Get a Treat:**
At Canelakes Candies the state's oldest candy store
- D Take a Hike:**
Explore the trails of the Laurentian Divide
- E Step Back in Time:**
At the Soudan Underground Mine
- F Explore More:**
Mountain Biking and Hiking Trails, plus Sauna/Spa, Disc Golf, and Climbing Wall at Giants Ridge

Details at ironrange.org



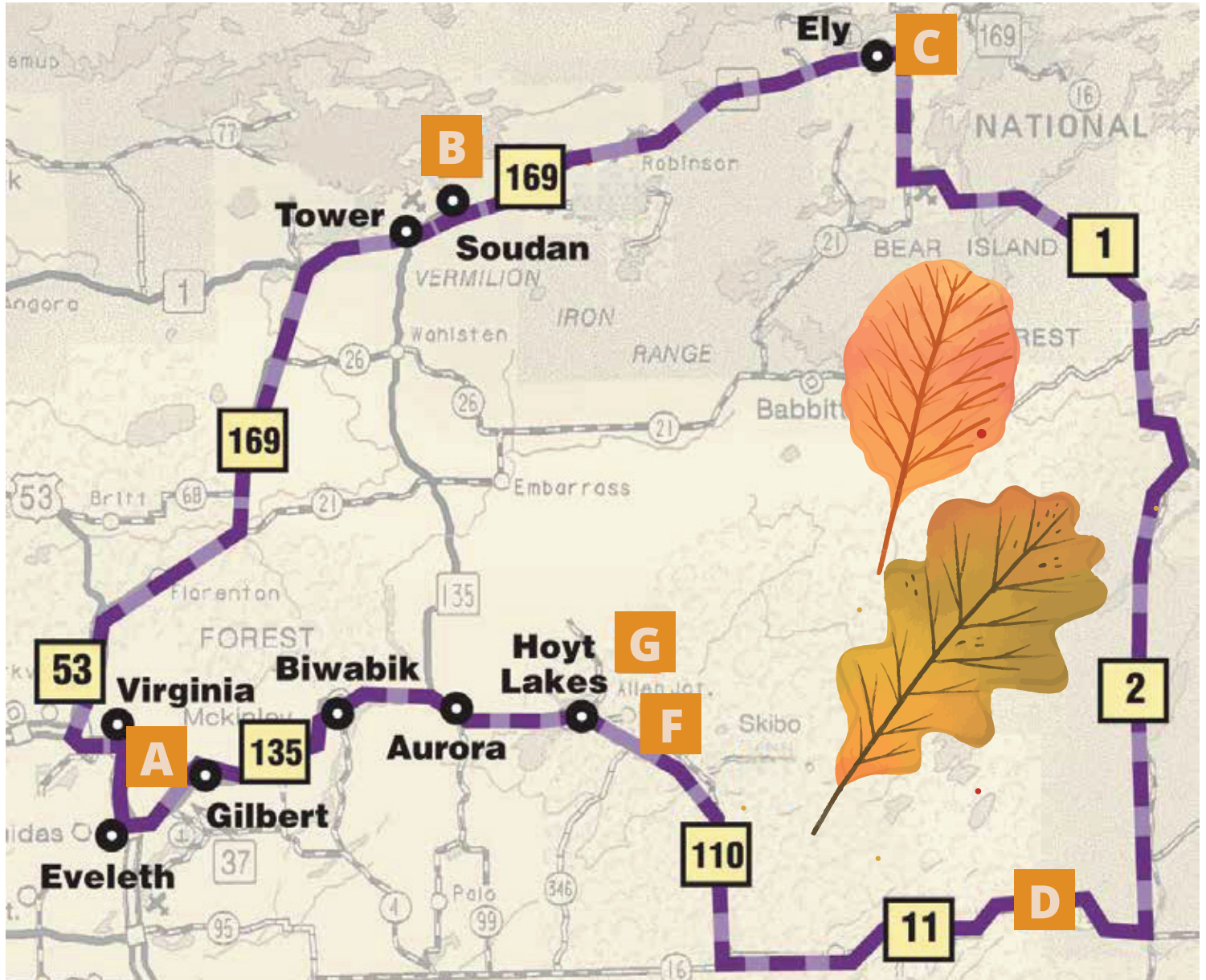
Northern Lights TOUR

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



A Short Walk, Big View:
State's Tallest Bridge

B History & Wildlife:
Soudan Underground
Mine State Park

C International Wolf Center

D Step Back in Time:
Toimi School

E See for Miles and Miles:
Skibo Vista

F Take a Hike:
Bird Lake Trail

G Mining History:
Longyear Drill Site

Bonus:
Sweet Treat + Lunch
at The Hive in Aurora

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



A **Short Walk:**
St James Mine Pit (paved)

C **Step Back in Time:**
Toimi School

E **Step Back in Time:**
Split Rock Lighthouse

B **See for Miles:**
Skibo Vista

D **Your Waterfall Stop:**
Gooseberry State Park

F **Mining History:**
Ore Docks at
Two Harbors

Lodging

For more lodging options visit:
ironrange.org



HOTEL/MOTEL

AmeriInn by Wyndham 🐾

5480 Mountain Iron Dr, Virginia
218-741-7839
americinn.com

Chisholm Inn & Suites

501 Iron Drive, Chisholm
218-254-2000
877-255-3156
chisholminn.com

Comfort Inn & Suites 🐾

8570 Rock Ridge Dr, Mountain Iron
218-741-7411
choicehotels.com/comfort-inn

Country Inn of Hoyt Lakes 🐾

99 Kennedy Memorial Dr, Hoyt Lakes
218-225-3555
866-444-3555
countryinnofhoytlakes.com

Eveleth Super 8 🐾

1080 Industrial Park Boulevard, Eveleth
218-744-1661
super8.com

Forest Garden Motel

413 South Main Street, Aurora
218-229-3676
800-718-2181

Hampton Inn

4225 Ninth Avenue W, Hibbing
218-262-0000
hamptoninn.com

Hibbing Inn & Suites 🐾

1411 40th Street E, Hibbing
218-263-8982
hibbinginnandsuites.com

Koke's Motel

714 Fayal Road, Eveleth
218-744-4500
800-892-5107
kokesmotel.com

Lakeshor Motor Inn

404 North Sixth Ave W, Virginia
218-741-3360
800-569-8131
lakeshor.com

Pine View Inn 🐾

903 North 17th Street, Virginia
218-741-8918
866-263-0535
pineviewinnmotel.com

Quality Inn

1502 Chestnut Street, Virginia
218-749-1000
800-777-4699
choicehotels.com

Red Rock Hotel & Suites

1402 East Howard St., Hibbing
218-231-3500

Trails Edge Lodging 🐾

200 E Dakota Avenue, Gilbert
218-410-0692
trailsedgelodging.com

VACATION HOMES

Redhead Cottage

Fresh and modern near downtown Chisholm.
Find on AirBNB

Stoyke Family Getaway

In the heart of Hibbing. Sleeps 8.
Find listing on VRBO

Netta Marie Woods

Cute and comfy in Chisholm. Close to Mesabi Trail, Redhead and more.
nettamariewoods.wordpress.com

The Yurt

Close to the Sax-Zim Bog just south of Hibbing. Unique and secluded!
Find it on VRBO and AirBNB

RESORTS

The Lodge at Giants Ridge®

6373 Wynne Creek Drive, Biwabik
218-865-7170
877-442-6877
lodgeatgiantsridge.com

Villas at Giants Ridge®

6266 Giants Ridge Road, Biwabik
218-865-4155
800-843-7434
villasatgiantsridge.com

GUEST COTTAGE

Early Frost Farm Studio

A working farm in Embarrass, close to the Mesabi Trail.
Find on AirBNB

Green Gate Guest Houses

Many offerings including restored barn, farmhouse cabin and modern condos
5748 County Road 138, Biwabik
218-290-2607
greengateguesthouses.com

Misty Shoals Haven

Secluded lake cottage for 2-4.
Veteran owned.
Find listing on AirBNB
or mistyshoals.wixsite.com

Mitchell Tappan Carriage House

2125 Fourth Avenue East, Hibbing
218-262-3862
mitchelltappanhouse.com

CAMPGROUNDS

Fisherman's Point Campground 🐾

5401 Campground Road, Hoyt Lakes
218-225-3337

Heritage Park & Campground 🐾

4789 Salo Road, Embarrass
218-984-2084

Iron Trail RV Park and Campground 🐾

115 6th Ave SW, Chisholm
800-711-7789

Sherwood Forest Campground 🐾

101 Wisconsin Avenue East, Gilbert
800-403-1803

Vermilion Trail Campground 🐾

6038 State Highway 135, Biwabik
218-865-6705

Veterans Park Campground 🐾

4392 Miller Trunk Road, Eveleth
218-744-7444

West Forty RV Park 🐾

Fire #245 Highway 37, Gilbert
218-749-2821

West Two Rivers Campground 🐾

4988 Campground Road, Mt. Iron
218-748-7570



PET FRIENDLY

Call in advance for prior approval. Fees may apply.