

# LAYOVER SURVIVAL GUIDE



A world of culture and experiences awaits you just outside of Newark Liberty International Airport (EWR). From the ultimate shopping experience, gourmet cultural cuisine, trending nightlife and authentic historical roots, Elizabeth

Below are some highlighted recommendations. Reference the other side of this sheet for an outlined map of points-of-interest with estimated proximity.

# **3 HOURS** ... OR LESS

#### **EXPLORE A HISTORIC MUSEUM**

has something for everyone!

[ Est. Time: 1 hour ]

Walk the same halls as NJ Governors, U.S. Presidents, Alexander Hamilton and view one of America's oldest collections of Madeira Wine. An American National Historic Landmark.

Liberty Hall Museum <a>I</a>

#### **EXPERIENCE TAX FREE SHOPPING**

[ Est. Time: 2 hours

NJ's largest indoor premium outlet shopping mall: The Mills at Jersey Gardens, makes Elizabeth, the 5th best City for Shopping in America. **With 0% tax on clothes and shoes**, it is home to 200 high-end outlet stores, dozens of places to eat & state of the art 20-screen movie theatre.

The Mills at Jersey Gardens Q

## ENGAGE IN EXERCISE

Est. Time: 1-3 hours

Stretch your legs and enjoy the outdoors ... be sure to get "your steps in". The Elizabeth River Trail highlights the history of Elizabeth with artwork from local artists displayed along its path. Or visit the sprawling 204 acres of Warinanco Park, designed by the noted landscape architect Frederick Olmstead—the designer of New York City's Central Park.

The Elizabeth River Trail O • Warinanco Park N

#### MEMBRACE CULTURE

[LUNCH & PHOTOS • Est. Time: 2 hours ]

Check out Elizabeth Avenue's diverse cultural dining scene with authentic cuisine, coffee shops and ethnic vibes. Many options are within walking distance of the historic landmark, Minute Man Statue. Then travel down the original Indian Trail to the Arthur Kill Waterway and take iconic photos at Veterans Memorial Waterfront Park overlooking the third largest seaport in America.

Elizabeth Avenue D . Veterans Memorial Park

# 6 HOURS ... OR LESS

#### D BROWSE HISTORICAL FASHION & SHOP TRENDS

[ Est. Time: 5 hours ]

Travel back in time and view authentic period age clothing dating back to before the American Revolution as you walk the same hallways as former NJ Governors, U.S. Presidents, and Alexander Hamiltom. Then for the latest fashion trends and many discounts visit NJ's largest indoor premium outlet shopping mall: The Mills at Jersey Gardens. With 0% tax on clothes and shoes, it is home to 200 high-end outlet stores, dozens of places to eat and state of the art 20-screen movie theatre.

Liberty Hall Museum <a>I</a> • The Mills at Jersey Gardens <a>Q</a>

#### MAN APPETITE FOR HISTORY & CULTURE

[ Est. Time: 4.5 hours ]

Begin your adventure at Liberty Hall Museum touring the beautiful gardens and walk through history. Inside the museum, see where Alexander Hamilton lived and view authentic American history artifacts dating back to the 1700s. Then, enjoy a delicious lunch experience at one of our cultural restaurants! After visit Boxwood Hall, another famous hot-spot-hang-out of Alexander Hamilton. Walk through the historical building and see where Hamilton slept, where George Washington dined on his way to his Presidential Inauguration and Elias Boundinot lived while he was the President of the Continental Congress.

Liberty Hall Museum <a>I</a> • Boxwood Hall <a>K</a>

# DIN

#### **DAUTHENTIC CULTURAL CUISINE ONLY MINUTES FROM EWR**

Take your taste buds on an adventure! Want to visit Colombia, Thailand, Mexico, Italy, Israel, or Portugal? No passport needed! Over 50 countries are represented throughout many authentic local dining venues that provide unique cuisine and fantastic cultural experiences!

#### RANKED TOP 5 BEST DESTINATIONS FOR ETHNIC EATS

2017 - Inside Jersey Magazine

# ■ TOP-RATED DINER IN NEW JERSEY – OPEN 365 DAYS A YEAR

Tropicana Diner - 2017, 2018 - NJ.com

BEST BRUNCH SPOT IN NEW JERSEY

The Garden - 2021, 2022 - GoElizabethNJ.com

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BEST PIZZA IN NEW JERSEY Santillo's - 2016, 2017 - NJ.com & Daily Meal yelp 🔆

ZAGAT.

Tripadvisor

# HOTELS

#### **☑ YOU CAN BE CHECKED-IN WITHIN 15 MINUTES OF LEAVING EWR**

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# **☑** HOTEL TRANSFER/ SHUTTLE PICK-UP

Many of the Elizabeth hotels offer complimentary shuttle service from the airport. (Located at Airport Station P-4)

#### **DOTIONS AVAILABLE FOR EVERY BUDGET**

Trusted name brand hotels, with limited service to full service accomodations are available. Select hotels include complimentary breakfast and great discounted packages.



















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#### **NJ TRANSIT**

2 Train Stations in Elizabeth connecting into New York City or to the Jersey Shore.

Elizabeth Broad St. Station • North Elizabeth Station • njtransit.com

#### **ID TAXI & RIDE SHARE (UBER/LYFT)**

Only take a Taxi from the designated taxi stand at the airport terminal. If using Uber/Lyft, request when you're ready to walk outside; exit on the arrivals level, then select your terminal and door number so your driver knows where to find you.

■ ELIZABETH FAST FERRY – SERVICE COMING SOON!



# Explore the Unexpected ... TRAVEL AT YOUR LEISURE

#### DINE

## A DOLCE

[ Hours: 11:00am - 2:00am ] **17 Broad St., Elizabeth, NJ** (908) 352-3940

## **II** FIRST REPUBLIC

[ Hours: 5:00pm - 3:00am ]

1204 E. Grand St., Elizabeth, NJ
(908) 355-3940

#### NOCHES DE COLOMBIA

[ Hours: 9:00am - 10:00pm ] **545 Bayway Ave., Elizabeth, NJ** (908) 353-7000

#### D OASIS PASTRY SHOP

[ Hours: 6:00am - 4:00pm ]

908 Elizabeth Ave., Elizabeth, NJ
(908) 629-00020

#### RANCHO MATEO

[ Hours: 5:00am - 2:30am ] **248 Morris Ave., Elizabeth, NJ**(908) 355-0220

#### **THE GARDEN**

[ Hours: 4:00pm - 2:00am ] **331 Morris Ave., Elizabeth, NJ** (908) 355-0220

#### G THE LOBBY

[ Hours: 11:00am - 2:00am ] **821 Sprint St., Elizabeth, NJ**(908) 469-8088

#### TIKI MOJITO

[ Hours: 11:00am - 2:00am ] **525 Bayways Ave., Elizabeth, NJ** (908) 355-022

#### VALENÇA

[ Hours: 10:00pm - 12:00am ] **665 Monroe Ave., Elizabeth, NJ** (908) 354-4024

#### **HISTORY**

#### LIBERTY HALL MUSEUM

[ Hours: 10:00am - 3:00pm ] **1003 Morris Ave., Union, NJ** (908) 527-0400

#### **II** BOXWOOD HALL

[ Hours: Call for tours ] 1073 East Jersey St., Elizabeth, NJ (908) 282-7617

# II MINUTE MAN STATUE

Union Square, Elizabeth Ave., Elizabeth, NJ

# M MONUMENT ROW

50 Winfield Scott Plaza, Elizabeth, NJ

#### **PARKS**

#### **N** WARINANCO PARK

2499 Saint Georges Ave., Elizabeth, NJ

# ELIZABETH RIVER TRAIL

633 Pearl St., Elizabeth, NJ

# VETERAN'S MEMORIAL PARK

Elizabeth Ave. & Front St., Elizabeth, NJ

#### **SHOPPING**

# SIMON: THE MILLS AT JERSEY GARDENS

[ Hours: 10:00am - 9:00pm ] **651 Kapkowski Rd., Elizabeth, NJ** (908) 354-5300

#### **HOTELS**

#### R COUNTRY INN & SUITES

100 International Blvd., Elizabeth, NJ (908) 282-0020

# S COURTYARD BY MARRIOTT

87 International Blvd., Elizabeth, NJ (908) 436-9800

#### CROWNE PLAZA

**901 Spring St., Elizabeth, NJ** (908) 527-1600

# **U** EMBASSY SUITES

95 International Blvd., Elizabeth, NJ (908) 558-0752

# **▼** EXTENDED STAY AMERICA

45 International Blvd., Elizabeth, NJ (908) 355-4300

#### **W** HILTON

1170 Spring St., Elizabeth, NJ (908) 351-3900

#### **X** HOLIDAY INN EXPRESS

**1128 Spring St., Elizabeth, NJ** (908) 355-0500

#### **Y** RENAISSANCE

**1000 Spring St., Elizabeth, NJ** (908) 436-4600

## **Z** RESIDENCE INN BY MARRIOT

**83 International Blvd., Elizabeth, NJ** (908) 352-4300











