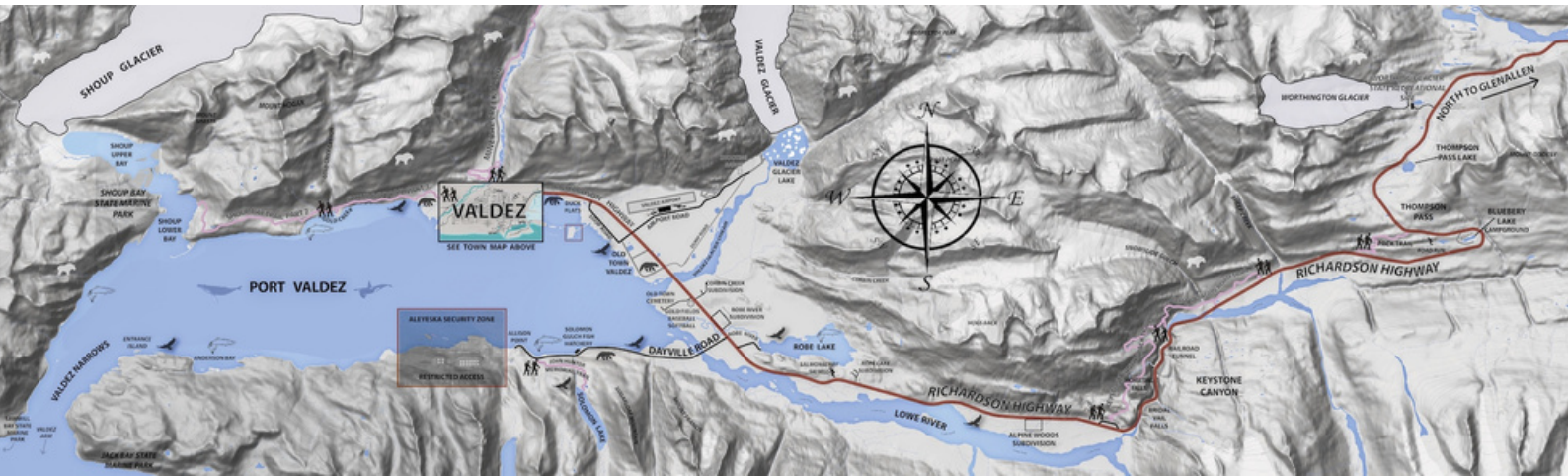




# Valdez

ALASKA

Untouched yet within reach.



## WHY VALDEZ?

- America's Most Scenic Roads and Adventure Corridor
- 9 of the 16 tallest peaks of North America along the route to Valdez and dozens of scenic waterfalls
- 6 massive, easily-accessible glaciers
- 18 municipal parks and 50 miles of multi-use trail system
- 4,025 year round residents
- 500 lodging rooms & 500 RV spots available
- Authentic Alaska charm
- Year round destination
- No sales tax!

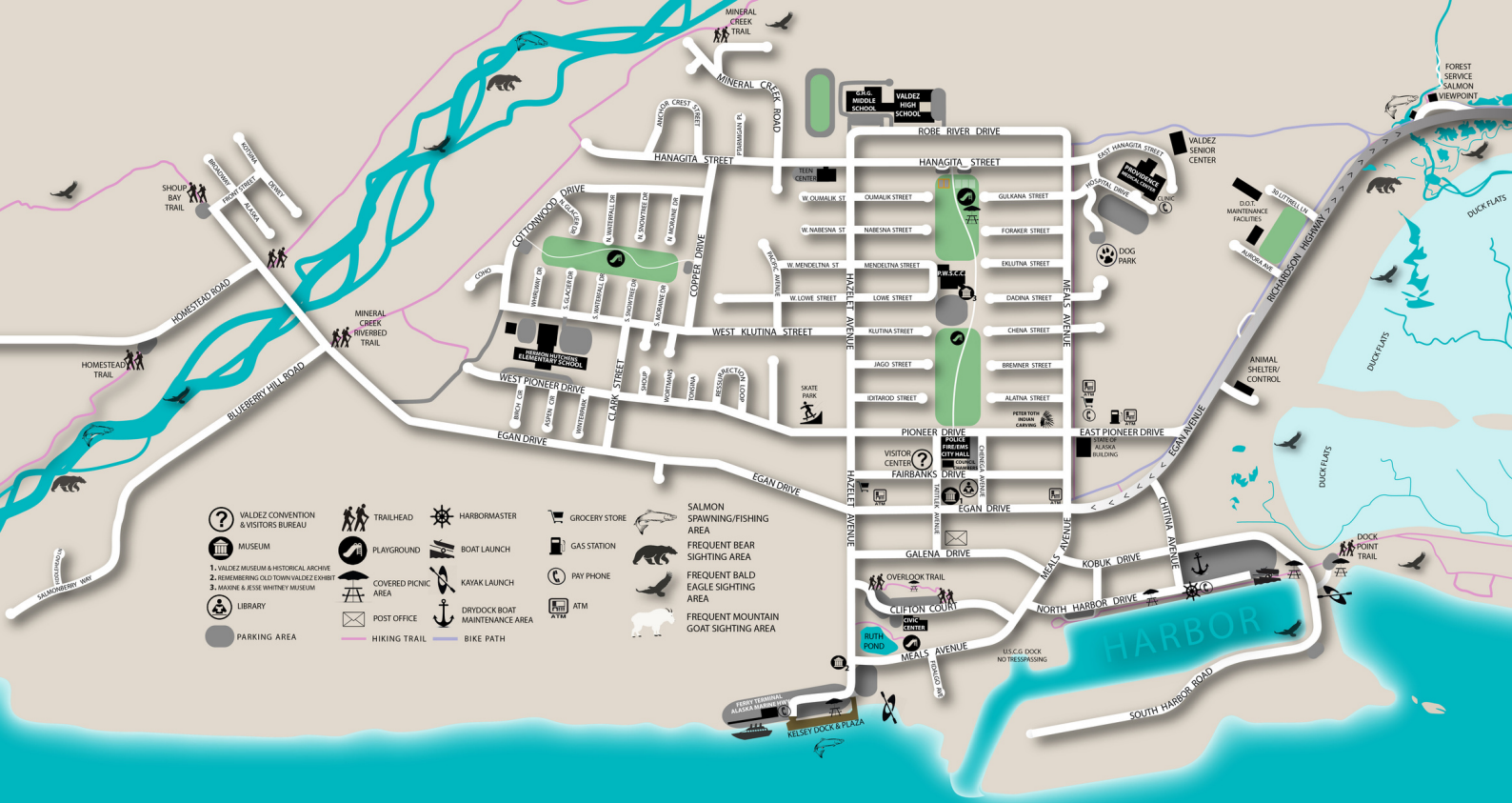
## Welcome to Valdez!

Situated on the northeastern edge of Alaska's renowned Prince William Sound, Valdez has all the flavor of small town Alaska combined with every natural wonder visitors include on their Alaska bucket lists.

- ✓ **Glaciers?** Valdez is surrounded by the coastal Chugach Mountain Range that has some of the highest density of glaciation in Alaska.
- ✓ **Mountains?** On the road to Valdez, you can see 9 out of 16 of the tallest peaks in the USA.
- ✓ **Wildlife?** Whether in town or on a boat, the abundance of Alaska wildlife is everywhere! Moose, bear, eagles, whales, seals, otters and so much more will be part of your adventure.

Valdez is the ancestral lands of the Suacit. The name is an Alutiiq/Sugpiat word understood to mean, "people of the place that rises into view."





## GETTING HERE

Widely considered THE most beautiful drive in a state full of beautiful drives, the trip to Valdez, which starts at the confluence of the Glenn and Richardson highways, runs past prehistoric glaciers and into mountain ranges with so many 14,000-foot peaks a lot of them haven't even been named. Along the way, the trans-Alaska pipeline pops in and out of view and the final approach includes a 25-mile drop from Thompson Pass (2,771 ft elevation) to sea level through the waterfalls of Keystone Canyon, opening into the stunning Prince William Sound.

## WHAT TO DO

- 🌟 Glacier and wildlife cruise
- ❄️ Skiing and snowboarding
- 🐟 Fishing
- ❄️ Snowmachining
- 🏛️ Museum, History & Art
- ❄️ Ice climbing
- 🏔️ Hiking & Biking
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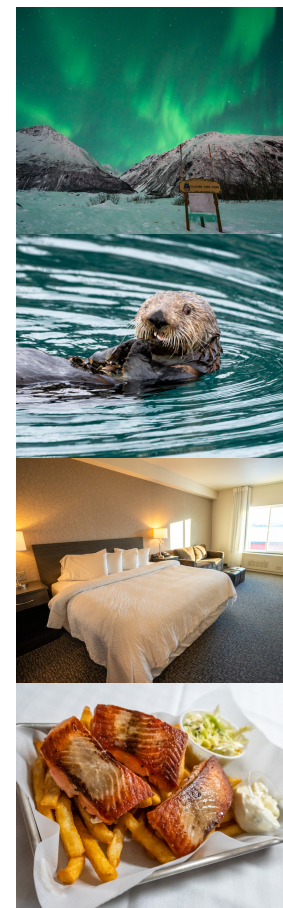
## WHERE TO STAY

A full range of accommodations are available in and around Valdez: hotels, motels, B&Bs, campgrounds, and cabins. There are over 500 lodging rooms and 500 RV spots easily accessible.

### CLIMATE

Month	Snow	Temp (F)	Sunrise	Sunset
Jan	68"	28	10:05am	4:15pm
Feb	61"	31	9:18am	5:22pm
Mar	48"	36	8:04am	6:34pm
Apr	21"	45	7:32am	8:50pm
May	2"	55	6:06am	10:02pm
June	0"	61	4:59am	11:10pm
July	0"	62	4:52am	11:27pm
Aug	0"	61	5:49am	10:34pm
Sep	1"	54	7:02am	9:09pm
Oct	11"	44	8:11am	7:39pm
Nov	43"	33	9:27am	6:12pm
Dec	72"	30	9:38am	4:12pm

Anchorage	305 mi	492 km
Fairbanks	364 mi	587 km
Glennallen	115 mi	185 km
Seattle, WA	2361 mi	3808 km
Tok	254 mi	410 km
Whitehorse YT	650 mi	1048 km



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