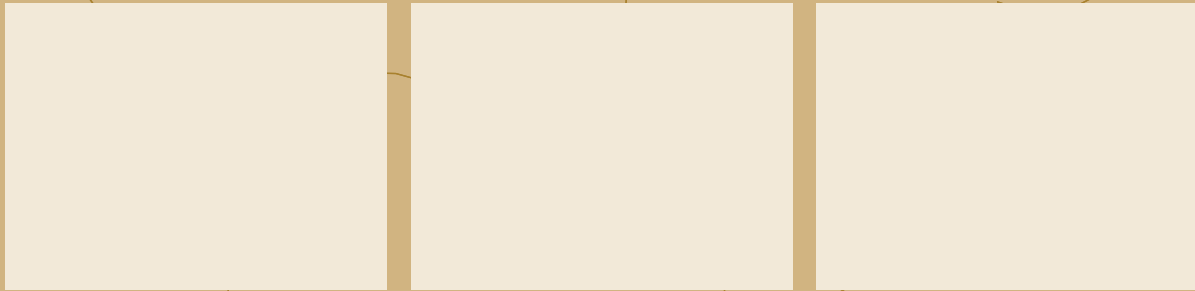
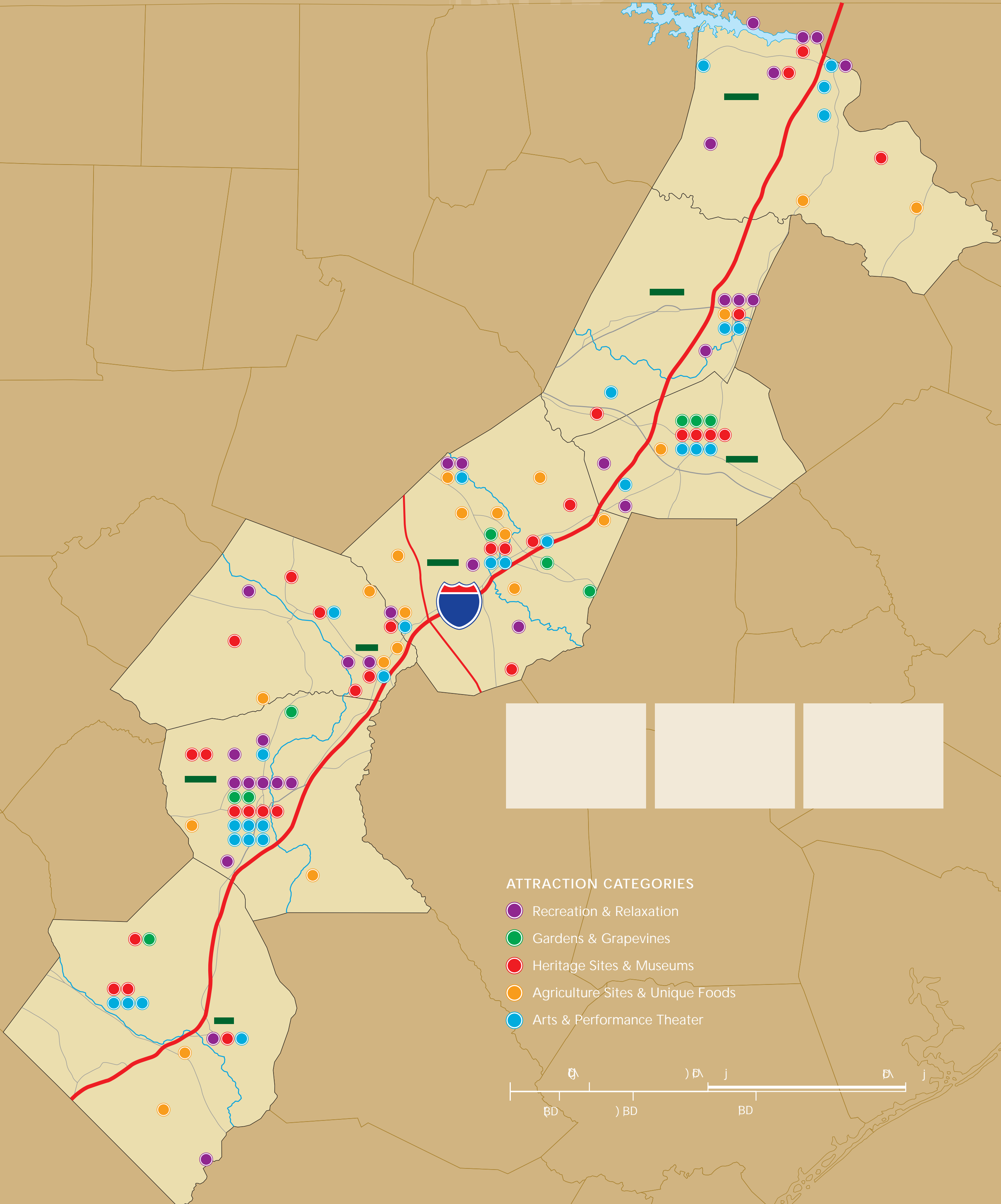




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ATTRACTION CATEGORIES

- Recreation & Relaxation
- Gardens & Grapevines
- Heritage Sites & Museums
- Agriculture Sites & Unique Foods
- Arts & Performance Theater



Map and attraction locations are approximate and are not drawn to scale.

RECREATION & RELAXATION

1 Lake Gaston / Exit 176

475 Eaton Ferry Rd., Littleton 866-730-5711
This state forest offers a mix of pine and hardwood forests and a pleasant rolling terrain highlighted by streams and rock outcroppings accessible by a series of well-marked trails. dfr.state.nc.us

14 Howell Woods / Exit 90

6601 Devil's Race Track Rd., Four Oaks 919-938-0115
A 2,856-acre "outdoor" classroom of mature bottomland hardwood forest and swamps, which offers more than 30 miles of unpaved roads and trails for hiking, shing and bird watching. johnstoncc.edu/howellwoods

15 Neuse Adventures Canoe & Kayak / Exit 97

2975 Covered Bridge Rd., Clayton 919-553-3295
Enjoy two or four-hour guided canoe or kayak trips along the Neuse River. Reservations required.

16 Neuse River Walk / Exit 95

100 Front St., Smith eld 919-934-0887
Begin the River Walk Trail at the Historic Hastings House for the 1.5-mile walk along the Neuse River. downtownsmith eld.com

17 Tucker Lake / Exit 79

3025 Allen's Crossroads Rd., Benson 919-894-6090
Open Memorial Day through Labor Day. Enjoy lake swimming, waterslide, picnic area and campgrounds.

18 Dunn Erwin Rail Trail / Exit 73

Intersection of Ashe Ave. and Powell Ave., Dunn 910-892-3282
This scenic 5.3-mile rail trail corridor has been transformed into a nature trail for walking, biking and strolling. Trailheads are located in both downtown Dunn and downtown Erwin.

19 Erwin River Park / Exit 73

Located off 217 bridge, Erwin Access the Cape Fear River at the Erwin River Park for river adventures and picnic facilities.

20 Raven Rock State Park / Exit 73

3009 Raven Rock Rd., Lillington 910-893-4888
Eleven miles of hiking trails and 7 miles of bridle trails, among steep bluffs and outcrops. ncsparks.net

21 Athletes Choice Batting Center Exit 52

310 Robeson St., Fayetteville 910-487-HITS
Indoor facility with ve pitching mounds, ve practice tunnels and ve batting cages.

22 Cape Fear River Trail / Exit 58

Trail access at Jordan Soccer Complex on Treetop Lane, Fayetteville 910-433-1547
A secluded trail that winds for nearly 4 miles through a beautiful blend of trees, plants and wildlife with spectacular views of the river. fcpr.us/river_trail.php

23 Clark Park Nature Center Exit 58

631 Sherman Dr., Fayetteville 910-433-1579
Natural woodland area with hiking trails and campground, as well as a Nature Center featuring seasonal exhibits of North Carolina wildlife, plants, geology and more.

24 The Climbing Place / Exit 52

436 W. Russell St, Fayetteville 910-486-9638
The largest indoor climbing facility in NC with roofs, corners, cracks, arches, slab and arêtes with a professionally-trained staff. theclimbingplace.com

25 Fantasy Lake / Exit 41

5869 Permastone Lake Rd., Hope Mills 910-424-9999
A complete family water park featuring water slides, paddle boats, trapeze swings and more. fantasylakewaterpark.com

26 Lake Pines / Exit 56

1209 Lake Pines Dr., Fayetteville 910-630-2400
Two-acre, spring-fed lake with a sandy beach, diving boards, slides and picnic area, as well as volleyball, tennis and horseshoe courts.

27 Blount Street Skate / Exit 52

500 Blount St., Fayetteville 910-867-2424
Test your skills at the second largest indoor skate center in the United States.

28 Smith Lake Recreation Area Exit 58

Smith Lake Rd., Fayetteville 910-396-5979
Smith Lake offers mountain bike trails, paint ball, riding stables, a sandy beach with a playground, volleyball, waterslide and pavilions for rent. forbragmwr.com

29 Lumber River State Park / Exit 14

2819 Princess Ann Rd. 910-628-9844
Located on a black water river, this park offers 7,936 acres of land and 115 miles of state natural and scenic waters, 81 miles of which are also designated national wild and scenic waters. ncsparks.net/lur.html

30 The Lumberton Riverwalk Exit 17

Luther Britt Park, 671 Branch St., Lumberton
Three-mile loop walking trail with great viewing of the scenic Lumber River.

GARDENS & GRAPEVINES

1 Library Rose Garden / Exit 121
249 West Nash St., Wilson
This garden features 24 varieties of Hybrid Tea Roses, many designated as "All American Rose Selections." Eight beds contain over 120 plants providing a blooming season from mid-April through November.

2 Wilson Botanical Gardens Exit 121

Wilson County Agricultural Building 1806 Goldsboro St., Wilson 252-237-0111
This garden is comprised of a tree collection, v different turf grass species and bird and butter y gardens along with display gardens. wilson-co.com/arboretum.html

3 Wilson Rose Garden / Exit 121

1800 Herring Ave., Wilson 252-399-2266
An all-American rose selection that offers over 1,100 rose plants, consisting of 165 varieties. This garden features a picnic area, arbors, water pond and art structures. wilsonrosegarden.com

4 The Arboretum at JCC / Exit 95

202 W. Nash St., Wilson 252-291-5113
Science education museum with many exhibits for every age with up-close experiences, daily live science programs, live animals and demonstrations. imaginescience.org

5 Hinnant Vineyards & Winery Exit 97

826 Pine Level-Micro Rd., Pine Level 919-965-3350
The largest muscadine vineyard in North Carolina offers 14 estate wines, tours, tasting room and gift shop. hinnantvineyards.com

6 Powell's Gardens / Exit 97

9468 US Hwy 70 East, Princeton 919-936-4421
Features 600 varieties of Bearded Iris and Day Lilies, as well as the largest collection of hosta in the Southeast.

7 Cape Fear Botanical Garden Exit 52

536 N. Eastern Blvd., Fayetteville 910-486-0221
The 85-acre garden includes an old farmhouse and heritage garden, perennial gardens, wild owers, majestic oaks, nature trails and numerous species of native plants. capefearbg.org

8 Fayetteville Rose Garden / Exit 52

2201 Hull Rd. (Fayetteville Technical Community College) 910-678-8228
A popular spot in town features a wonderful display of rose variations and colors.

9 J. Wesley Vineyards / Exit 58

9340 Chickapee Dr., Linden 910-321-WINE
The winery features a 6,700-square-foot house for wine tastings and events, 11,000-square-foot wine production room, wine bar, café and barrel room. jwesleyvineyards.com

10 Ava Gardner Museum / Exit 95

325 E. Market St., Smith eld 919-934-5830
Home to an incredible collection including original scripts, photos, costumes and personal effects of screen legend Ava Gardner – a true Hollywood "Cinderella" story. avagardner.org

11 Benson Museum of Local History Exit 79

303 E. Church St., Benson 919-894-3825
Established to collect, preserve and display items of historical signi cance including railroad and military memorabilia, antiques, quilts and farming artifacts.

12 Bentonville Battlefield / Exit 90

5466 Harper House Rd., Four Oaks 910-594-0789
Site of the largest Civil War land battle fought in NC in an attempt to stop Sherman's march. Site includes a museum, the Harper House and union earthworks and trails. bentonvillebattle eld.nchistoricsites.org

13 Boyette Slave & Schoolhouse Exit 107

2331 Glendale Rd., Kenly 919-284-3431
This one-room log house of hand-hewn planks is joined by full dove-tail notches and pegs and features a mud and stick chimney.

14 Johnston County Heritage Center / Exit 95

241 E. Market St., Smith eld 919-934-2836
The Heritage Center is one of the best-

equipped facilities for studying local history and genealogy, and it offers a large collection of public records, manuscripts and family histories. johnstonnc.com/heritage

15 Selma Historic Union Station Exit 97

500 Railroad St., Selma 919-965-9841
This 1924 station has been completely restored and now provides Amtrak service. Enjoy exhibits and memorabilia on rail history and the Town of Selma. selma-nc.com

16 Averasboro Civil War Battlefield Museum & Chicora Cemetery Exit 71

3300 NC Hwy 82, Dunn 910-891-8019, 910-892-3282
Site of the rst deliberate, tactical resistance to the infamous march of Federal forces through Georgia and the Carolinas. averasboro.com

17 General William C. Lee Airborne Museum / Exit 73

209 W. Divine St., Dunn 910-892-1947
Home of Dunn native General William C. Lee, the museum tells Lee's life story as well as the early years of the U.S. Army Airborne. generalleeairbornemuseum.org

18 Hammerstone Scout Museum Exit 97

Lea et Church Rd., Lillington 910-814-2955
This museum takes you back 100 years to the very root of the scouting movement with memorabilia of scouting pioneers and heroes.

19 Harnett County Indian Museum Exit 73

This rustic museum includes a craft shop, artifact display and a log cabin that shows how pioneer lived; it also includes exhibits of Native American tools.

20 Lundy-Fetterman Museum and Exhibit Hall / Exit 73

Campbell University, Buies Creek 910-814-4398
The museum displays part of Burrows T. and Mabel Lundy's collection of mounted wildlife specimens and is dedicated to teaching young people about the nature and wildlife.

21 Airborne & Special Operations Museum / Exit 52

100 Bragg Blvd., Fayetteville 910-483-3003
Part of the U.S. Army Museum System, explore the 60-year history of airborne and special operations units through dramatic, life-size, imaginative and interactive exhibits. asomf.org

22 Lundy Heights Waterfowl Park Exit 168

4963 Hwy 258, Scotland Neck 252-826-3186
Enjoy the breathtaking colors and variety of calls of the world's largest collection of rare and endangered waterfowl with more than 1,500 ducks, geese and swans of over 170 different species. shwpark.com

3 Rocky Mount Farmer's Market Exit 138

Peachtree Farm, Rocky Mount
Locally grown farm-fresh fruits and produce, homemade jams and pickles, fresh owers plus local farm-grown sh and country meat products. Open on Saturdays.

4 Deans Farm / Exit 116

4231 NC Hwy 42 W, Wilson 252-237-0967
Fresh fruits, vegetables and much more. Offering a variety of seasonal family-friendly activities, including hayrides and picking your own strawberries and pumpkins.

5 Atkinson Milling Co. / Exit 97

95 Atkinson Mill Rd., Selma 919-965-3547
Built in 1757, this mill has been in continuous operation for more than 240 years. Today, Atkinson's Mill is the only water-powered gristmill operating in the area. atkinsonmilling.com

6 Banks Miniature Horse Farm Exit 97

2667 Peele Rd., Clayton 919-553-7216
Home to many ne miniature horses from outstanding bloodlines, this farm strives to provide an atmosphere where horses are admired and respected. bankshorsefarm.com

7 The Farmer's Corner / Exit 97

1620 Loop Rd., Clayton 919-553-4094
Boyette Farm hosts the Fear Farm and Christmas Lights on the Neuse River each year. fearfarm.com

8 Jan's Strawberries & Peaches Exit 93

3188 Stevens Sausage Rd., Smith eld 919-934-2989
Jan's has fresh farm produce and pick-your-own strawberries and peaches, available April through July.

9 The Pound Cake Co. / Exit 79

310 S. Lee St., Benson 919-894-8448
Featured in Southern Living and Fresh Market, The Pound Cake offers award-winning pound cakes, breads and sweets. thebestcake.com

10 Smithfield Ham Shop / Exit 95

204 N. Bright Leaf Blvd., Smith eld 919-934-8054
Come view thousands of hams cured on our Ham Shop. Taste why Men's Journal proclaimed Johnston County Hams among "The 100 Best Things to Eat in America." countrycuredhams.com

11 Smith's Strawberry Farm Exit 95

433 Sanders Rd., McGees Crossroads 919-934-1700
Strawberries, blueberries and blackberries available mid-April through July. upickberries.com

12 Tobacco Farm Life Museum Exit 173

709 Church St., Hwy 301 N, Kenly 919-284-3431, 800-965-1437
A 6,000 square-foot exhibit hall displaying artifacts from all aspects of farm life, including a children's exhibit, restored farmstead with kitchen, blacksmith shop and tobacco barn. tobaccofarmlifemuseum.org

13 Wilson's Mills Farm Market Exit 97

5494 Wilson's Mills Rd., Wilson's Mills 919-934-6918
Year-round selection of local produce, baked goods and greenhouse plants for sale. Great source for strawberries and pumpkins.

14 West Produce / Exit 73

2026 Hayes Rd., Spring Lake 910-497-7443
Offers fresh fruit and vegetables year-round. Offers hayrides, carnival food, face painting, pumpkins and seasonal produce.

15 The Cornfield Maze / Exit 77

Hodges Chapel Rd., Dunn 910-892-3047
A large puzzle of twists and turns carved into a corn eld offers "agriculture in process." Also features concessions, games for children, a miniature tricycle maze, pumpkin toss and much more.

16 Dunn Farmers Market / Exit 73

Downtown Dunn 910- 892-4113
Open May through October every Saturday from 8 a.m. to noon, this market offers local fruits, vegetables, pork skins, baked items, plants and more.

17 Noah's Landing / Exit 73

1489 Live Oak Rd., Coats 910-897-NOAH
Noah's Landing is located on 12 acres, home to a wide variety of unusual domestic and exotic animals. noahslanding2x2.com

18 Gillis Hill Farms / Exit 46

2701 Gillis Hill Rd., Fayetteville 910-867-2350
Owned and farmed by the Gillis family since the mid-1700s. Offers wagon-drawn or walking tours of a working farm and homemade ice cream. gillishillfarm.com

19 Jambbas Ranch / Exit 49

5386 Tabor Church Rd., Fayetteville 910-484-2798, 910-484-4808
See animals including buffalo, llamas, deer, elk, Watusi cows, sheep, duck, swans and peacocks in a natural habitat. jambbas.com

20 Border Belt Farmers Museum Exit 10

101 Thompson St., Fairmont 910-628-9216
Early tobacco warehouses and farming equipment are on display in this converted Atlantic Coastline Railway Depot.

21 Southeastern NC Agricultural Center & Farmers Market / Exit 14

1027 US Hwy 74 E, Lumberton 910-671-5699
North Carolina's newest agricultural center and farmers market. agr.state.nc.us/markets

ARTS & PERFORMANCE THEATRE

1 The Centre at Halifax Community College / Exit 173

200 College Dr., Weldon 252-538-4336
Enjoy performing arts series including such shows as the NC Dance Theatre, NC Symphony, dramas like Julius Caesar and musical tributes to Patsy Cline and John Denver. hccentre.com

2 First for Freedom Historical Drama / Exit 173

200 College Dr., Weldon 800-522-4282
Held outdoors in the Town of Halifax on July 4th and indoors for other performances, it depicts the events that led to the adoption of the Halifax Resolves on April 12, 1776.

3 The Roanoke Rapids Theatre Exit 171

500 Carolina Crossroads Parkway, Roanoke Rapids 252-536-5700
A diverse entertainment schedule is set for this 1500-seat theatre, including Jerusalem Ridge and the Roanoke Rapids Theatre house band, which performs both matinee and evening shows.

4 Lakeland Theatre Company Exit 173

411 Mosby Ave., Littleton 877-330-0574
Produces a sensational variety of dramas, comedies, musicals and concerts featuring local talent. lakelandartscenter.org

5 The Arts Center at the Imperial Center / Exit 138

270 Gay St., Rocky Mount 252-972-1163
The Arts Center consists of a visual arts building, education center and a permanent collection with rotating professional, historical and children's exhibits and a gift shop. rockymountnc.gov/artscenter

6 Dan Finch Pottery / Exit 119

5526 Finch Nursery Ln., Bailey 252-972-5080
Located on a family farm devoted to growing blueberry plants, pottery production and building blue bird nesting boxes. All pottery is made, glazed and red at the farm studio.

7 The Theatre at the Imperial Centre Exit 138

270 Gay St., Rocky Mount 252-291-4329
Located in the hitoric downtown Wilson, the art council offers three art galleries to the public. Art & Theatre camp and children's programs are offered in the summer. Art exhibits, workshops and lectures are offered throughout the year. wilsonarts.com

9 Barton College/Wilson Symphony Orchestra / Exit 121

Barton College, Wilson 252-399-6535
This orchestra provides an extraordinary opportunity for visitors to enjoy symphonic music. Offers four performances annually, including two signature dinner performances: Symphony and Soul and Love the Symphony. barton.edu

10 Edna Boykin Theater / Exit 121

108 N. Nash St., Wilson 910-678-4100
The Boykin Theatre offers vistors plush seating for 650 people in this 1919 Vaudeville Theatre. Performances are showcased year round. Theatre of the American South festival is held in May annually. wilsonarts.com

11 Whirligigs / Exit 107

Wiggins Mill Rd., Lucama 800-497-7398
The Whirligigs are elaborate and colorful metal sculptures that move with the wind. A total of 30 sculptures are erected on the property of Folk Artist Vollis Simpson, world renowned for his talents.

12 American Music Jubilee / Exit 97

300 N. Raiford St., Selma 919-202-9927, 877-843-7839
An evening of "Southern hospitality, great American music and side-splitting comedy" delights audiences with classic and contemporary country and gospel and a patriotic tribute. amjubilee.com

13 The Clayton Center / Exit 97

111 E. Second St., Clayton 919-553-1737
This 600-seat performing arts center features the Palladian Concert Series along with 3,300 square feet of meeting and reception space for groups of 20-350.

14 Neuse Little Theatre / Exit 95

209 S. Front St., Smith eld 919-934-1873
This local community theater takes on productions such as "The Wizard of Oz," "Grease" and "Cinderella." neuselittletheatre.org

15 Paul A. Johnston Auditorium Exit 95

Johnston Community College, 245 College Rd., Smith eld 919-209-2099
This 1,000-seat performing arts auditorium includes the Performing Arts Concert Series, Johnston County Chorale and the Country Music Showcase throughout the year. johnstoncc.edu/performingarts/default.htm

16 W.J. Barefoot Auditorium Exit 79

411 Mosby Ave., Littleton 919-894-5117
Home to the Benson Little Theatre, this 350-seat performing arts auditorium is perfect for concerts, assemblies, pageants and theatrical productions.

17 Campbell University Fine Arts Exit 73

Campbell University, Buies Creek 910-893-1495
Offers performances throughout the year such as University Choral Society, Musicals, Gallery Shows, Campbell Voices and Jazz Ensemble. web.campbell.edu/calendar/ nearts.html

18 Stewart Theater / Exit 73

114 N. Wilson Ave., Dunn 910-892-8142
Home to Harnett County Regional Theater, the 500-seat Stewart Theater offers performances ranging from plays to concerts, magician showcases and more.

19 The Arts Center / Exit 52

301 Hay St., Fayetteville 910-323-1776
Diverse rotating exhibits in a unique downtown building built in 1910 as a post of ce and now home to the Arts Council of Fayetteville. heartscouncil.com

20 Cape Fear Regional Theater Exit 52

1209 Hay St., Fayetteville 910-323-4234
Since 1962, this award-winning theater has been delighting audiences with elaborate musicals, comedies, classic dramas, off-Broadway productions and children's favorites. cftrt.org

21 Campbellton Landing / Exit 52

1122 Person St., Fayetteville 910-483-1649
This historic amphitheater located on the Cape Fear River hosts a variety of special events throughout the year, including production by Cape Fear Regional Theater in May. campbeltonlanding.com

22 Crown Center / Exit 46

1960 Coliseum Dr., Fayetteville 910-438-4100
Big name entertainment and a variety of events, concerts, sports, family shows, theater productions and trade/craft/specialty shows are offered year round in this four-building complex. crowncoliseum.com

23 Gilbert Theater on Bow Street Exit 52

116 Green St., Fayetteville 910-678-7186
This American Association of Community Theatres (AACT) award-winning community theater performs critically acclaimed contemporary works and the classics. gilberttheater.com

24 Fayetteville Museum of Art Exit 52

839 Stamper Rd., Fayetteville 910-485-5121
Features world-class rotating art exhibits, as well as concerts, workshops and special events. fayettevillemuseumart.org

25 Fayetteville Symphony Orchestra Exit 58

5400 Ramsey St., Reeves Auditorium, Fayetteville 910-433-4690
The oldest community-sponsored symphony in North Carolina performs a variety of themed concerts throughout the year at Methodist University. fayettevillesymphony.org

26 Carolina Civic Center / Exit 20

315 N. Chestnut St., Lumberton 910-738-4339
On the National Register of Historic Places, the Carolina Civic Center is one of downtown Lumberton's most historic landmarks. carolinaciviccenter.com

27 Givens Performing Arts Center Exit 17

UNC-Pembroke, Pembroke 910-521-6361
This center offers performing arts, youth, professional speakers and a Broadway series each year. uncp.edu/gpac

28 NC Indian Cultural Center Exit 14

638 Terry Sanford Rd., Pembroke 910-521-6282
Programs include pow