MICHIGAN'S KEWEENAW PENINSULA

Be careful— you just might fall in love!

For at least 7,000 years people have lived in the Copper Country. Why they come here and what they do have changed over time, but one reason remains the same: a collective love of the area's stunning scenery. You only have to witness a clear day on the top of Brockway Mountain or drive along the spectacular Lake Superior shoreline to understand why this place is special. Who knows? You just might fall in love with the Copper Country too.

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Scenic Views & Photo Opportunities

Lookout from Bare Bluff
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ROUTE NO. 1

COPPER COUNTRY TRAIL NATIONAL BYWAY

Houghton to Copper Harbor, US-41

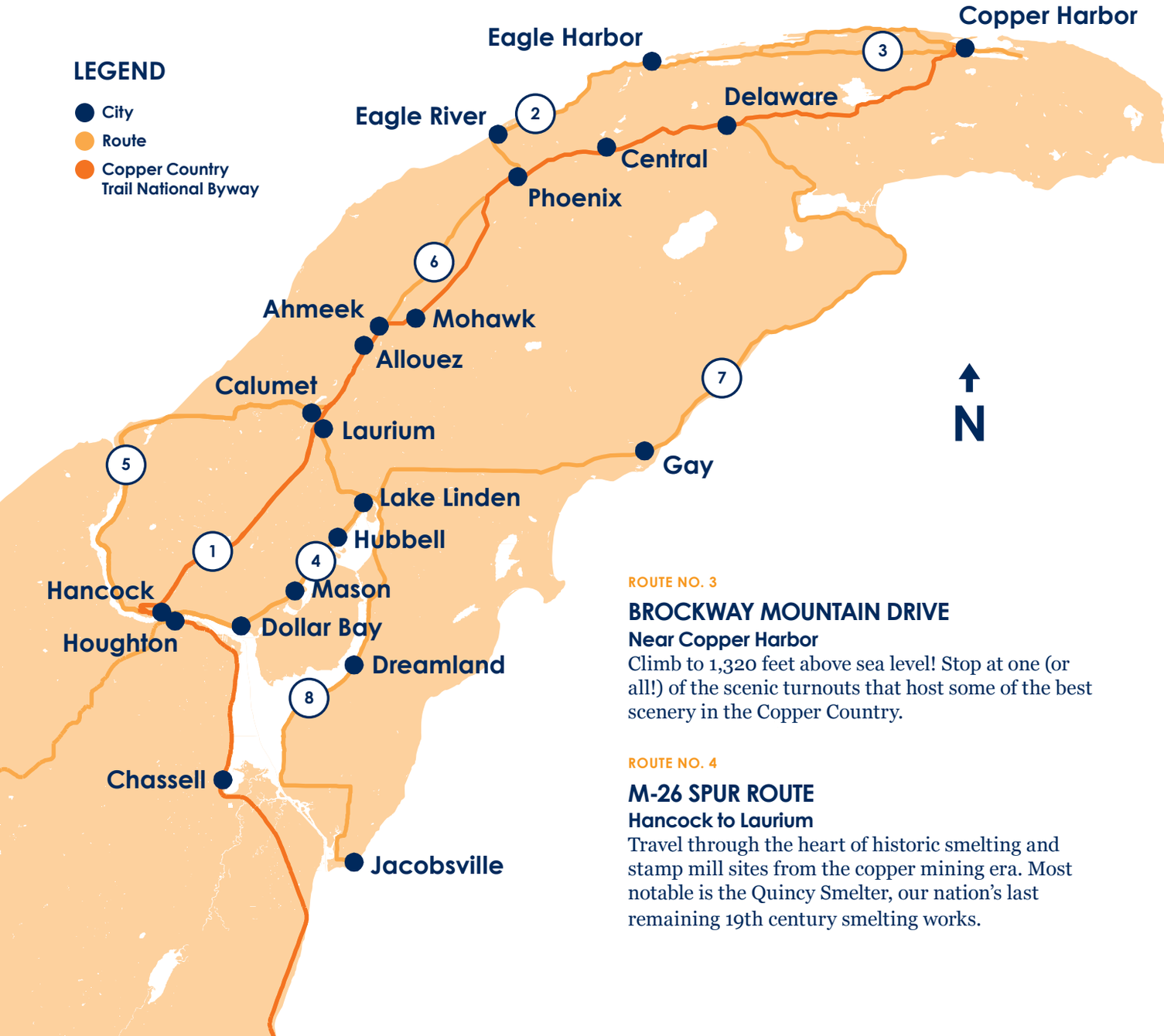
Take the road that follows the copper itself! Stretching 47 miles from Houghton to Copper Harbor, this classic route features something for everyone.

ROUTE NO. 2

LAKESHORE DRIVE

Phoenix to Copper Harbor, M-26

Discover expansive vistas, spectacular sunsets, and majestic ice formations in the winter as you explore the rugged shoreline of Lake Superior.



ROUTE NO. 3

BROCKWAY MOUNTAIN DRIVE

Near Copper Harbor

Climb to 1,320 feet above sea level! Stop at one (or all!) of the scenic turnouts that host some of the best scenery in the Copper Country.

ROUTE NO. 4

M-26 SPUR ROUTE

Hancock to Laurium

Travel through the heart of historic smelting and stamp mill sites from the copper mining era. Most notable is the Quincy Smelter, our nation's last remaining 19th century smelting works.

ROUTE NO. 5

M-203 SPUR ROUTE

Hancock to Calumet, M-203

Relax and enjoy this route along the Portage Canal that ends in the historic Village of Calumet. Along the way be sure to visit McLain State Park; a sunset here is a not to be missed experience!

ROUTE NO. 6

CLIFF DRIVE

Ahmeek to Phoenix, Cliff Drive

Find your adventurous side and tour the area of the Keweenaw's first profitable mine. Along the way enjoy rugged forested escarpments and the largest known lava flow on Earth.

ROUTE NO. 7

GAY LAC LA BELLE LOOP

Gay-Lac La Belle Loop / Lake Linden to Gay to Lac La Belle

Wander along the peninsula's sandstone eastern shore and explore the communities of Gay and Lac La Belle. Be sure to check out the beaches along the way, or for an adventure (and an amazing view!), make your way to the top of Bare Bluff.

ROUTE NO. 8

BOOTJACK ROAD

Lake Linden to Jacobsville

Discover the serenity of this route as you travel through forested glens and quaint rural settings on your way to Jacobsville. Once you get there, the view of the Huron Mountains and the Abbaye Peninsula from the Jacobsville Lighthouse is sure to enchant.

Disclaimer: This map is intended for illustrative purposes and does not represent all roadways in the region. Some of the drives are seasonal and may not be open during winter months. Please respect and be aware of private property as you explore the routes.