

Port Townsend, Washington, USA

One of only three Victorian seaports in the US on the National Register of Historic Places, Port Townsend is a living museum of 1880s brick storefronts and ornate mansions — with wild beaches and whale-watching just up the road.

 Docked at Union Wharf

 Small ships only (American Cruise Lines, UnCruise, Lindblad)

 Typical call: 6-8 hrs

 USD

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👉 MY DAY IN PORT

Ship/Date: _____	Arrive: _____	All aboard: _____
Excursion: _____	Notes: _____	

GETTING ASHORE

Docking: Pier — Union Wharf, foot of Taylor Street (walk-off into downtown)

Walk to center: 0 min — you step off the gangway onto Water Street

Best For: Victorian architecture, maritime history, Fort Worden, whale watching

Don't Miss: Fort Worden State Park & the filming location for An Officer and a Gentleman

 Getting around:  **Taxi**  Meter/minimum fare ·  **Rideshare**  not available

TOP THINGS TO DO

- **Fort Worden Historical State Park** — A 433-acre former Army base built starting in 1897, famous as the filming location of An Officer and a Gentleman.
- **Victorian Historic District Walk** — Water Street's 1880s Romanesque brick blocks and the residential uptown bluff hold one of America's finest collections...
- **Jefferson Museum of Art and History** — Housed in the stunning 1892 City Hall on Water Street, this museum covers Port Townsend's Victorian boom, Native...
- **Whale Watching Cruise** — The Salish Sea around Port Townsend is prime territory for orcas, humpbacks, gray and minke whales, plus seals and sea...
- **Point Wilson Beach & Lighthouse (Fort Worden)** — Where the Strait of Juan de Fuca meets Puget Sound — a dramatic, windswept beach with views of Mount Baker, Whidbey...

BEST WALKS

- **Water Street & Uptown Victorian Loop** 1.5 miles | 45-60 min | Easy with one steep hill — Start at Union Wharf and head north along Water Street through the historic commercial district.
- **Downtown to Point Hudson** 0.8 miles one way | 15 min | Flat — A pleasant flat stroll north from Union Wharf along the waterfront to Point Hudson Marina — home of the Wooden Boat Foundation, where...

WEATHER · DAYLIGHT · MONEY

 **CLIMATE (AVG °F · RAINY DAYS)**

Mon	High	Low	Rain
Apr	54°	43°	15d
Jun	65°	53°	12d
Aug	71°	59°	7d
Sep	65°	54°	11d
Oct	57°	49°	14d

 **DAYLIGHT &  MONEY**

Apr 6:20AM–8:01PM · Jun 5:10AM–9:12PM · Aug 6:06AM–8:23PM · Sep 6:48AM–7:22PM · Oct 7:31AM–6:21PM

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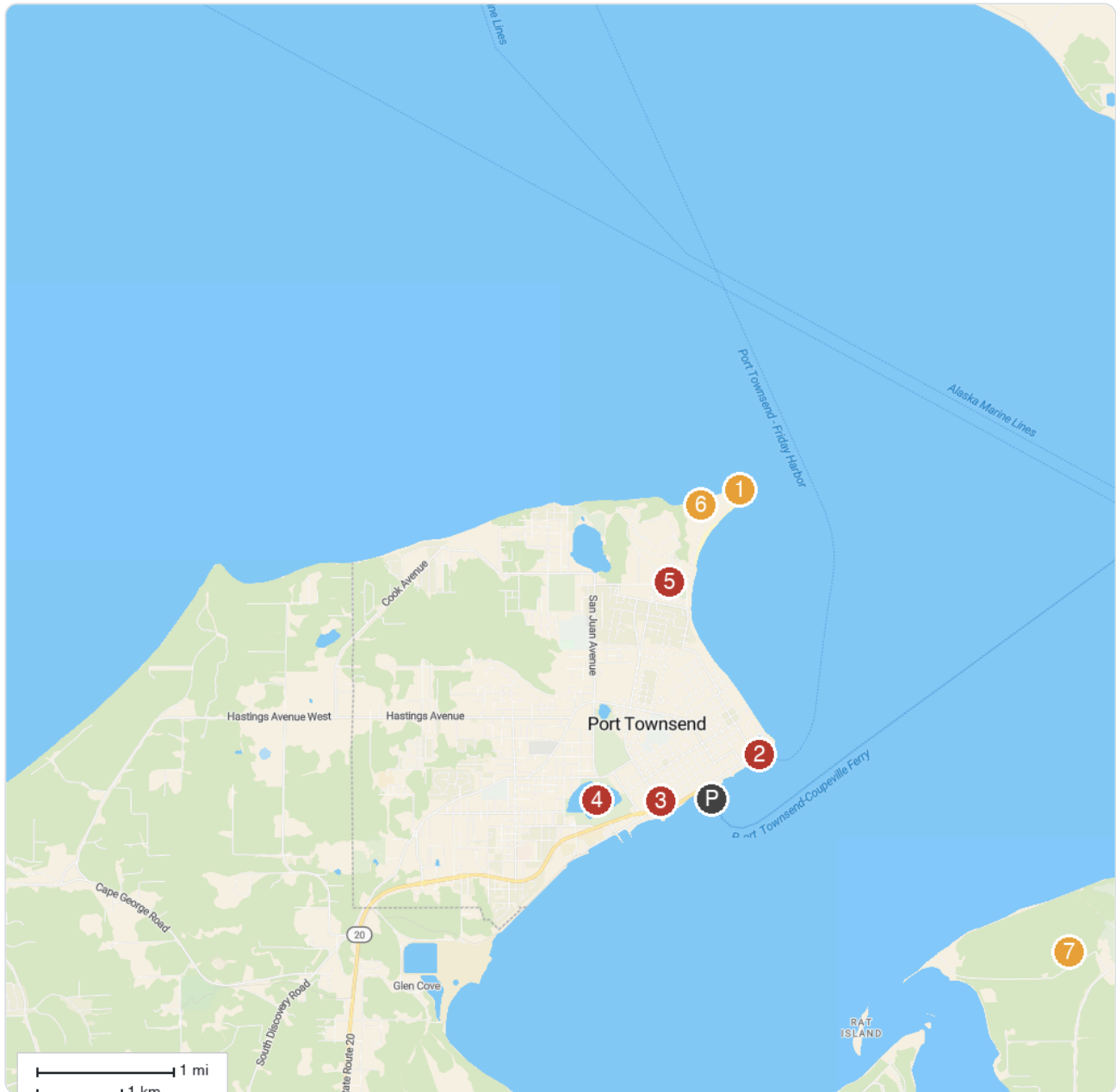
KNOW BEFORE YOU GO

- Dress in layers, always. Port Townsend sits in the Olympic Mountains' rain shadow and gets far less rain than Seattle, but it's

Port Townsend, Washington, USA — Port Map

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Red = walkable sights · Amber = excursions farther out · P = cruise terminal. Numbers match the order you'd typically visit.



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| 1 Point Wilson Lighthouse | Historic lighthouse marking the entrance to Admiralty Inlet. | 2 Northwest Maritime | Center for maritime education, boatbuilding, and waterfront activities. |
| 3 County Courthouse Park | Historic park surrounding the Jefferson County Courthouse. | 4 Kah Tai | Nature park with a lagoon, trails, and birdwatching. |
| 5 Puget Sound Coast Artillery Museum | Museum showcasing Puget Sound's historic coast artillery defenses. | 6 Battery Kinzie | Historic concrete gun battery from Fort Worden's coastal defenses. |
| 7 Fort Flagler Historical State Park | Historic fort and state park with beaches and camping. | P Cruise port / terminal | |