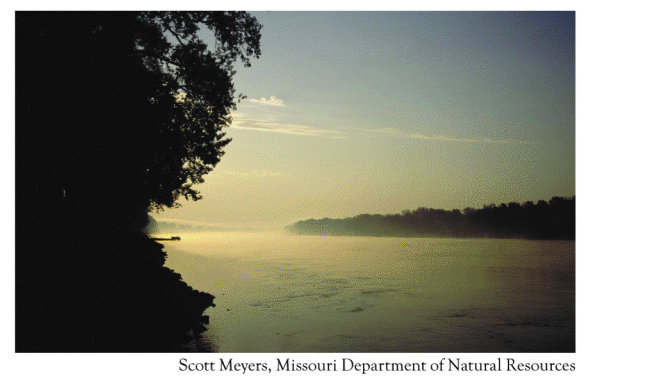


Two hundred years ago, the Corps of Discovery set out across Missouri. While here, they wrote of grand adventures and scenes of stunning beauty in their journals. But from their Missouri River vantage point, Lewis and Clark got only a hint of what lay beyond the riverbanks.

Today, you can explore the Missouri they could only imagine. Enjoy first-class hotels, professional sports, museums, amusement parks and more in our metropolitan areas. Discover historic communities, float clear Ozark streams and lose yourself in the wide variety of music our state inspires.

There's something for every taste. Sample Kansas City barbecue, Italian delights from The Hill in St. Louis, home-grown produce and the incredible flavors of colorful regional festivals.

Pack up your travel journal and your spirit of adventure, and immerse yourself in Missouri.



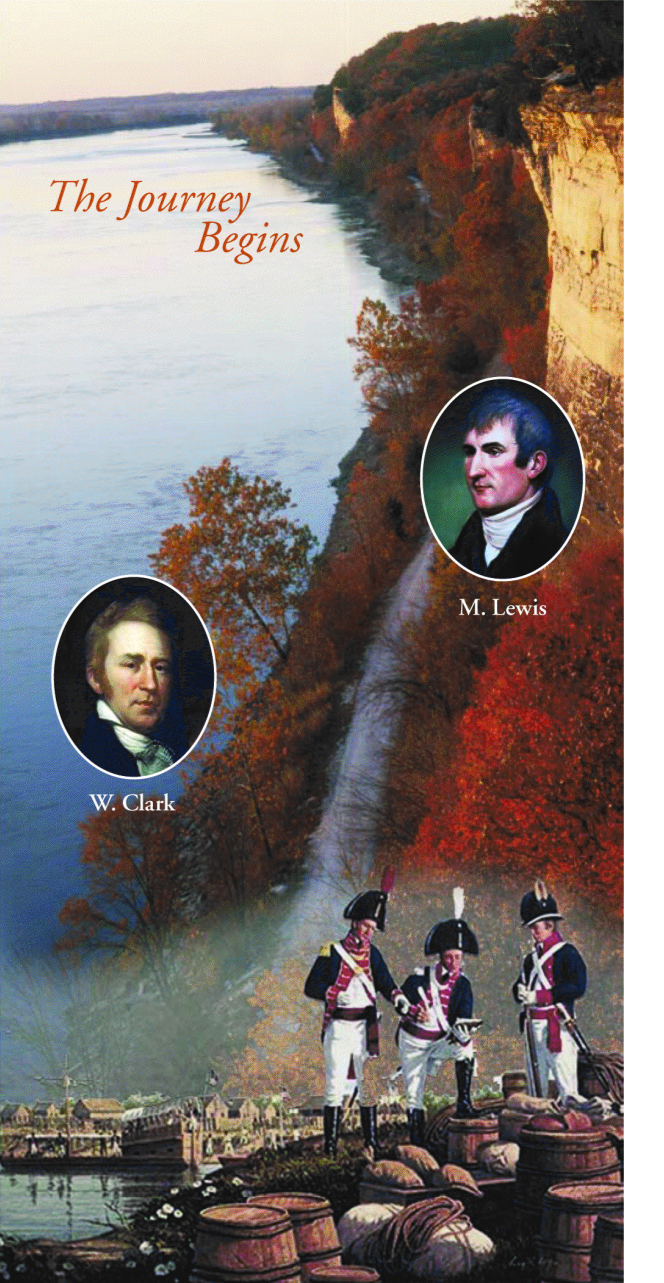
Scott Meyers, Missouri Department of Natural Resources

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800-222-6400

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The Journey Begins



The Hilldens enjoy opening day of trout season at Bennett Spring State Park, which is one of the 83 state parks and historic sites that make up Missouri's award-winning park system.

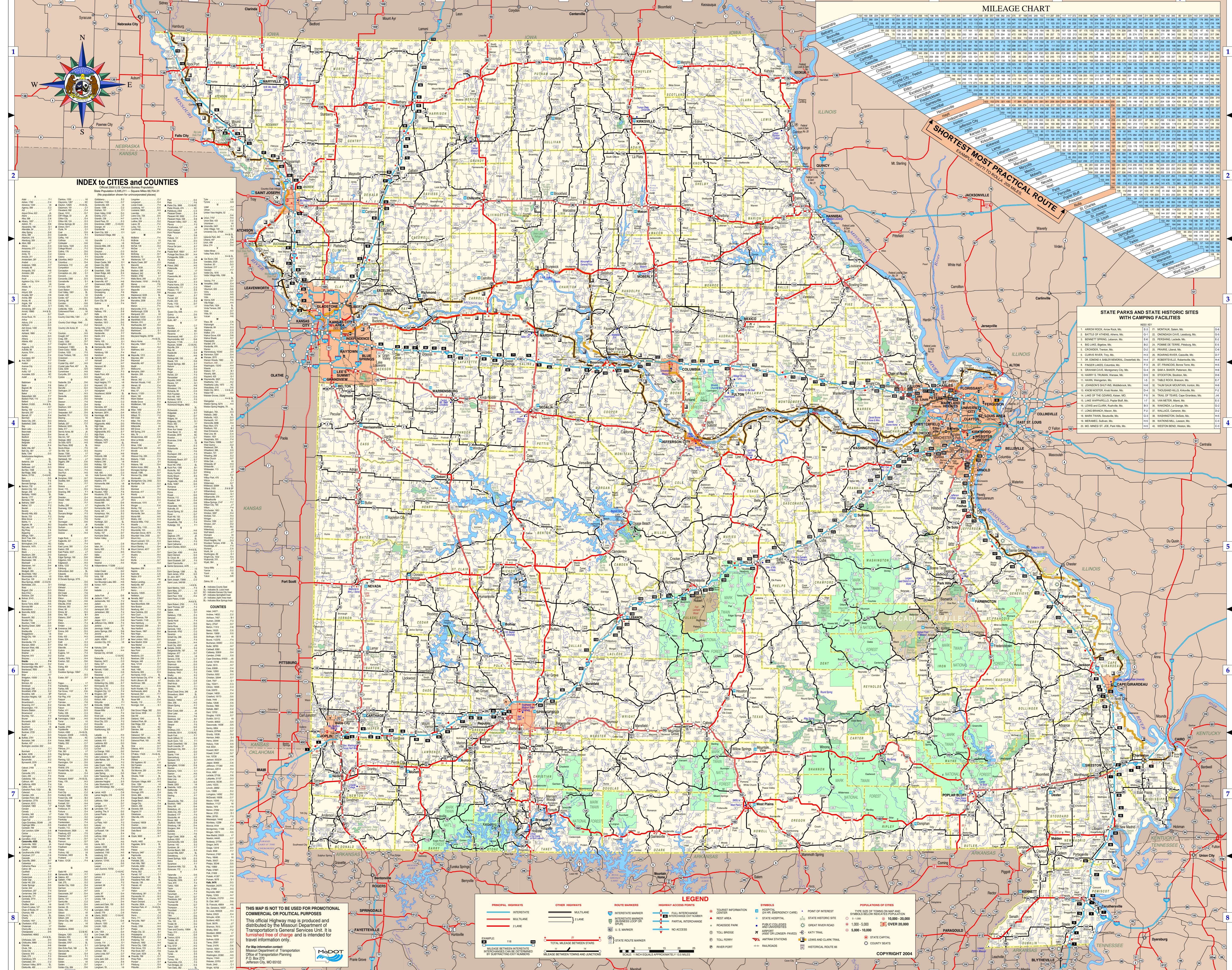
Greetings! Missouri has always beckoned to explorers of all ages, and with this latest edition of the official Missouri highway map, we celebrate the bold vision of Thomas Jefferson and his intrepid explorers, William Clark and Meriwether Lewis. As they and the Corps of Discovery journeyed across our state in the early 1800s seeking a Northwest Passage to the Pacific Ocean, they beheld the scenic beauty and wonder of the Show Me State.

Today, motorists can recreate the steps of the Corps of Discovery or traverse our highways and byways to create their own special journey. Lewis and Clark's explorations ignited the country's spirit and launched Missouri as the gateway to the west.

Whether you're following the Lewis and Clark Trail or blazing your own, Missouri offers a diverse landscape ranging from prairies to modern cities. Today, you can explore the great state that expedition member Charles Floyd termed "[A] Battall of a peal of Land as ever I saw."

So whether you're here for a short while or here to stay, use this map to discover all Missouri has to offer. From the confluence of the Missouri and Mississippi rivers on the east to the western-most borders, the Show Me State does not disappoint.

Bob Holden
Governor



INDEX to CITIES and COUNTIES

Table listing cities and counties in Missouri with their corresponding map grid coordinates. It includes a population column and a note: 'Population shown for incorporated places. No population shown for unincorporated places.' The table is organized by county and lists major cities within each.

MILEAGE CHART

A mileage chart table showing distances between various Missouri cities. The cities listed include Alton, Ash Grove, Atchison, and many others. The chart provides distances in miles for routes between these locations.

STATE PARKS AND STATE HISTORIC SITES WITH CAMPING FACILITIES

A table listing state parks and historic sites in Missouri, along with their camping facilities. The table includes the name of the site, its location, and whether it offers camping facilities.

LEGEND

A legend section defining symbols and colors used on the map. It includes categories for: Principal Highways (Interstate, Multilane, 2 Lane), Other Highways (Multilane, 2 Lane), Route Markers (Interstate Marker, Interstate Marker Number, U.S. Marker, State Route Marker), Highway Access Points (Full Interchange, Partial Interchange, No Access), Symbols (Tourist Information Center, Rest Area, Amusement Park, etc.), Populations of Cities (Size of towns on map and symbols below markers for population ranges), and other features like State Capitals, County Seats, and Historical Route 66.

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