



# THE FOLDED MAP MARSHALLTOWN, IA

## What makes it great

Marshalltown is one of Iowa's best-kept biker secrets. No matter which direction you decide to roam, there are endless fields and breathtaking valleys for your two-wheeled riding pleasure. And the hometown friendliness underscored with the steady hum of bikers who live here makes it a peaceful getaway where you immediately feel like you belong.

## Top motorcycle events in the area

F&J Racing's Blessing of the Bikes,  
Iowa Freedom Rally, Conesville Redneck Revival

## Biker-friendly establishments

**Bar:** Calvin Rockett Bar & Grill

**Restaurant:** Taylor's Maid-Rite

**Lodging:** Laid Back Manor Biker Bed and Breakfast

## Quintessential local cuisine

Loose meat sandwiches, roadside sweet corn, fried pork tenderloin sandwiches

## Dealerships in the area

Zylstra Harley-Davidson (Ames), Big Barn Harley-Davidson (Des Moines), Indian Motorcycle of Des Moines, F&J Racing (Marshalltown)

## Motorcycle-related attractions

Bubba Sorenson's Freedom Rocks, Clean Dean's *Easyriders* Bank

## Local rides

Six miles east of Marshalltown is Marshall and Three Bridges County Park, where you can take US-30 west towards Ames for a stop at Ledges State Park. Go south on I-35 until you reach Cumming Road. Ride south through the amazing valley to US-169 south which takes you to the John Wayne Birthplace Museum in Winterset. You can also explore the Covered Bridges of Madison County in that area. Head east on IA-5/92 to IA-14 north which takes you right back to Marshalltown.



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