## **EXPLORE MILE SQUARE PARK, THE SANTA ANA RIVER TRAIL, HUNTINGTON BEACH, NEWPORT BEACH & MUCH MORE!**





### A. Santa Ana River

The Santa Ana River begins 75 miles away in San Bernardino County, CA, in the San Bernardino National Forest and reaches its end between Huntington Beach and Newport Beach, spilling into the Pacific. Despite much of the river being channelized in recent times, it still represents one of the largest river systems in Southern California.

#### B. Moon Park (Apollo 11 tribute)

Commemorating the 1969 Moon landing, Moon Park features a 30-foot cratered concrete dome replicating the Moon's surface. Take a break to cool off and relax in this out-of-this-world area!

#### **C. Fairview Park**

The park hosts animal and plant habitat restorations, annual fish fries, and other community events - including model train rides operated every third weekend of the month by the Orange County Model Engineers.

#### **D. Le Bard Park**

A charming family park used for little league baseball games on the 6 baseball diamonds. Looking for something spookier? Near the park, bordering the Santa Ana River is a large wooden bridge, rumored to be haunted – visitors report hearing whispers while on the bridge and an ice-cold wind that prevented them from crossing at all!

#### E. Harbor Soaring Society Airfield

Model airplanes have soared the skies above Fairview Field since 1964, when the land was still just bluffs. The tradition is still alive in the form of plane competitions, children's flying lessons, and educational events. Keep an eye out for classic planes flown at the field by veteran pilots!

#### **F. Talbert Nature Preserve**

Part botanical garden, part wildlife refuge, part recreational center – this is more than just a nature preserve! The park is separated into 6 zones, based on the plants naturally occurring in the area, including "Coastal Strand" and "Native Grassland."

#### **G. Huntington State Beach**

This family friendly beach is connected to Huntington City Beach, popular for bicycling, surfing, body boarding, skating and surf fishing. The beach also has fire rings for bonfires. At the southern end, across Pacific Coast Highway, are the Huntington Beach Wetlands, operated by the Department of Fish and Game.

#### H. Newport Island

As you ride into Newport Beach, you are actually on an island in the Pacific Ocean. This island reflects the vibrant Southern California lifestyle, with stunning views, golden sandy beaches, and warm ocean breezes.

#### I. Newport Beach Pier

The Newport Beach pier is a whirlwind of activity. People of all ages flock here to enjoy the scenery or visit shops and restaurants near the pier.

#### J. Newport Municipal Beach

Newport Beach offers fine, soft sand with plenty of room to enjoy yourself. Surfers, swimmers, and sunbathers bask in the warmth of beautiful Southern California. Pelicans and seagulls also enjoy the year-round climate.

#### K. Balboa Pier / Balboa Beach

Balboa Beach includes a playground, public restrooms, and lots to see and do. Take the Balboa Ferry across the Bay to Balboa Island for shopping, eateries, and more.

#### L. Peninsula Park

Near Balboa Pier, this park is the perfect place to take a break, with picnic tables, play area, restrooms, gazebo, athletic field, and views of the beach.





Santa Ana River Trail

Native Bird, Talbert Nature Preserve



Newport Beach



#### 1. Perry's Pizza

Sicilian style pizzas and prime rib shine at this family-owned pizzeria, offering glasses of wine and iconic milk jugs of draft beer.

21411 Brookhurst Street, Huntington Beach, CA 92646

#### 2. Newport Beach Corner Café and Market

Grab a sandwich and an iced coffee, or choose from a wide array of packaged snacks and bottled drinks. Open for breakfast, lunch, and dinner! 6710 W Coast Hwy, Newport Beach, CA 92663

#### 3. Dorv Deli

Near the Newport Beach pier. Much more than your typical deli! 2108 W Oceanfront, Newport Beach (949) 220-7886

#### 4. Tacos Cancun Restaurant

Comfort food, small plates and great tacos, right by the Balboa pier. 707 W Oceanfront (949) 673-1730

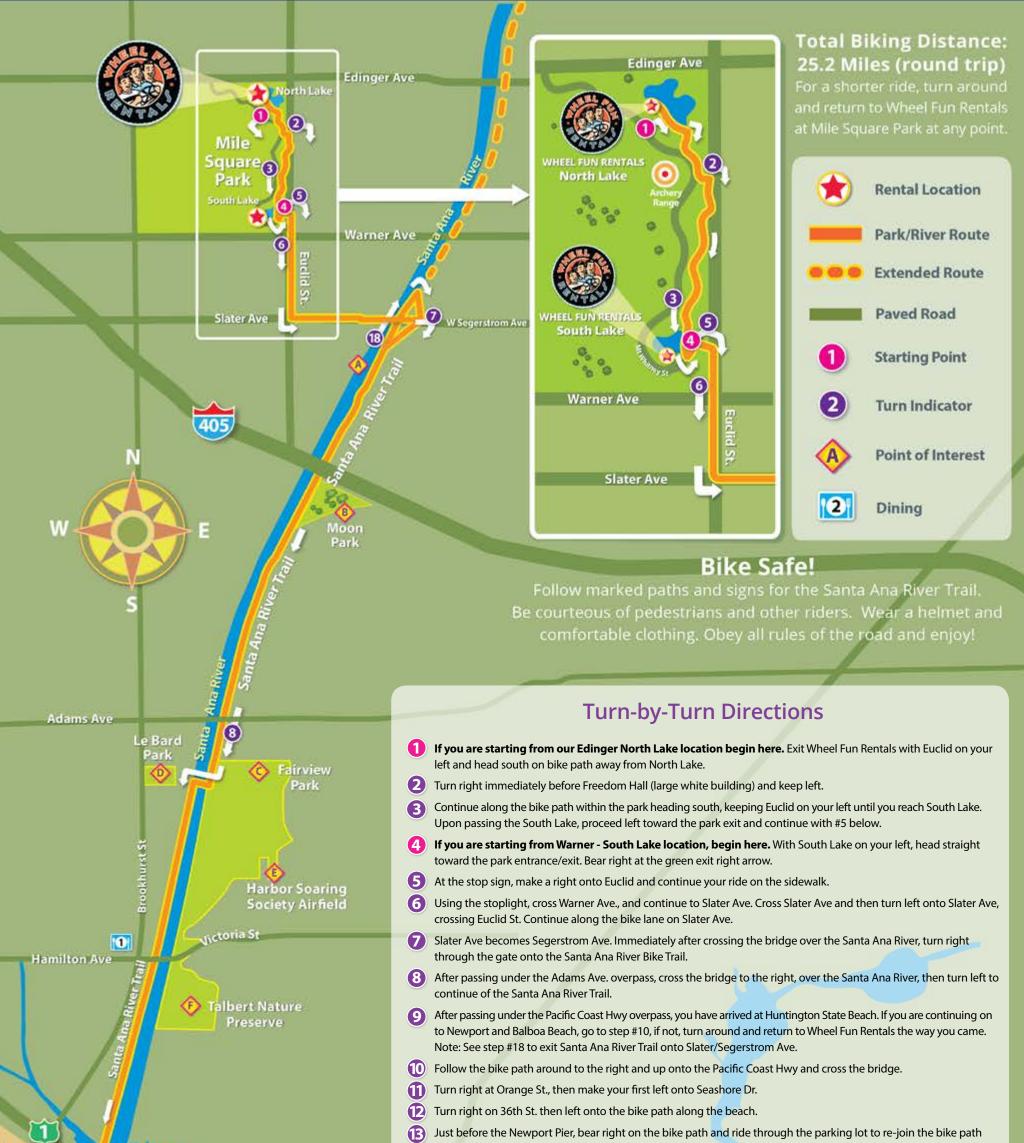


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past the pier plaza at the end after the pier.

[4] After passing Balboa Pier, continue on the bike path to B St. (end at Peninsula Park). Turn around and ride back the way to came to 36th St.

5 Turn Right on 36th St., then left on Seashore Dr.

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**Balboa** Pier & Beach

16 Turn right onto Orange St., then left onto the sidewalk on the left side of Pacific Coast Hwy.

Immediately after the bridge, rejoin the Santa Ana River Trail back the way you came to Wheel Fun Rentals. 17

**1**8) To rejoin the route from the Santa Ana River Trail, cross under Slater/Segerstrom overpass and turn 180 degrees up the ramp, then turn right immediately on Segerstrom. Continue the way you came, back to Wheel Fun Rentals.

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Port Balboa Bike Trail