

TRAVELING TO

Mackinac Island

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Flight Information



PELLSTON REGIONAL AIRPORT (PLN)

About 15 miles south of the Mackinaw City ferry docks, is the *nearest* airport served by commercial airlines. From Pellston you can take a shuttle to the ferry dock.

Pellston Airport to Mackinaw Grand Transportation information

Mackinaw Shuttle has an office based inside Pellston Regional Airport. A shuttle schedule is not yet posted, as it operates based on flight schedules. Reservations can be made individually or as a group. However, it is recommended to not book the shuttle to Mackinaw City more than a month in advance because the shuttle times fluctuate due to changes with flight times.

CHIPPEWA COUNTY INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT (CIU)

About 30 minutes north of the St. Ignace ferry docks, has non-stop service from Minneapolis and Detroit.

Chippewa County International Airport Transportation Services

Shuttle services or rental cars are available from the Chippewa Airport to the St. Ignace ferry docks.

OTHER AIRPORTS

- Cherry Capital Airport (TVC) in Traverse City (approx. 2-hour drive to Mackinaw City)
- Capital Region International Airport (LAN) in Lansing (approx. 3½ -hour drive to Mackinaw City)
- Gerald R. Ford International Airport (GRR) in Grand Rapids (approx. 4-hour drive to Mackinaw City)
- Detroit Metro Airport (DTW) in Detroit (approx. 4-hour drive to Mackinaw City)

Ferry Information

Ferries to Mackinac Island depart from St. Ignace (at the north end of the bridge) or Mackinaw City (at the south end of the bridge).

Two ferry companies service Mackinac Island out of both Mackinaw City and St. Ignace.

- [Mackinac Island Ferry Company](#)
- [Shepler's Mackinac Island Ferry](#)

If you have a car, both ferry companies offer overnight parking for customers, with different options and pricing depending on the kind of parking you prefer.

Transportation on the Island



Because Mackinac Island is car-free by law, most people get around on foot, bicycle, or horse-drawn taxi.

The whole island only covers 3.8 square-miles, and many of the most popular restaurants and attractions are right downtown.