

Where Legends Meet

Some of America's most legendary figures traveled this territory, including Lewis and Clark, Sakakawea, Sitting Bull, and Theodore Roosevelt. Today, Watford City and the surrounding area offer legendary travel experiences. Modern-day explorers can put some miles on their hiking boots in the pristine Theodore Roosevelt National Park, make a splash in a kayak on Lake Sakakawea or Tobacco Gardens Marina & Reosrt, or time travel to Fort Union Trading Post and the earthlodge villages of the Mandan, Hidatsa, and Arikara people.

The McKenzie County Tourism team makes meeting and event planning easier with:

- Connection to local vendor services
- Promotion of your meeting or event
- Supplemental marketing materials (i.e., restaurant, shopping, and hotel information; visitor guides and maps)
- McKenzie County swag (pens, lapel pins, notebooks, etc.) for your guests
- Creation of special activities like pub crawls and park tours
- Promotional e-newsletter for your guests featuring event highlights, hotels and dining, and area attractions
- Customized online coupons and community scavenger hunts



Why Watford City?

Meeting planners know that a successful event demands more than just a great place to meet. McKenzie County offers exceptional meetings spaces, new hotels, state-of-the-art audio-visual capabilities, affordable rates, and remarkable places to discover and explore.



On the western edge of North Dakota, Watford City is centrally located between the Canadian border, the South Dakota border and 50 miles from the Montana. Watford City also has a municipal airport for private planes, and nearby jet service is available in Williston, Dickinson, and Minot, North Dakota or nearby Sidney, Montana.



Watford City offers more than 700 comfortable rooms in hotels that include amenities such as fitness centers, meeting rooms, pools, business centers, on-site dining and lounges, free wifi, and complimentary breakfasts.





Watford City offers dozens of facilities to accommodate meetings and events of all sizes, including weddings, meets, tournaments and exhibitions.



Legendary Spaces

Meeting Venues

There are endless reasons to meet in McKenzie County. From a centrally located, state of the art Rough Rider Center, in Watford City and robust hotel offerings to diverse venues and unparalleled pre- and post-event options, our destination has the infrastructure and appeal you need to make your meeting a success.

ROUGH RIDER CENTER

The Rough Rider Center offers exceptional design features, state of the art audio-visual capabilities, affordable rates, remarkable vistas, and comprehensive meeting planning services to create professional and memorable events.

With more than 270,000 square feet, the Rough Rider Center accommodates events and expos of all sizes. As western North Dakota's premier event center, this facility welcomes large-scale conferences, meetings and corporate events, weddings and private holiday gatherings.

- Banquet facilities for up to 400 people
- Conference and meeting space for up to 1,000 people
- Space may be configured in up to five various rooms



CIVIC CENTER HALL

Capacity: 300 | 701-444-2533

Kitchen available to rent

LITTLE MISSOURI INN & SUITES

Capacity: 140 | 701-842-6262

www.watfordcitylmis.com

FOX HILLS GOLF & COUNTRY CLUB

Capacity: 25 - 95 | 701-842-2074

Banquet and Catering www.foxhillsgc.com

TEDDY'S RESIDENTIAL SUITES

Seating: 12, 24 & 120 | 701-842-6480

www.watforcitytrs.com

TOBACCO GARDENS RESORT & MARINA

Capacity: **75** | 701-842-4199

Outdoor catering for 200 www.tobaccogardens.com

EAGLES CLUB

Capacity: 200 | 701-842-3340

Must be over 21

LONG X VISITOR CENTER

Capacity: 20 | 701-444-2990

MCKENZIE COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY

Capacity: 10 | 701-444-3785

OUTLAWS BAR & GRILL

Capacity: 15, 40 & 325 | 701-842-6859

Board room, Meeting room, Banquet facility & Catering available | www.outlawsbarngrill.com

VETERANS MEMORIAL BUILDING

Capacity: 1,400 standing & 665 seated

701-444-2533

MCKENZIE COUNTY HERITAGE PARK

Capacity: 100 | 701-842-6434

Interior and exterior space is available for meetings, weddings, family reunions, etc. www.facebook.com/mckenziecoheritagepark

Comfort Inn & Suites

Capacity: 25 | 701-842-6565

Catering: outside food & beverages are permitted Meeting Amenities: TV, whiteboard, free coffee,

tea, and juice





Sports

Watford City is designed with tournaments in mind featuring on-site concessions, catering, coffee shops, and an aquatic center.

ROUGH RIDER CENTER

The Rough Rider Center is one of the best sports facilities in the region.

- 3 full-size volleyball courts
- 3 full-size basketball courts
- Fieldhouse with (2) coin operated batting cages
- Indoor soccer field with artificial turf
- Outdoor soccer field

- Baseball diamond
- Football field
- Two NHL regulation size hockey rinks (arena and bleacher seating)
- Roller skating rink

- Six-lane competition pool
- Roller derby arena
- Gymnastics center
- Rock climbing wall
- Indoor basketball



FOX HILLS GOLF COURSE

A public 18-hole course featuring five tee boxes, restaurant, lounge with beautiful vistas overlooking the course.

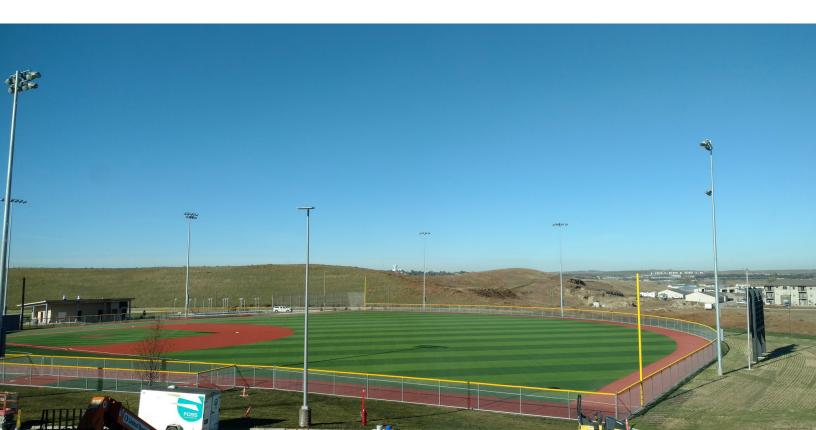
MCKENZIE COUNTY MULTI-PURPOSE BUILDING

Offering 30,000 square feet of multi-use space, this facility is comprised of an indoor arena and stages perfect for rodeos, fairs, shows and activities. A heated concession area is available.

MCKENZIE COUNTY ATHLETIC PARK

Watford City Park and Rec creates recreational opportunities offering parks and ball fields throughout the community. The Athletic Park features five softball fields, two smaller baseball fields, one large and one small pavilion, an age 2-5 playground and an age 5-12 playground, challenge obstacle course, wheelchair adaptable swing, two soccer/football fields, concessions, and restrooms.





Legendary Hospitality

Dining

To fully experience Watford City as a destination, incorporate local flavors into your event. Join us for tasty treats, eats and sips. Restaurant selections offer fine dining to casual eateries and busy cocktail bars.

BARS & GRILLS

AMERICAN LEGION

125 Main St. N | 701.444.3594 Gaming | Music | 21+

AMERICAN SMOKE WAGON

109 6th Ave. SE St. 500 | 701.842.6790 *Catering available*

CITY BAR

117 Main St. N | 701.444.4287 Pool Tables | Darts | 21+ | Gaming

EAGLES CLUB

125 Main St. S | 701.842.3340 Gaming | 21+

FOX HOLE

3104 Hwy 23 E | 701.842.2074 Lunch | Dinner | Full bar | Gaming

JL BEERS

101 Main St. S | 701.444.2015 Burgers | Beer | 21+

LITTLE MISSOURI GRILLE

601 2nd Ave. SW | 701.444.6315 Breakfast all day | Burgers | Salad Bar | *Catering available*





OUTLAW'S BAR & GRILL

120 Main St. N | 701.842.6859 Steaks | Salads | Burgers | Full Bar Catering available

OUTSIDER'S BAR & GRILL

905 3rd Ave. SW | 701.842.2693 | Gaming Burgers | Sandwiches | Salads | Bar

STONEHOME BREWING

313 Fox Hills Parkway | 701.444.2337 Pizza | Pasta | Beer

TEDDY'S LOUNGE

113 9th Ave. SE | 701.842.6480 Lunch | Dinner | Full Bar | Gaming

THE LOUNGE AT THE WATFORD

810 3rd Ave. SE | 701.842.6800 21+

TOKYO JAPANESE STEAKHOUSE

105 9th Ave. SE | 701.842.3888 Steakhouse & Sushi | Full Bar





PIZZA & DELIS

CASHWISE DELI

113 6th Ave. SE | 701.842.2519 Hot & Cold Deli

D&M'S OFFICE

115 Main St. N | 701.842.6132 Pizza | 21+ | Gaming

CORNER KITCHEN

3408 4th Ave. NE | 701.444.2971 Homestyle Meals | Subs | Salads

GODFATHER'S PIZZA EXPRESS

107 8th Ave. SE | 701.842.3704 Pizza & Deli

CENEX FOOD STOP

501 6th Ave. SE | 701.444.3639 Pizza | Subs | Salads | Deli

KUM & GO

124 Main St. S | 701.842.4119 Pizza & Deli

PIZZA PIE ON THE FLY

1005 Main St. S | 701.651.6732

SMILING MOOSE DELI

1005 Main St. S, Ste 104 | 701.444.3354 Soups | Sandwiches | Salads Burgers | Breakfast | *Catering available*

COFFEE & BAKERIES

CARIBOU COFFEE

113 6th Ave. SE | 701.842.2519

DOOR 204

204 Main St. N | 701.842.6447 Coffee & Espresso

LATTE DA — DRIVE-UP ESPRESSO

720 4th St. S | 701.842.3031 112 Main St. S | 701.842.4690

MEG-A-LATTE COFFEE SHOP

106 6th Ave. SE | 701-444-3505



SPECIALTY CRAVINGS

BURRITOS BROS.

113 S Main St. | 701.444.2002 Burritos | Salads | *Catering available*

LOS SAGUAROS

2008 Main St. | 701.444.4285 Authentic Mexican Food Catering available

SLOWRIDE

361 N Main St. | 701.444.MARG (6274) Street Tacos | Southwestern Cuisine

THE DAKOTAN

604 2nd Ave. SW | 701.842.2595

TOMATE MEXICAN GRILLE

722 Main St. N | 310.351.82723 Carne Asada | Tacos | Burritos | Tortas

SIX SHOOTERS' SHOWHALL AND CAFE

120 Main St. N | 701.842.6683 Movie Theater | Sandwiches

HARDEES

104 9th Ave. SE | 701.805.0750

SUBWAY

105 9th Ave. SE | 701.842.6966

SLEZAK BAKKEN BBQ & BAKERY

104 Prospect St. | 701.580.7342 Grab & Go Hot Food | Bakery Food supplier | Catering & Personal chef available

Q'S KITCHEN

12599 Zoe Rd. | 701.444.3663 Grab & Go Hot Food | *Catering available*



Lodging

At the end of the day, your guests can unwind in comfort in a choice of lodging options.



LITTLE MISSOURI INN & SUITES

109 9th Ave. SE, Watford City | 701.842.6262 Indoor pool, Continental breakfast, Meeting rooms www.watfordcitylmis.com

ROOSEVELT INN & SUITES

600 2nd Ave. SW, Watford City | 800.887.9170 Indoor pool, Continental breakfast, Meeting rooms www.rooseveltinn.com

THE WATFORD HOTEL

810 3rd Ave. SW, Watford City | 701.842.6800 On-site lounge, Continental breakfast, Meeting rooms www.thewatford.com

MCKENZIE INN

132 3rd St. SW, Watford City | 701.444.3980 www.mckenzieinn.net

TEDDY'S RESIDENTIAL SUITES

113 9th Ave. SE, Watford City | 701.842.6480 On-site lounge, Spa, Meeting rooms www.watfordcitytrs.com

COMFORT INN & SUITES

600 3rd Ave. SW, Watford City | 701.842.6565 Continental breakfast, Meeting room www.choicehotels.com/nd055

WOODSPRING SUITES

4005 Frontier Ave. Watford City | 701.842.3130 Extended stay www.woodspring.com

MAINSTAY SUITES

222 Prairie Hills Rd., Watford City | 701.444.4002 Fitness center, Free American breakfast, Free Wi-Fi www.choicehotels.com

BLACK GOLD SUITES

3617 6th Ave. NE, Watford City | 855.784.8375 Daily hot breakfast, Free Wifi, Fitness center www.blackgoldsuites.com



Beyond Your Event

Can't Miss Day Trips

When your guests are ready to unwind, Watford City provides big-city amenities and comforts with small-town hospitality and attention. Choose from dozens of restaurants featuring everything from steaks to sushi, busy cocktail bars and an energetic downtown filled with boutiques and shops. But first, plan to see some of the sites in the area!

- 1 Long X Trading Post
 - Visitor Information Center & Pioneer Museum of McKenzie County
 - Wild West Water Park
 - Children's Play Water Park
 - McKenzie County Heritage Park
 - Rough Rider Center
- 2 The Lewis & Clark Trail Museum
- 3 Fairview Liftbridge and Cartwright Tunnel
- 4 Sather Dam
- 5 Theodore Roosevelt National Park, North Unit
- 6 Walter Chaloner Memorial
- 7 Maah Daah Hey Trailhead & CCC Campground
- 8 Grassy Butte: The Old Sod Post Office National Historic Site
- 9 Little Missouri State Park

- Missouri-Yellowstone Confluence Interpretive Center Fort Union Trading Post National Historic Site and Fort Buford
- 11 Tobacco Gardens Resort & Marina
- 12 Earthlodge Village & Mandan, Hidatsa, Arikara Nation Interpretive Center
- 13 Theodore Roosevelt National Park Scenic Byway
- 4 Kildeer Mountain Four Bears Scenic Byway
- Birnt Hill Trail & Little Missouri National Grasslands



More Information

Book Your Event

For information about venues, hotels and meeting planning services, connect with us at:

www.visitwatfordcity.com/TravelPlanner | info@visitwatfordcity.com 800-701-2804 | 701-444-5804

Complimentary services include:

- Transportation assistance
- Tours
- Lodging recommendations Bid preparation assistance
- Visitor information packets
- Tailored visitor experience planning



Our Team

McKenzie County has a team of experts ready to help you plan your event and connect you with the resources you need.

The McKenzie County Tourism team works closely with the following community organizations and businesses to ensure a memorable visitor experience.

- McKenzie County and Watford City Economic Development
- Watford City Area Chamber of Commerce
- Long X Arts Foundation
- McKenzie County Job Development Authority
- Watford City Parks and Recreation
- McKenzie County School District #1
- Theodore Roosevelt National Park
- McKenzie County 4-H and Extension

This Meeting & Event Planner Guide is created in partnership with McKenzie County Tourism. Whether the team is sharing stories of the city or helping plan your next event, they reflect the city's values of respect, equity and diversity.



Watford City / McKenzie County Website www.VisitWatfordCity.com

For information on attractions, hotels, dining, shopping, meeting locations, and events in and around Watford City.



Experience Watford City App

Install our App on your smart phone and get all the information at VisitWatfordCity.com, plus deals and events at your fingertips.



Take a Virtual Tour of the City and County

www.VisitWatfordCity.com/VirtualTours

View videos, images, and interactive 360-degree tours of McKenzie County's signature attractions from the convenience of your home. Plan your next adventure while exploring everything from Watford City's restaurants to the vistas of TRNP.



Community Events Calendar www.WatfordCityEvents.com

Complete events calendar for Watford City and the County. Includes Chamber of Commerce, McKenzie County, McKenzie County Library, Rough Rider Center, Tourism, Watford City High School, and Watford City Parks & Rec. Filter by date, organization, or type of event.



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