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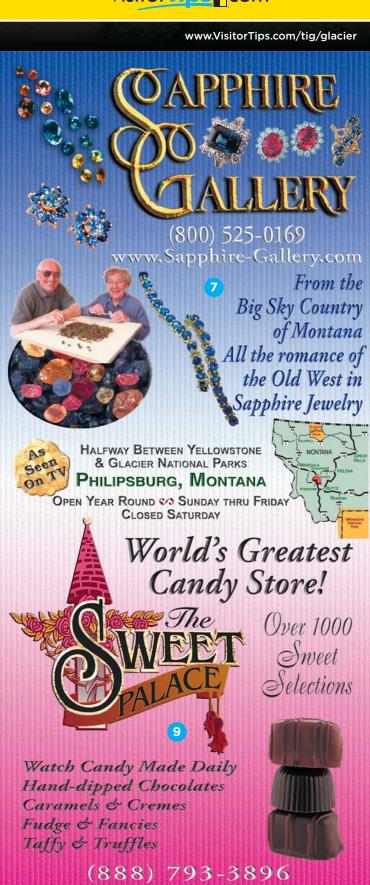
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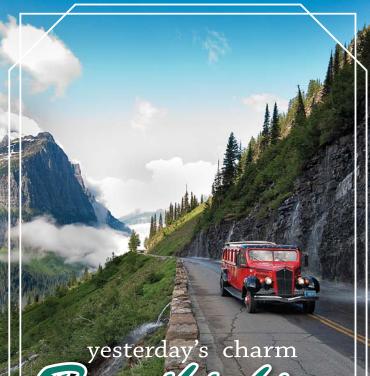
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#### **Going-to-the-Sun Road**

A scenic landmark crossing Glacier National Park between West Glacier and St. Mary. The 50-mile paved road was built in the 1930's and is considered a National Landmark. The road is narrow, steep and winding with pullouts for viewing. Travelers should plan to spend 2-3 hours to complete the distance. Inquire at Park entrance stations regarding construction delays and vehicle size restrictions.

#### **Museum of the Plains Indian** Rich collection of historic arts created by tribal people

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Coeur d'Alene241	Shelby126
Columbia Falls17	Spokane270
Great Falls195	St. Mary52
Kalispell 31	Waterton 95
Lethbridge176	West Yellowstone 392
Missoula136	Whitefish 25

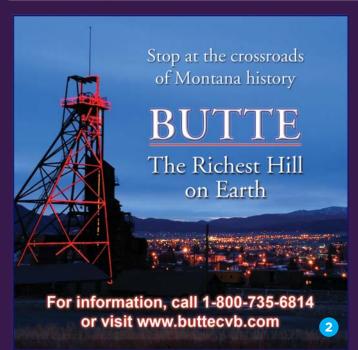
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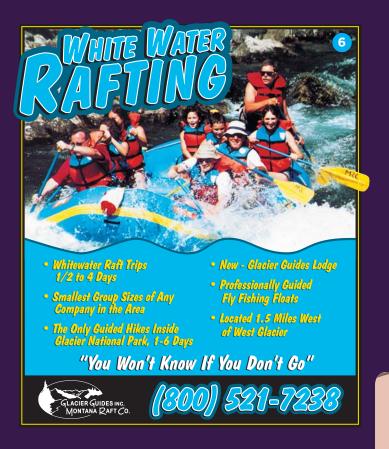
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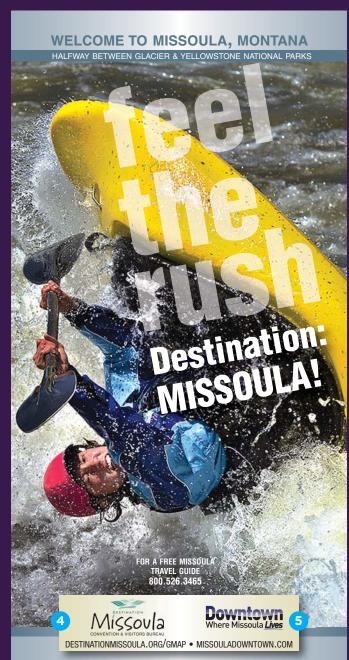
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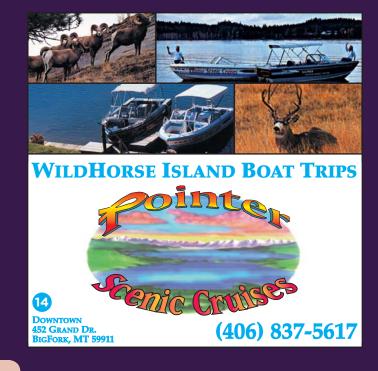
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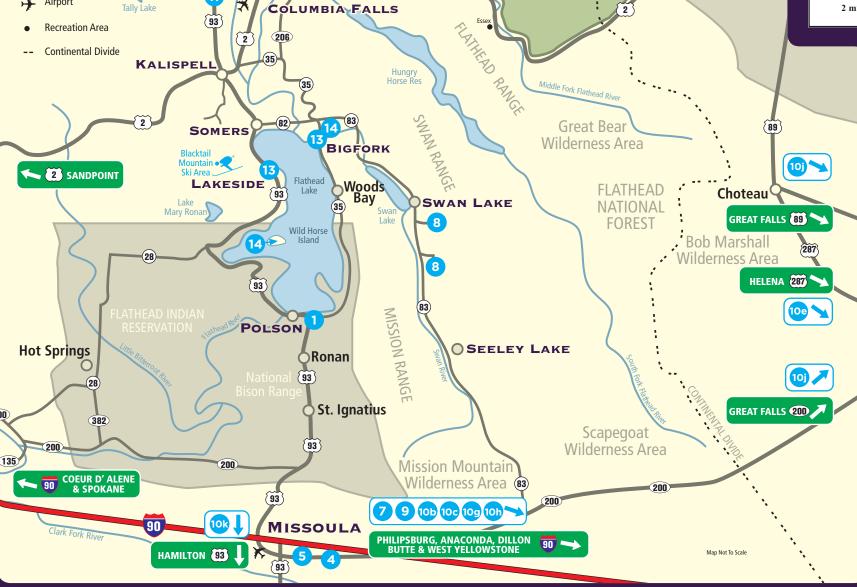
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