

Historic Sites of Miami-Dade



Look – Learn – Explore – Inspire PRESERVE

The Villagers' mission is to promote an appreciation of Miami's history. To continue this mission, we have compiled a links list pertinent to historical sites of Miami-Dade county. The resources are organized for easy access to motivate interest in the rich heritage of Miami.

This links list will assist educators and families to become more knowledgeable about historic sites throughout Miami-Dade county. With a point and a click one can easily determine which sites to investigate further, plan an outing to a core site and coordinate other places to visit and see along the way. The sites are set up by geographical area and plotted on the *Google Map Link* at the bottom of each page.

Many people drive by these places unaware of the historical significance. After learning more about these historic treasures the stories of their existence come to life, and a better understanding of the foundations of our heritage is created.

The Villagers encourage students, teachers, parents, community members and visitors to visit the historic sites of Miami-Dade and become inspired by the past pioneers. By appreciating the past we may become stewards of these historic relics preserving them for future generations to enjoy.



Miami Springs – Medley – Hialeah – Opa-locka

Glenn H. Curtiss Mansion and Gardens - curtissmansionblog.com

Hialeah Park and Race Course - hialeahparkracing.com

Clune-Stadnik Building

Other places to see...

Carl Adams House, Hunting Lodges, Clune Building

Lua Curtiss House I, Lua Curtiss House II

Osceola Apartment Hotel/Azure Villas

Millard-McCarty House

Hotel Country Club/Fairhavens Center

Warren Pony Swing Bridge

Parker Vertical Lift Bridge

www.miamisprings

Opa-locka Thematic Resource Area - en.wikipedia.org

Opa-locka City Hall - opalockafl.gov

Opa-locka Railroad Station

Harry Hurt Building

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North Miami Beach & Miami Shores

The Ancient Spanish Monastery - spanishmonastery.com

Miami Theater Center - mtcmiami.org

Arch Creek Park - northmiamihistory.com / miamidade.gov

Greynolds Park & Boathouse - miamidade.gov

The Surf Club - miamibeachsurfclub.com

Fontainebleau Hotel - fontainebleau.com

Eden Roc - edenrocmiami.com

The Forge - theforge.com

The Bath Club - thebathclub.com

The Grand Concourse - thegrandconcourse.com

Miami Beach Historic Districts - mdpl.org (great map)

Collins Waterfront Historic District

Pinetree Drive Historic Roadway

Morris Lapidus/Mid 20th Century Historic District - mimoonthebeach.com

Flamingo Waterway – North Beach Resort – Harding Townsite – Altos de Mar

Normandy Isle Historic District - mimoonthebeach.com

North Shore Historic District & Bandshell - mimoonthebeach.com

Ocean Terrace

North Beach Resort Historic District - mimoonthebeach.com

Other places to see...

Dade Boulevard Fire Station / Fire Station No. 2 - miamiartguide.com

69th Street Fire Station

Byron Carlyle Theater - miamibeachstage.org

Old Walgreen's at 6700 Collins Avenue

Biscayne Park Village Hall - biscayneparkfl.gov

William Jennings Elementary School - wjbryan.dadeschools.net
citynmb.com



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Miami Beach – South Beach – Mid Beach

Venetian Causeway – Ocean Drive – Lincoln Road – Collins Ave

Jewish Museum of Florida - jewishmuseum.com

Bass Art Museum - bassmuseum.org

The Wolfsonian / Washington Storage Building - wolfsonian.org

The Holocaust Memorial - holocaustmmb.org

Art Deco Welcome Center

Miami Design Preservation League - mdpl.org

Beach Patrol Headquarters - flickr.com

Lummus Park

Colony Theater - colonytheatremiamibeach.com

The Filmore at Jackie Gleason Theater - fillmoremb.com

Lincoln Road Mall - lincolnroadmall.com

Old Lincoln Theater/H & M - miamiherald.com

Miami Beach Botanical Garden - mbgarden.org

Miami Beach Historic Districts - mdpl.org (great map)

Ocean Beach – Flamingo Park – Espanola Way

Ocean Drive/Collins Ave – Museum – Palm View

Miami Beach Architectural District - nps.gov

Other places to see...

Essex House - essexhotel.com

Betsy Ross Hotel/The Betsy - thebetsyhotel.com

Amsterdam Palace/Versace Mansion/Casaurina - thevillabybartong.com

Fire Station No. 2 - www.miamiartguide.com

21st Street Recreation Center

Flagler Memorial and Monument Island

Friedman's Bakery / Manolo -

Washington Ave Post Office - traveler.nationalgeographic.com

Old Miami Beach City Hall - reel-scout.com

Miami Beach Cinematheque at Historic City Hall - mbcinema.com

1600 Lennox/Yardbird Southern Table & Bar - runchickenrun.com

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Brownsville – Liberty City – Lemon City – Little Haiti



Little Haiti Caribbean Marketplace - miaminewtimes.com

Hampton House - historichamptonhousemiami.com

Dr. DuPuis Medical Office and Drugstore - historicpreservationmiami.com

Magic City Park/Magic City Tourist Court - historicpreservationmiami.com

Eunice Watson Liberty House

Liberty Square Fragment - The Wall

NW 12th Avenue from NW 62 Street to NW 67th Street

Lindsey Residence

Laborer's Union Local 478 Building

Lemon City Cemetery - bloggingblackmiami.com

Miami Edison Senior High School currently Miami Edison Middle School -

miamiedisonohg.com

Masjid Al-Ansar - masjidalansar.8m.com

East Side – Palm Grove – Morningside

Bacardi Buildings & Museum - jetsetmodern.com

Bayside Historic District

Between Biscayne Bay and Biscayne Boulevard, NE 68th Street to NE 72nd Street

Miami Modern (MiMo) / Biscayne Boulevard Historic District

Biscayne Boulevard, from NE 50th Street to NE 77th Street

MiMo on BiBo - www.mimoboulevard.org

Coppertone Girl at 7300 Biscayne Boulevard

Morningside Historic District - historicpreservationmiami.com

Biscayne Boulevard and Biscayne Bay from NE 55th Street to NE 60th Street

Palm Grove Neighborhood Historic District - historicpreservationmiami.com

Bound on the north by the Little River, on the south by NE 58 Street,

on the east by Biscayne Boulevard and to the west F.E.C. Railway

Walter Flanders House - historicpreservationmiami.com

The Vagabond Motel - miamimodern.net

Gold Coast Pharmacy - historicpreservationmiami.com

Wolpert Apartments - historicpreservationmiami.com

Villa Paula - historicpreservationmiami.com

Cushman School - cushmanschool.org

Water Pump House/Beauty Temple - terencecantarella.com

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Overtown – Town Square



Lyric Theater – www.theblackarchives.org campaign to reopen
Black Police Precinct and Courthouse Museum - blackpoliceprecinctandcourthousemuseum.org
City of Miami Cemetery - miamigov.com

Other places to see...

Historic Overtown Folklife Village - theblackarchives.org

Dr. William A. Chapman House - historicpreservationmiami.com at
Booker T. Washington High School

Ward Rooming House Gallery - theblackarchives.org

Ice Palace - big-time.com

X-Ray Clinic - historicpreservationmiami.com

Fire Station #2 - downtownmiaminews.com Omni

Citizen's Bank - historicpreservationmiami.com

D. A. Dorsey House/Dorsey Memorial Library - theblackarchives.org

Places of Worship

Ebenezer Methodist Church/House of God of Nazarene -

historicpreservationmiami.com

Masjid Al-Ansar -

Mount Zion Baptist Church - historicpreservationmiami.com

Greater Bethel A.M.E. Church - historicpreservationmiami.com

St. John's Baptist Church - stjohnbcmiami.org



Wynwood – Midtown – Edgewater – Design District

American Bakeries Company/Bakehouse Art Complex - bacfl.org

Miami Women's Club - themiamiwomansclub.org

Moore Furniture Building - bridgehouseevents.com

Buena Vista Post Office/South Street Restaurant & Bar - southstreetmiami.com

Buena Vista Historic District - global.miamiandbeaches.com/miamiheritage

Other places to see...

Gold Coast Pharmacy - historicpreservationmiami.com

Woolpert Apartments - historicpreservationmiami.com

Morgan's Restaurant - themorgansrestaurant.com

Citizen's Bank - historicpreservationmiami.com

Wynwood Walls - thewynwoodwalls.com

Places of Worship

St. Agnes Episcopal Church - stagneseiscopalchurch.org

Temple Israel - templeisrael.net

Trinity Episcopal Cathedral - trinitymiami.org

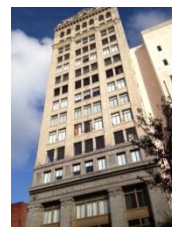
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Downtown – Omni – Park West

- The Museum of HistoryMiami - historymiami.org
Olympia Theater/Gusman Center for the Performing Arts - gusmancenter.org
Sears Deco Tower/Arsht Center for the Performing Arts - arshtcenter.org
Freedom Tower/Miami Daily News - mdc.edu
Old Miami High at Southside Park - dadeheritagetrust.org
Downtown Miami Historic District - miamidda.com
S & S Diner - historicpreservationmiami.com
Franklin Building - sharronlewis.com
Shrine Building / Boulevard Shops - historicpreservationmiami.com
Salvation Army Citadel - historicpreservationmiami.com
Grand Central - grandcentral.com
Chaille Block - christmanco.com
Gesu Catholic Church - gesuchurch.org
Shoreland Arcade/Soya e Pomodoro - soyaepomodoro.com
The Ralston Building / Carrion Jewelry Center - bobmiami.com
Dade County Courthouse-Courtroom 6-1 - mcharry.com



- Security Building/The Capital Building - miami-beach-travelguide.com
Meyer-Kiser Building/Dade Commonwealth Building - thebankmiami.com
Congress Building - historicpreservationmiami.com
Dyer Federal Building/Old US Post Office and Courthouse/AmeriFirst Federal -
Future home of Miami Center for Architecture & Design - aiamiami.org
Alfred I. Dupont Building - thedupontbuilding.com
Old Walgreens Drugstore/La Epoca - laepoca.com
Huntington Building - historicpreservationmiami.com
City National Bank/Langford Building soon to be Langford Hotel - eb5hotel.com
McCrary Building - floridamemory.com
D. A. Dorsey House - historicpreservationmiami.com
Central Baptist Church - dhr.dos.state.fl.us



Civic Center – Spring Garden

- The Alamo at Jackson Memorial Hospital - jhsiami.org
Halissee Hall/UM Miller Campus - historicpreservationmiami.com
Spring Garden Historic District - historicpreservationmiami.com
Hindu Temple - historicpreservationmiami.com

Lummus Park

- *Fort Dallas/William English Plantation and William Wagner House at Lummus Park
historicpreservationmiami.com, americanheritage.com
Flagler Worker's House/Palm Cottage/ Bijan's - historicpreservationmiami.com
Scottish Rite Temple - srmiami.org



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Brickell – Biscayne Boulevard

Miami Circle - historymiami.org

Brickell Park & Brickell Mausoleum - historicpreservationmiami.com

Brickell Ave Bridge and Pillar of History Statue - en.wikipedia.org

George Nolan House/ Biscayne Capital - biscaynecapital.com

First Presbyterian Church of Miami - fpcmiami.org

Petit Duoy built for John and Ethel Murrell - members.virtualtourist.com

St. Jude Catholic Church - stjudemiami.com

Hahn Building - historicpreservationmiami.com

Dr. Jackson's Medical Office/Dade Heritage Trust - dadeheritagetrust.org

Southside School - southside.dadeschools.net

Simpson Park and Historic South Miami Avenue

Bayfront Park - bayfrontparkmiami.com

Julia Tuttle Statue at Bayfront Park - en.wikipedia.org

Torch of Friendship

Fire Station No. 4/Dolores but you can call me Lolita - doloreslolita.com

Miami's Oldest Bar / Tobacco Road - tobacco-road.com

Little Havana – Calle Ocho – Riverside

Tower Theater - towertheatermiami.com

Miami River Inn - miamiriverinn.com

South River Drive Historic District - historicpreservationmiami.com

400 block of SW 1st Street and SW 2nd Street - 100 block of SW South River Drive

Cuba Ocho - cuba ocho.com

Other places to see...

Little Havana Art District - littlehavanaguide.com

Viernes Culturales - viernesculturales.org

Manuel Artime - manuelartimetheater.com

J. W. Warner House / Cuban Ballet - cubanclassicalballet.org

Tower Hotel - towerhotel.us (under renovation)

Hubbard-Alvarez Bungalow - dadeheritagetrust.org

La Plaza del Cubanidad - en.wikipedia.org

Domino Park/Maximo Gomez Park, Star Walk

Cuban Memorial Boulevard

Casa Panza - casapanzacafe.net

Atlantic Gas Station/Valiant Auto Body Shop - dhr.dos.state.fl.us

While exploring Little Havana, make sure to visit a Cuban Cigar Factory.

*After a morning of sightseeing, stop in at Versailles
for a taste of authentic Cuban cuisine and un cortadito.*

littlehavanaguide.com

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Coconut Grove

Vizcaya Museum & Garden - vizcayamuseum.org

The Barnacle Historic State Park - floridastateparks.org

Plymouth Congregational Church and the Old Schoolhouse - plymouthmiami.com

The Kampong - kampong.ntbg.org

Other places to see...

Make sure to take Main Highway, Bayshore Drive and Tigertail Avenue

Miami City Hall at the Pan American Seaplane Base and Terminal - nps.gov

Peacock Park - en.wikipedia.org

El Jardin/Carrollton School - carrollton.org

Villa Woodbine - www.villa-woodbine.com

Women's Club of Coconut Grove - coconutgroveevents.com

The Pagoda at Ransom Everglades School - historicpreservationmiami.com

Ermita de la Caridad - ermitadelacaridad.org

Coconut Grove Library - mdpls.org

Grave of Eva Amelia Hewitt Munroe - miamigov.com

Marjory Stoneman Douglas House - historicpreservationmiami.com, www6.miami.edu

Sunshine Fruit Company Inn - historicpreservationmiami.com

Wyatt-Thomas House - historicpreservationmiami.com

Caleb Trapp/Trapp Homestead - en.wikipedia.org

Philip Dusenbury House - historicpreservationmiami.com

Dr. Emerson Ayar's House - thereframingofmodernpreservation.wordpress.com

Mariah Brown House - mariahbrownhouse.org

E.W.F. Stirrup House - historicpreservationmiami.com / en.wikipedia.org

Charles Avenue - miami.curbed.com

Macedonia Missionary Baptist Church

Charlotte Jane Memorial Park Cemetery/Coconut Grove Cemetery - ancestry.com

Coconut Grove Playhouse - miamiherald.com



Key Biscayne

Marjory Stoneman Douglas Biscayne Nature Center - biscaynenaturecenter.org

Virginia Key Beach Park - virginiakeybeachpark.net

Cape Florida Lighthouse & Lightkeeper's Cottage - floridastateparks.org / lighthousefriends.com

Miami Seaquarium/Art Deco Dome

Key Biscayne Heritage Trail - key-biscayne.com

Other places to see...

Gardens at Crandon Park / Old Zoo - gomiami.about.com

Crandon Park Caurosel - miamidade.gov

Miami Marine Stadium - marinestadium.org

Stiltsville - stiltsvilletrust.org

Fowey Rocks Light - lighthousefriends.com

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Coral Gables

Map your route to see various city entrances, plazas and themed villages.

Miracle Mile – Coral Way – Alhambra Circle – Granada Boulevard – Riviera Drive



Coral Gables Museum - coralgablesmuseum.org

Coral Gables House/ Merrick House - coralgables.com

Fairchild Tropical Botanic Garden - fairchildgarden.org

The Miracle Theater - actorsplayhouse.org

The Biltmore Hotel - biltmorehotel.com

Venetian Pool - coralgables.com

Desoto Fountain – Columbus Blvd – Salvadore Park

The Colonnade Hotel - westincoralgables.com

Ponce de Leon and Aragon Avenue

La Palma Ristorante - lapalmarestaurant.net

Hotel St. Michel - hotelstmichel.com

Other places to see...

Drive down Coral Way to the City Hall & Historic District.

Meander along Alhambra Circle to the Alhambra Water Tower.

Coral Gables Congregational Church - coralgablescongregational.org

The Church of the Little Flower - church.cotlf.org

Desoto Fountain – Columbus Blvd – Salvadore Park

Country Club Prado Entrance and Entrance to Central Miami

Doc Dammer's House

Coral Gables Women's Club - coralgablesjuniors.org

Weiland Clinic/Books & Books - booksandbooks.com

H. George Fink Studio

Girl Scout's Little House - girlscoutsfl.org

Coral Gables Elementary School - gablesprep.dadeschools.net

Coral Gables Library - mdpls.org

Matheson Hammock Park & Beach - miamidade.gov

and Redfish Grill - redfishgrill.net

Montgomery Botanical Center - montgomerybotanical.org

Hardee Road – Coco Plum Circle – Old Cutler Road

Coco Plum Women's Club - thecocoplum.com

Pinewood Cemetery - coralgables.com

MacFarlane Historic District

greatgables.com



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South Miami – Pinecrest – Kendall

Sunset Road – Red Road

Pinecrest Gardens - pinecrest-fl.gov

Doc Thomas House - tropicalaudubon.org

Dice House at Continental Park - dadeheritagetrust.org

Other places to see...

Miami Dade-Fire Station #49, Dorn Building

Richards/Erwin Homestead and the Wheeler House
Stonegate

Laesch-Bartram House - bilingualcoop.org

Sunset Elementary School - sunset.dadeschools.net

Pinewood Cemetery - (already listed in Gables)

Allen's Drugstore - mypharmacy.com

*Stroll around downtown South Miami or
stop by the Wayside Market on Red Road for a smoothie.*



Palmetto Bay – Homestead – Redlands – Florida City



Deering Estate at Cutler - deeringestate.org

Coral Castle - coralcastle.com

Biscayne National Park & Boca Chita Lighthouse - nps.gov

Everglades National Park - nps.gov

Flamingo Mission 66 - retrorenovation.com & Shark Valley - nps.gov

Art South - artsouthhomestead.org

Other places to see...

Cauley Square Historic Village - cauleysquare.com

Gold Coast Railroad Museum - gcrm.org

Historic Homestead Town Hall Museum - cityprofile.com

Pioneer Guild Hall & Pioneer Museum - redlandriot.com

Redland Hotel - redlandhotel.com

Homestead Historic Downtown District - cityofhomestead.com

Seminole Theater - seminoletheater.com

Nike Missile Site 69 - nps.gov

William Anderson's General Store and the Silver Palm Schoolhouse

Fruit & Spice Park - fruitandspicepark.org

Fuch's Bakery - miamidade.gov

Plan to visit a local nursery or stop to pick berries

at Burr's Farm - burrsberryfarm.com or Knausberry Farms - knausberryfarm.com

Neva King Cooper Elementary School

Silver Palm Drive

Luther Chandler Home, Mindermann House, Palm Lodge, McMinn-Horne House

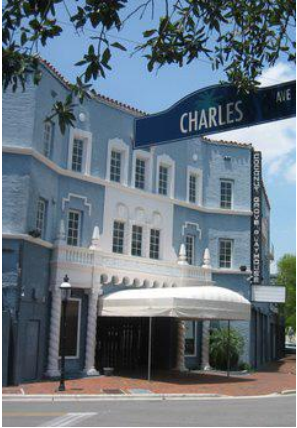
redlandriot.com



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Resources

Miami / A Sense of Place - A Celebration of Time



miamiandbeaches.com

Citizens for a Better South Florida - abettersouthflorida.org

Coral Gables Memory - miami.fiu.edu

Florida Department of State Division of Historical Resources - dhr.dos.state.fl.us

Florida Division of Cultural Affairs - florida-arts.org

Florida Memory Division of Library and Information Services - floridamemory.com

Greater Miami Convention and Visitors Bureau - miamiandbeaches.com

Library of Congress (for kids & families) - www.loc.gov

Miami Community Redevelopment Agency - miamicra.com

Miami Downtown Development Authority - miamidda.com

Great Images of Historic Miami - flickr.com /Phillip Pessar

Endangered List

Coconut Grove Playhouse - miamiherald.com

Bahamian Cottages and Charles Avenue - notnowsilly.blogspot.com

Anderson's Corner & Mindermann House - ghosttowns.com

Little Havana Bungalows - americanbungalow.com

Lyric Theater - theblackarchives.org

Magic City Park - the305.com

Dr. Dupuis Medical Office and Drugstore - historicpreservationmiami.com

Dorsey Memorial Library - historicpreservationmiami.com

Calusa Playhouse

Edgewater Neighborhood



Preservation Organizations

American Institute of Architects - aiamiami.org

Citizens for a Better South Florida - abettersouthflorida.org

Dade Heritage Trust - dadeheritagetrust.org

Historic Preservation Association of Coral Gables - historiccoralgables.org

Florida Trust for Historic Preservation - floridatrust.org

Miami Design Preservation League - mdpl.org

National Trust for Historic Preservation - preservationnation.org

Preservation Miami - preservationmiami.org

Preserving Our Past: A Guide to Historic Preservation in Coral Gables -

coralgables.com

South Florida National Parks Trust - southfloridaparks.org

The Villagers - thevillagersinc.org



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Preservation Boards

City of Miami: Historic Preservation - historicpreservationmiami.com

Hialeah Preservation Board - hialeahfl.gov

Historic and Environmental Preservation Board - historicpreservationmiami.com

Homestead Preservation Board - cityofhomestead.com

Miami Beach Preservation Board - miamibeachfl.gov

Miami Dade County Preservation Board - miamidade.gov

Miami Shores Preservation Board - miamishoresvillage.com

Miami Springs Preservation Board - miamisprings-fl.gov

Opa Locka Preservation Board - opalockafl.gov

Palmetto Bay Preservation Board - palmettobay-fl.gov

Pinecrest Historic Board - pinecrest-fl.gov

South Miami Preservation Board - southmiamifl.gov

Sunny Isles Beach Preservation Board - sibfl.net



Historical Societies

Miami Springs Historical Society - miamispringshistoricalsociety.org

Florida Historical Society - myfloridahistory.org

The Barnacle Society - thebarnacle.org

Key Biscayne Historical Society - kbhistory.org

Miami Pioneers and Natives of Dade - mpnod.org

Miami Springs Historical Society - miamispringshistoricalsociety.org

University Departments Associated with Historic Preservation

University of Miami School of Architecture

Historic Preservation Certificate Program - arc.miami.edu

Florida International University

Museum Studies Certificate Program - thefrost.fiu.edu

Miami Dade College School of Architecture & Design - mdc.edu



Neighborhood and Homeowners Associations

Bay Point Property Owners Association

Bayside Residents Association

Brickell Homeowners Association - brickellhomeowners.com

Buena Vista Homeowners Association

Coconut Grove Park Homeowners Association

Davis Harbor Homeowners Association

Magnolia Park Neighborhood

Mimo Biscayne Association - mimoboulevard.org

*Listing of Registered Homeowners Associations - miamigov.com

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