

Rockland, Maine, USA

The self-proclaimed Lobster Capital of the World pairs a gritty, working waterfront with world-class art and one of Maine's most spectacular lighthouse walks.

 Tender (most ships) / Dock (small vessels)  Typical call: 6-8 hrs  US Dollar (USD)  English

🚢 MY DAY IN PORT

Ship/Date:	Arrive:	All aboard:
Excursion:	Notes:	

GETTING ASHORE

Docking: Tender to Public Landing (most ships); small vessels (<215 ft) may dock directly

Walk to center: 2 min from tender dock to Main Street

Best For: Lobster, art museums, lighthouse walk, Maine windjammers

Don't Miss: Farnsworth Art Museum (Wyeth collection) & the Rockland Breakwater

 Getting around:  **Taxi**  Meter / negotiated ·  **Rideshare**  Uber, Lyft

TOP THINGS TO DO

- **Rockland Breakwater Lighthouse Walk** — Stroll nearly 7/8 mile (about 0.9 miles) along a granite jetty built from roughly 700,000 tons of local stone to a...
- **Farnsworth Art Museum** — World-class museum celebrating Maine's role in American art.
- **Maine Lighthouse Museum** — Located right at the waterfront, this museum holds the largest collection of historic Fresnel lighthouse lenses and...
- **Lobster & Local Food Tour** — Rockland is the self-proclaimed Lobster Capital of the World.
- **Windjammer Day Sail** — Rockland is home port of Maine's historic windjammer fleet.

BEST WALKS

- **Main Street Art & Lobster Loop** 1-1.5 hrs • 1.5 miles • Easy — From the Public Landing, head north on Main Street past historic brick storefronts, indie bookstores, and galleries.
- **Breakwater Lighthouse Walk** 2-3 hrs • ~1.75 miles round-trip on jetty • Moderate — Taxi to the trailhead at Marie Reed Memorial Park (the dock-to-trailhead road walk is not pedestrian-friendly).

WEATHER · DAYLIGHT · MONEY

 **CLIMATE (AVG °F · RAINY DAYS)**

Mon	High	Low	Rain
Apr	50°	36°	12d
Jun	69°	56°	11d
Aug	75°	63°	10d
Sep	69°	57°	9d
Oct	58°	48°	11d

 **DAYLIGHT &  MONEY**

Apr 5:52AM–7:20PM · Jun 4:52AM–8:21PM · Aug 5:40AM–7:40PM · Sep 6:16AM–6:46PM · Oct 6:51AM–5:51PM

 US Dollar (USD)

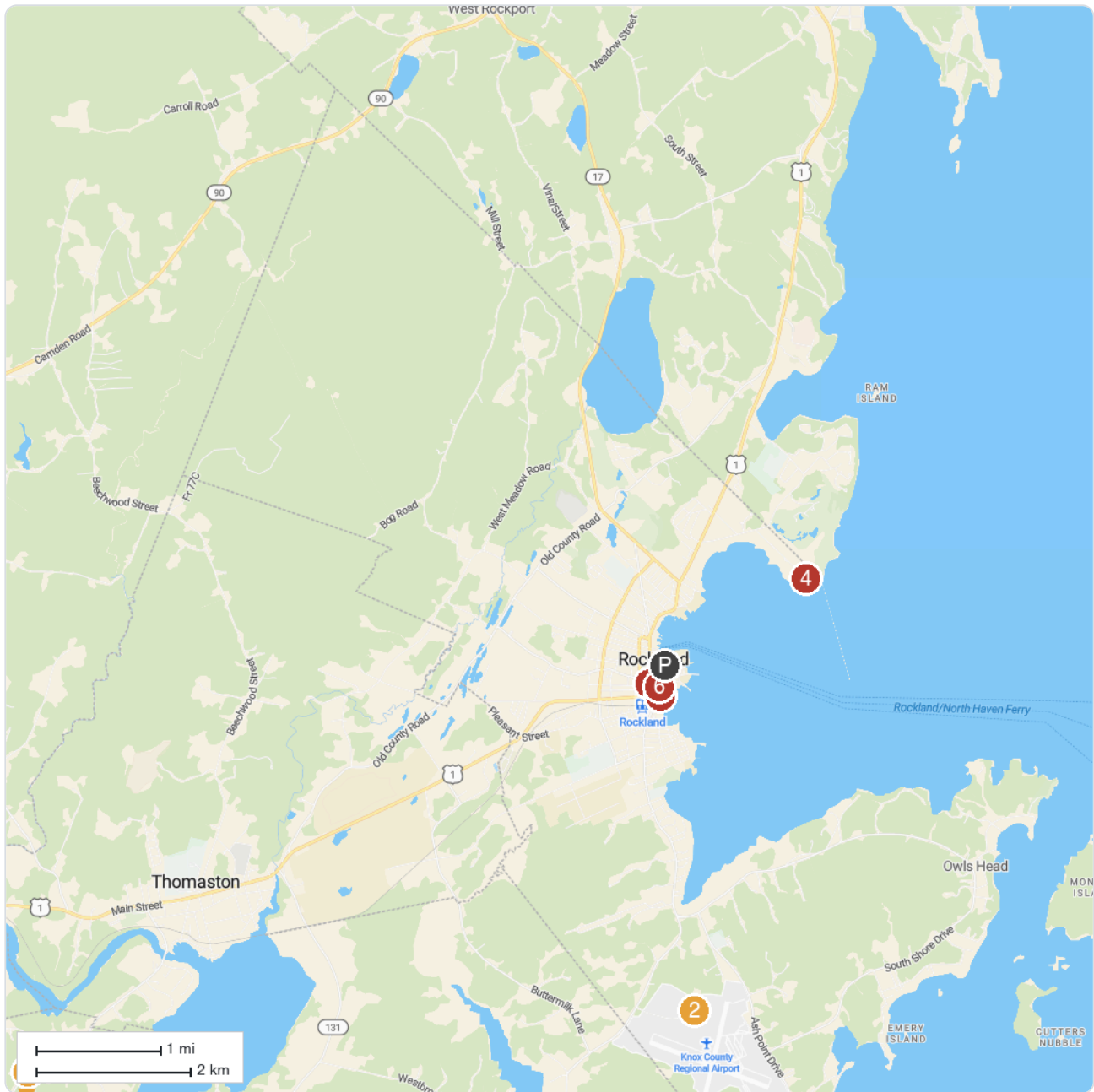
KNOW BEFORE YOU GO

- Wear proper shoes for the Breakwater. The granite jetty blocks are uneven with gaps — flip-flops and sandals are genuinely hazardous. Sneakers or hiking boots required.
- Eat the lobster. Rockland is the real deal. Archer's on the Pier is steps from the tender dock; Claws shack is about a 12-minute walk north with waterfront picnic tables.

Rockland, Maine, USA — Port Map

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Red = walkable sights · Amber = excursions farther out · P = cruise terminal. Numbers match the order you'd typically visit.



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| <p>1 Farnsworth Art Museum</p> <p>3 Maine Lighthouse Museum</p> <p>5 Langlais Art Preserve</p> <p>P Cruise port / terminal</p> | <p>Explore American art with a focus on Maine artists.</p> <p>Discover the history and artifacts of Maine's lighthouses.</p> <p>Wander an outdoor preserve featuring large-scale wooden sculptures.</p> | <p>2 Owls Head Transportation Museum</p> <p>4 Rockland Breakwater Lighthouse Parking</p> <p>6 Center for Maine Contemporary Art</p> | <p>See antique cars, aircraft, and engines from yesteryear.</p> <p>Walk the breakwater to a historic lighthouse.</p> <p>View cutting-edge contemporary art by Maine and national artists.</p> |
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