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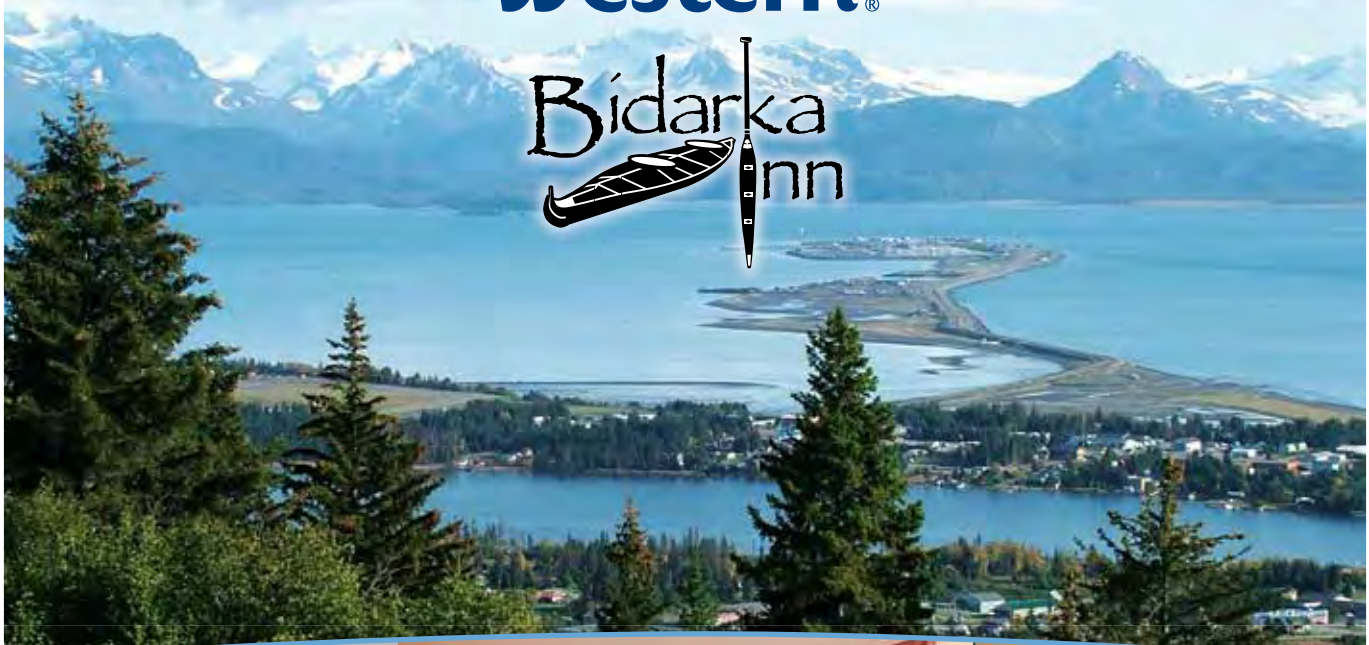
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Visitor Guide Photo Contest
2017 Winner

Message from Mayor Zak



On behalf of the friendly residents and businesses of Homer and our surrounding communities, welcome to Homer! We are a community that values its citizens and welcomes visitors from all over the world whether you are here for a short visit or relocating for an excellent quality of life. A good place to begin is a stop at the Homer Chamber of Commerce

and Visitor Center where you will be greeted by experienced volunteers that can answer a myriad of questions about the local area and activities.

Homer encompasses all that embodies Alaska from the majestic mountains to the sea, culinary and arts emphasis and outdoor adventure. We are so grateful for the abundance of wildlife that abounds in our area and hope that you both enjoy and respect the environment for all to experience for generations to come. You will find that our community has the best of what Alaska has to offer and you will take away memories of a lifetime.

Bryan Zak

Mayor of Homer, Alaska



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Message from Karen Zak



Homer, Alaska may be the "end of the road," but it is only the beginning of endless ADVENTURE! Our little town has something to offer everyone – from families to sports enthusiasts. One visit and you'll be hooked!

Located at the southern tip of the Kenai Peninsula, Alaska's playground, Homer can be reached by car, ferry or plane. Plan to stay at least a week to fully experience Homer. *We have everything that embodies Alaska all in one place.*

Homer is the jumping-off point for unrestricted outdoor fun. Kachemak Bay State Park, Alaska's first wilderness state park, offers over 400,000 acres of magnificent beauty to explore with over 80 miles of trails that range from easy to difficult.

Outdoor activities are plentiful, but Homer also has renowned restaurants and is known as a "foodie" town. You can shop at an outdoor Farmers' Market, dine at organic bakeries and lunch spots, enjoy fresh seafood, and the list goes on.

Homer is the place to recharge your body and nurture your spirit. Hailed as a health and wellness destination, Homer's healing arts therapies are available year round.

Plan a trip to visit our charming cosmic hamlet and you will not be disappointed. You'll be captivated by its stunning beauty and find yourself thrilled with the "end of the road."

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Karen Zak, Executive Director, Homer Chamber of Commerce

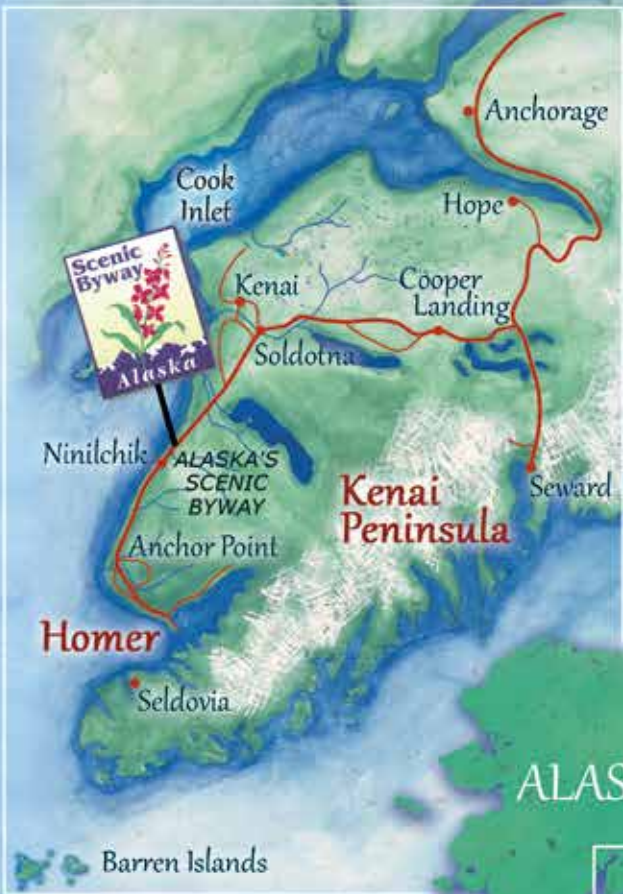
GETTING TO HOMER

By Road:

- 225 miles Anchorage to Homer
- 173 miles Homer to Seward
- 125 miles Homer to Cooper Landing
- 79 miles Homer to Soldotna

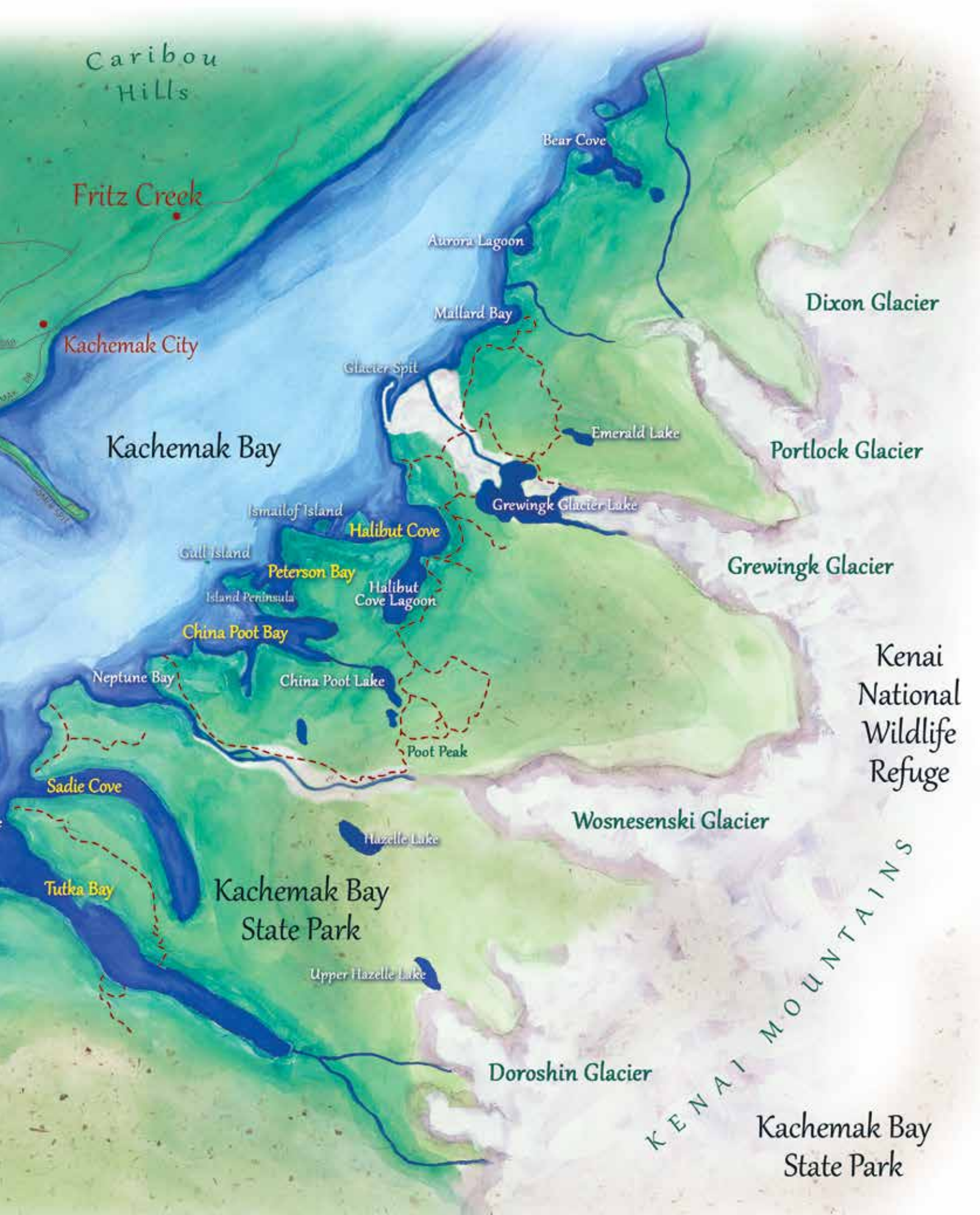
By Air:

- 40 minute flight Anchorage to Homer



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Caribou Hills

Fritz Creek

Kachemak City

Kachemak Bay

Bear Cove

Aurora Lagoon

Mallard Bay

Glacier Spit

Dixon Glacier

Emerald Lake

Portlock Glacier

Ismailof Island

Halibut Cove

Grewingk Glacier Lake

Grewingk Glacier

Gull Island

Peterson Bay

Halibut Cove Lagoon

Kenai National Wildlife Refuge

Island Peninsula

China Poot Bay

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Poot Peak

Wosnesenski Glacier

Neptune Bay

Sadie Cove

Hazelle Lake

Tutka Bay

Kachemak Bay State Park

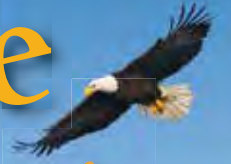
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Upper Hazelle Lake

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