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St. Louis Bell Tower

2020

8 2nd St, Lewiston, ME 04240



This bell tower was constructed using bells originally from Auburn's St. Louis Church, which closed in 2013. The bells were installed atop a specially constructed tower which now stands as the second-tallest monument in all of Maine.

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The Shoe Fountain

Ross Miller

112 Main St, Auburn, ME 04210



This fountain was inspired by the historic prominence of the shoemaking industry in L/A. The shoes, says Miller, represent what once was, a symbol of Auburn's motto, "No steps backwards."

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Auburn Art Wall

Various artists, 2011

317 Main St, Auburn, ME 04210



The result of an art competition, the wall has a series of nine murals that explore the theme, "Androscoggin: Our Living River." All featured artists come from within Androscoggin County.

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Kindness Rocks

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Pettingill Park, Auburn, ME 04210



Bringing life to Pettingill Park, Kindness Rocks utilizes an old concrete foundation as a canvas to spread color and joy. This is the perfect place to end the tour and have a picnic!

Ready to explore public art in the L/A area?

This tour allows you to explore some of Lewiston Auburn's signature works of public art from the comfort of your car! The route should take 30 minutes to an hour to complete, depending on parking and traffic patterns. Whether you're a local or a visitor, we hope you enjoy this unique window into our community. For more information on L/A's public art, please scan the QR code below.

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Red Fox Mural

Kate Cargile

741 Main St, Lewiston, ME 04240



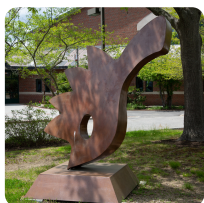
Painted on the side of the MedCo building, this mural brings life to Main Street with a beautiful painting of a red fox among flowers. Foxes are a common subject matter for Cargile, with many of her recent works featuring them.

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Bates College Sculptures

Various artists, 1984-1991

75 Russell St, Lewiston, ME 04240



Located outside the Olin Arts Center, these three steel sculptures are titled "Saw," "What's Goin' On," and "Iron North." Artists include Charlie Hewitt, Joel Perlman, and Ken Greenleaf.

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Situate Sculpture

Aaron Stephan, 2008



Situate creates a classroom scene, which incorporates a white tile base with 9 different bronze school desks melded to it. Each desk is unique; one chair appears to have a carved design, while others have an apple or stack of books or ladder on them.

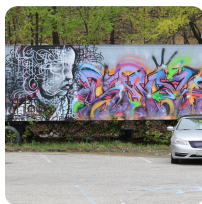
84 Farwell St, Lewiston, ME 04240

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Graffiti Art

Erik Jones & Austin Snow, 2019

62 Canal St, Lewiston, ME 04240



A collaboration between two tattoo artists, this graffiti art can be found at the Lewiston RC Redemption Center. The artwork shows a person looking across a flurry of graffiti shapes and letters, creating a profound and mesmerizing effect.

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People Mural

Glenn Chadbourne

269-313 Canal St Alley, Lewiston, ME 04240



This mural depicts people interacting at what looks to be a train station. While Glenn Chadbourne is most famous for his work with Stephen King, he has painted multiple murals on the Lewiston Pawn Shop. This mural is the only one which remains today.

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Lewiston Rattle

Charlie Hewitt, 2015

140 Mill St, Lewiston, ME 04240



Inspired by Hewitt's desire to preserve the beauty and identity of his hometown, the Lewiston Rattle sculpture features colorful symbols including a Fleur-de-lis, a nod to L/A's Franco-American heritage, and one in the shape of the country of Somalia, a shout out to the local Somali community.

