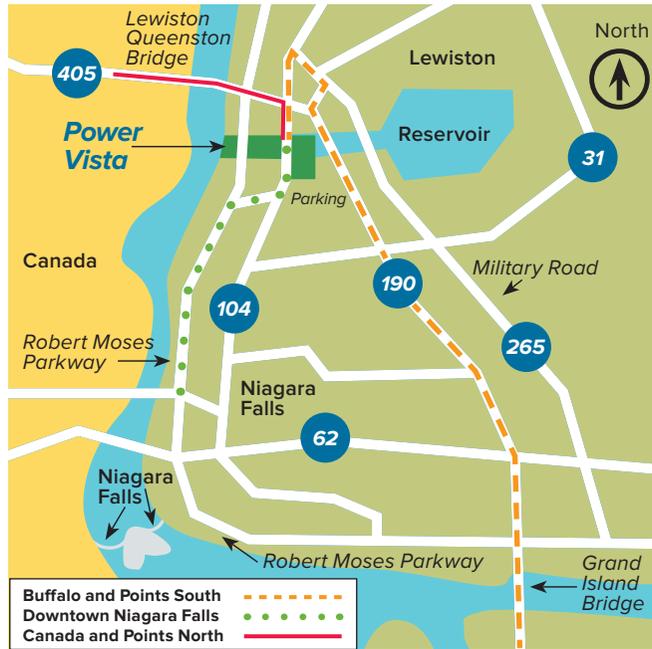


Welcome

The New York Power Authority, the largest state electric utility in the nation, owns and operates the admission-free **Niagara Power Vista**.



Just minutes from Niagara Falls

From Buffalo and Points South: Take I-190 North across Grand Island to Exit 25A (Lewiston). Turn left onto Route 265 (Military Road), then another left onto Route 104 West. Turn left at the blinking yellow light (just after the pedestrian overpass). Power Vista is on the left.

From Downtown Niagara Falls: Take the Robert Moses Parkway North about four miles to exit marked Power Vista, Devils Hole, Niagara University. After exiting, turn left onto Route 104 East. At the blinking yellow light (just before the pedestrian overpass), turn right. Power Vista is on the left.

From Canada and Points North: Cross the Lewiston-Queenston Bridge. Bear right at the first exit (Lewiston). Take Route 104 West. Turn left at the blinking yellow light (just after the pedestrian overpass). Power Vista is on the left.

Open Year Round 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. daily, except certain holidays

Niagara Power Vista

5777 Lewiston Road (Route 104)
Lewiston, NY 14092

716-286-6661 or 1-866-NYPA-FUN (697-2386)
nypa.gov/vc/niagara.htm



Powerful Facts

- The Niagara Power Project has two power plants—the Robert Moses Niagara Power Plant and the Lewiston Pump-Generating Power Plant
- How does the Niagara project work? A forebay between the two plants holds water diverted from the Niagara River upstream from Niagara Falls. The water travels about four miles underground to the forebay where it flows through the two plants to generate clean renewable hydropower
- We use no taxpayer dollars or state credit. Operations are mostly financed with revenues generated by sales of electricity
- We operate 16 generating facilities in New York State and more than 1,400 circuit-miles of transmission lines

Nearby Attractions

- **NYPA's Fishing Pier**—Bring your own gear and bait for a day of free fun. Call the Power Vista for further information
- **Niagara Gorge Discovery Center/Schoellkopf Site** (www.niagarafallsstatepark.com/discovery-center.aspx)
- **Old Fort Niagara** (www.oldfortniagara.org)
- **Aquarium of Niagara** (www.aquariumofniagara.org)
- **Artpark** (www.artpark.net)
- **Castellani Art Museum** at Niagara University (www.castellaniartmuseum.org)

Niagara Power Vista

Free Fun

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Powerful Fun

- Free guided tours available—call to schedule
- Use your smart phone to take our QR Code Tour through the Power Vista
- Enjoy your bag or picnic lunch in our community room or patio (weather permitting) to take in the stunning views
- Many free weekend activities—call or check our website for the latest schedule



Powerful History

- Built from 1959 to 1961 with thousands of laborers working around the clock
- Fascinating geographic features of the region
- Cultural and heritage insights on the Native American neighbors to the Niagara project—the Tuscaroras
- Spectacular seven-foot high mural by famous American artist Thomas Hart Benton depicts missionary Father Louis Hennipin, one of the first Europeans to see the falls in 1678



Just a few minutes drive from **Niagara Falls** and perched high atop New York State's largest electricity producer is the **Niagara Power Vista**—the visitors center for the majestic **Niagara Power Project**—where we have Free Fun Down to a Science.

Powerful Exhibits

- Interactive exhibits on hydropower and electricity
- Hair-raising experiences with the Van de Graaff machine
- Vintage films on the construction of the Niagara project
- Make your own electricity



Powerful Views

- 350 feet above the Niagara River
- Indoor/outdoor observation deck
- Beautiful stretches of the picturesque Niagara River Gorge
- Rushing water from the project's turbine churns the Niagara River

