Kansas Historical Society

Kansas State Capitol

Directions and Parking Information SW 8th and SW Van Buren • Topeka KS 66612

Driving Directions

From I-70 E: exit at SE 8th Avenue (Exit 362B.) Merge onto Monroe Street. Right onto SE 8th Avenue to the Capitol.

From I-70 W: exit at SE 10th Avenue (Exit 362C.) Left onto SE 10th Avenue. Right onto SW Jackson Street. Left onto SW 8th Avenue to the Capitol.

From the south: exit Kansas Turnpike at Topeka Boulevard. Left onto SW Topeka Boulevard. Right onto SW 8th Avenue to the Capitol.

Building Access and Parking Information

Public entrance is located on SW 8th Avenue. All visitors must enter through the Capitol Police Security checkpoint.

Automobile parking

- Capitol parking garage on SW 8th Avenue: free for two hours. Clearance into garage is 8 feet 2 inches. Elevators take visitors into the building.
- Street, metered parking on SW Jackson Street between SW 8th and SW 9th avenues for up to 10 hours. Meter fees vary. Free Saturday and Sunday. Visitors enter the building on ground level at the semi-circular drive on SW 8th Avenue.
- Crosby Place Parking Garage, 108 SW 8th Avenue, between S Kansas Avenue and SW Jackson Street. Hourly fee.
- Centre City Parking Garage, 109 SW 9th Avenue, between S Kansas Avenue and SW Jackson Street. Hourly fee.

Alternative parking

Visitors can be dropped off at the semi-circular drive on SW 8th Avenue and enter the building on ground level. Free parking for all type of vehicles, including buses, campers, trailers, and fifth wheels, up to four hours, is available at the Kansas Judicial Center parking lot, SW 10th Avenue and SW Harrison Street.

Please note: visitors must enter and exit the building from the SW 8th Avenue ground level doors.

Attention school groups: please provide adult chaperones and bus drivers with parking, drop off, and pick up information.

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