Welcome to Beaver Island, America’s Emerald Island! This Historical Walking Tour, a self-guided tour, covers 17 historical sites over 2.5 miles. The Beaver Island Historical Society is pleased to share this tour with all visitors and residents. If you would like to consider a shorter tour, the distance between the Beaver Island Community Center (Stop #2) and Old Coast Guard Station (St. James Township Hall, Stop #10) is 1 mile. Pierre the Beaver, a friend of BIHS, will serve as your host.

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Follow along with Pierre the Beaver, a friend of BIHS, through the history of Beaver Island!
Historical Walking Tour

1. Downtown Beaver Island
2. Beaver Island Community Center
3. Beaver Island Ferry Dock/Boats
4. Beaver Island Municipal Dock
5. Post Office
6. King Strang Hotel/Club
7. Marina/Original Beaver Island Lumber Co
8. McDonough’s Original Market
9. Marine Museum
10. U.S. Life Saving/Coast Guard Station
11. Beaver Island Townships Cemetery
12. First Protestant Church
13. Beaver Island Community School
14. Holy Cross Parish Hall
15. Town Beach/Native American Ancestry
16. Print Shop
17. The Shamrock

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