

Plan to stay an additional day or two and explore these gems, recommended by the local planning committee:

Eastern Market	https://easternmarket.org	Historic Saturday market for fresh food, flowers, culture
Detroit Institute of Arts (DIA)	https://dia.org	Epic museum with famous Diego Rivera murals
Motown Museum	https://www.motownmuseum.org	Hitsville USA! Only in Detroit
Lafayette Greens	https://www.greeningofdetroit.com/greenspaces	Beautiful garden and greenspace in heart of downtown Detroit
Core City greenspaces	https://www.azuremagazine.com/article/metamorphosis-prince-concepts-reimagines-detroit-core-city/	Unique, modern, creative and intentionally designed spaces
Dequindre Cut, Detroit Riverfront	https://detroitriverfront.org	Award-winning public greenspaces along the Detroit River
Belle Isle Conservatory & Aquarium	https://www.belleisleconservancy.org	Historic structures near the Oudolf Garden
The Ford House	https://www.fordhouse.org/the-estate/the-grounds/	Jens Jensen-designed grounds of historic estate on Lake St Clair
Keep Growing Detroit	https://www.detroitagriculture.net	Urban agriculture leader with farm market
Cranbrook Gardens	https://housegardens.cranbrook.edu	Estate gardens; esteemed arts community
Matthaei Botanic at UofM	https://mbgna.umich.edu	Ann Arbor gem, Great Lakes Gardens
Campus Martius Park, Cadillac Square areas	800 Woodward Ave, Detroit, MI 48226	Vibrant, walkable Downtown Detroit greenspace, shopping

Roosevelt Park, Corktown	2405 Vernor Hwy, Detroit, MI 48216	Historic train station; food and shopping nearby
SW Greenway	2209 Bagley St, Detroit, MI 48216	Newer greenway project, part of Detroit Riverfront
Ralph Wilson Centennial Park	https://www.detroitriverfront.org/plan-your-visit/parks-greenways/ralph-c-wilson-jr-centennial-park	22 acres, brand new riverfront park
Erma Henderson Park	8800 E Jefferson Ave, Detroit, MI 48214	Waterfront city park, perennial gardens

Hotel Recommendations

Favorite: The El Moore Lodge <https://elmoore.com/lodge/>

Luxe: Shinola Hotel <https://www.shinolahotel.com>

Roost at The Book Tower <https://www.myroost.com/extended-stay-hotel-detroit-michigan>

Fun: Detroit Foundation Hotel <https://detroitfoundationhotel.com>

Unique: The Inn at Ferry Street, Detroit Club

<https://innonferrystreetdetroit.com> <https://www.thedetroitclub.com>

Big brands around downtown, among others:

Aloft at The David Whitney

<https://www.marriott.com/en-us/hotels/dtwal-aloft-detroit-at-the-david-whitney/overview/>

The Westin Book Cadillac

<https://www.marriott.com/en-us/hotels/dtwcw-the-westin-book-cadillac-detroit/overview/>

Detroit Marriott

<https://www.marriott.com/en-us/hotels/dtwdt-detroit-marriott-at-the-renaissance-center/overview/>

Element Detroit by Marriott

<https://www.marriott.com/en-us/hotels/dtwel-element-detroit-at-the-metropolitan/overview/>

Courtyard by Marriott

<https://www.marriott.com/en-us/hotels/dtwdc-courtyard-detroit-downtown/overview/>

DoubleTree Suites by Hilton

<https://www.hilton.com/en/hotels/dttlfdt-doubletree-suites-detroit-downtown-fort-shelby/>

Hilton Garden Inn

<https://www.hilton.com/en/hotels/detdhgi-hilton-garden-inn-detroit-downtown/>



Downtown Detroit is safe, walkable and vibrant with shopping, restaurants, nightlife and much more. Enjoy your visit!