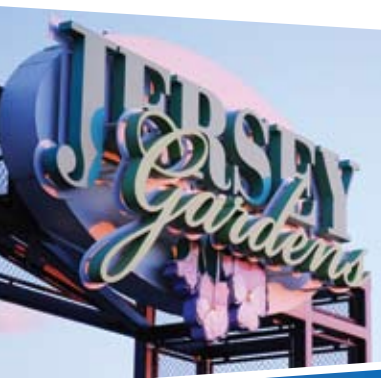


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# Exciting Opportunities in Elizabeth

Welcome to the City of Elizabeth, a diverse community that combines growth opportunities, access to resources as well as a central location, making it a great place to work and call home. Accessible by a unique intermodal system that includes air, rail, sea and major roadways, New Jersey's fourth largest municipality is both an economic and transportation hub. Our city also contains Terminal A of Newark Liberty International Airport as well as the 2,463-acre Port Elizabeth/Newark Marine Terminal, which is one of the largest container ports in the world and home to one of the nation's leading foreign trade zones. Elizabeth boasts the area's most exciting retail and entertainment opportunities, including New Jersey Turnpike Exit 13A, where you'll find Jersey Gardens, the state's largest outlet mall; a 20-screen AMC Loews Movie Theater; the nation's top-performing IKEA store; a renovated Toys "R" Us/Babies "R" Us superstore; great restaurants; and terrific hotels. From revitalized neighborhoods and renovated business districts to innovative investments and green improvements, the City of Elizabeth continues to make impressive strides. We welcome you and invite you to learn more about why your success starts here in Elizabeth.



Sincerely,  
**Chris Bollwage, Mayor**

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Elizabeth clock in L. Ron Hubbard Park, Ritz Theatre, Minuteman Statue  
in Union Square*



## Elizabeth's Notable Events

### Waterfront Festival (May)

Locals and visitors alike are invited down to the port and waterfront to participate in a variety of games and activities. There will be food tasting, as well as arts and crafts and face painting for kids.

### Portugal Day Parade (June)

The Portuguese Day Parade in Elizabeth New Jersey is the oldest running Portuguese Parade in the state of New Jersey. For the past 30 years, each sector of the Portuguese community- organizations, clubs, non-profits and religious institutions come together to commemorate our heritage of distinction. Portugal Day is a cultural revitalization of our community and a demonstration of the force and ambition of our community.

### Arts and Music Reception (May and October)

[www.elizabethsid.org](http://www.elizabethsid.org)  
The Arts and Music reception is hosted annually by the Midtown SID and the Altenburg Piano House. This event recognizes the talents of local artists and musicians in Elizabeth and surrounding areas.

### Holiday Tree Lighting (December)

[www.elizabethsid.org](http://www.elizabethsid.org)  
The Holiday Tree Lighting takes place each December in the Train Station Pedestrian Plaza on West Grand Street. The fire department joins the Midtown SID to bring Santa down from high atop the fire truck ladder to light the Midtown Holiday Tree. Children from all over Elizabeth eagerly wait to see Santa and receive a gift and put in their last minute Christmas requests while festive music plays kicking off the holiday season.

### Elizabeth Latin Carnival (September)

Thousands are drawn annually to Elizabeth's annual Latin Carnival. The event displays some of Elizabeth's colorful Latin heritage.

### Tour de Elizabeth (May)

*(photograph above)*  
A fifteen mile bike ride for all skill levels, which follows a route around the City of Elizabeth, showcasing the many historic downtown, residential neighborhoods, shopping districts, new development, and natural treasures our city has to offer. An average of 500 riders and their families attend the event annually, which attracts both residents and non-residents to the State's 4<sup>th</sup> largest and most historic City.

### Car Show (August)

[www.elizabethsid.org](http://www.elizabethsid.org)  
The event attracts participants and spectators from all over New Jersey, as well as other parts of the Tri-State Area. The event continues to grow each year with the continued support of local car owners and sponsoring companies. During the event, participants and visitors enjoy great food, exciting entertainment, a variety of vendors, and participate in activities such as a hula hoop contest and a fan belt toss.

### Historical Reenactment (June)

[www.elizabethsid.org](http://www.elizabethsid.org)  
Re-enactors from all over the state come to Midtown Elizabeth to recreate a Revolutionary War tactical battle, which includes period clothing and weapons. The Historic Reenactment occurs each year on the front lawn and cemetery of the Historic First Presbyterian Church on Broad Street.



## Historical Sites

### Historic Walking Tour

[www.ucnj.org/cultural](http://www.ucnj.org/cultural)  
Elizabeth at the Crossroads presents a self-guided walk through the streets of historic mid-town Elizabeth. Forty-five stops allow visitors to linger and experience an era of the city's rich history and development as the permanent seat of government of the County of Union.

#### Altenburg Piano House

1150 East Jersey St.  
(908) 351-2000  
*(photograph top opposite page)*  
The Altenburg Piano House was founded in 1847 and remains the oldest family-run piano business in the United States. Altenburg has established a reputation as the premiere destination for lovers of fine instruments seeking the most reasonable fine piano prices obtainable. The passion for fine pianos and their tradition of personalized service have proven to be Altenburg's most enduring legacies.

#### Belcher-Ogden Mansion

1046 East Jersey St.  
This historic mansion that dates back to the 1600s was once the residence of Royal Governor Jonathan Belcher, who lived there from 1751 to 1757. It was the site of many gatherings of prominent pioneers, including George Whitefield and Jonathan Edwards. Dubbed "the cradle of Princeton University," it also served as the residence of William Peartree Smith and Governor Aaron Ogden.

#### The Bonnell House

1045 East Jersey St.  
Built prior to 1682 by Nathaniel Bonnell, the Bonnell House is believed to be the oldest house in Elizabeth. The two-story clapboard structure was built on 6 acres of land which Bonnell was granted for a homestead.

#### Boxwood Hall

1073 East Jersey St.  
(908) 282-7617  
*(photograph middle opposite page)*  
Boxwood Hall was built around 1750 and was the former residence of Elias Boudinot— president of the Continental Congress who signed the treaty of peace with Great Britain at the close of the Revolution. The house later became the home of Jonathan Dayton, the youngest signer of the Constitution. The home is most famous for the visit George Washington paid to his friend Boudinot here in 1789 on his way to New York for his first inauguration.

#### First Presbyterian Church

42 Broad St.  
(908) 353-1518  
*(photograph bottom opposite page)*  
The First Presbyterian Church was built in 1668 and was the site of an important battleground during the Revolutionary War. The church was the first house of worship in the settlement of Elizabethtown. Burned by British and Loyalist forces in 1780 during the American Revolution, the church was rebuilt in 1786.



#### Hersh Tower

125 Broad St.  
Built during the height of the Depression, the 14-story structure is not only the tallest building in Elizabeth, but also is the highest building in Union County. Built in a historic Art Deco style, the building's façade is made of brick, marble and nickel, and its lobby features marble walls.

#### St. John's Episcopal Church

61 Broad St.  
(908) 352-1218  
Founded in 1706, the church is known for its features, including stained glass, rich wood work and a cemetery. St. John's Episcopal Church is known as one of the oldest Episcopal Churches in America. Members of the church's congregation stem from different backgrounds and cultures. St. John's Episcopal Church has a Sunday school and a full Spanish Mass/Eucharist service.

#### Saint Patrick's Church

215 Court St.  
*(photograph opposite page)*  
Built in 1887, Saint Patrick's Church is a majestic twin spire structure. Inspired by the Cologne Cathedral in Germany and built using Maine granite, the church has been an architectural marvel in the city for over 100 years.



# Arts & Culture

## Elizabeth Public Library

11 South Broad St.  
(908) 354-6060  
[www.elizpl.org](http://www.elizpl.org)

After undergoing a host of structural renovations over the past decade, the Elizabeth Public Library stands as a reminder of the generosity of Andrew Carnegie, who donated it to the town of Elizabeth in the early part of the 20<sup>th</sup> century. The library, which houses a variety of special collections - including those related to business and consumer health—provides Internet service and operates from four locations. Library card holders can go to the facility's Web page, which provides access to a vast number of books, articles, audiovisual media and data.

## Union Square

Elizabeth Avenue  
[www.elizabethavenue.org](http://www.elizabethavenue.org)  
Union Square on Elizabeth Avenue is best known for being the site of the Continental Outpost of the battle of June 8, 1780. Five thousand British Regulars arrived in Port Elizabeth and marched down Elizabeth Avenue—known as one of the oldest streets in North America—to attack General Washington and the Continental Army. Fifteen Elizabeth Minutemen, positioned around Union Square, held them off and even wounded their general, Lord Stirling. The Minutemen continued to attack, delaying the British enough for Washington's Army to survive, eventually driving them out of New Jersey. The area is designated by a marker and statue of a Minuteman.

## Ritz Theatre

148 East Jersey St.  
(908) 351-7575  
[www.ritztheatre.net](http://www.ritztheatre.net)  
(*photograph below*)

Built in 1926 and known for its Art Deco design, the Ritz Theatre includes seating for 2,772 people. This fully restored facility is one of the largest and oldest fully operational theaters in New Jersey. Over the years, many legendary performers have graced this majestic theater's stage, from the Marx Brothers, George Burns and Jack Benny, to Ray Charles, Harry Chapin, Maya Angelou, Chaka Kahn, Rodney Dangerfield, Miles Davis and many others.

## Art Galleries

For more information on art galleries in Elizabeth, please contact the Elizabeth Arts Council at [temegin@optonline.net](mailto:temegin@optonline.net).

### Kean University Galleries

1000 Morris Ave., Union  
(908) 373-0392  
[www.kean.edu/~gallery](http://www.kean.edu/~gallery)

### L&M Art Gallery

124 Elmora Ave.  
(908) 351-2633  
[www.lmartgallery.com](http://www.lmartgallery.com)

### Union County Cultural and Heritage Affairs

633 Pearl St.  
(908) 558-2550  
[www.ucnj.org/cultural](http://www.ucnj.org/cultural)



## Did you know?

### Elizabeth is home of the...

- First English speaking community in New Jersey
- First capitol of New Jersey
- First ice cream soda
- First submarine
- First assembly line automobile producer in the state
- First Singer sewing machine factory
- First Colonial Assembly and Council Meeting
- Electric Vehicle Company, manufacturer of the Electrobat, one of the world's first electric cars.



Singer Sewing Machine Factory in Elizabeth Post mark 1909

### Elizabeth is also the...

- First home of Princeton University
- Home of New Jersey's first Governor, Phillip Carteret
- Home to Alexander Hamilton and Aaron Burr
- Home of William Livingston, first Governor of the State after the Declaration of Independence
- Home of Elias Boudinot, the first President of Congress after the peace treaty with the English
- Site where the first British ship was sunk by Americans after the Declaration of Independence



### Movies and Entertainment Filmed in Elizabeth

- The Devil's Advocate
- Far from Heaven
- Perfect Holiday
- The Sopranos
- Sweet and Lowdown

### Elizabeth Natives

- Judy Blume, Author
- Hubie Brown, NBA Coach/Analyst
- Freddie "Red" Cochrane, Boxer
- Tom Colicchio, Top Chef Judge
- Mickey Spillane, Writer
- Mickey Walker, Boxer





## Shopping

### Elizabeth Avenue

(photograph bottom left)

Located within Elizabeth's Urban Enterprise Zone (UEZ), this shopping district runs from Bridge to Fourth streets and includes the Peterstown Farmers Market area, as well as the New Point Road Triangle, between South Seventh and Marshall streets. It's one of the oldest commercial corridors in the city, known simply as "The Market" to area residents, Elizabeth Avenue has been the social center of the Peterstown section of Elizabeth since 1917.

### Broad Street/Midtown Shopping District

The Business District, centered in the Broad Street/Courthouse area of Elizabeth, is a 15-block sector containing more than 400 thriving businesses, including 185 retail establishments, 45 restaurants and 150 professional offices.

### IKEA

1000 IKEA Drive  
(908) 289-4488  
www.ikea.com

IKEA -- the international home products company that designs and sells ready-to-assemble furniture, appliances and home accessories -- offers more than 350,000 square feet of furnishings for your home and charges only 3.5 percent tax because it is located in an Urban Enterprise Zone.



### Elmora Avenue Shopping District

Spanning nearly four blocks along Elmora Avenue between Westfield and Linden avenues, this retail center houses many diverse restaurants, several offering Spanish cuisine and others specializing in kosher delights. There also are many clothing retailers, hair and nail salons and other retailers offering one-stop shopping.

### Jersey Gardens

651 Kapkowski Road  
(908) 354-5900  
www.jerseygardens.com

(photograph above & below)

New Jersey's largest outlet mall is located in nearby Elizabeth. Only 30 minutes from midtown Manhattan, Jersey Gardens Mall is just five minutes from Newark Airport (shuttle service available) and boasts more than 200 stores under one roof. Of course, it offers tax-free shopping on clothes and shoes as well as a deluxe food court, which includes several sit-down restaurants, and a children's play area. Visitors from more than 40 miles away simply need to show identification in the form of a driver's license or passport to the Concierge Desk to receive a License to Shop discount card, which offers hundreds of dollars in savings.



# Outlet Shopping



More Stores. Savings. Shopping.



Shop New Jersey's largest outlet mall – 200 stores, all under one roof! Just 30 minutes from midtown Manhattan and 5 minutes from Newark Airport. Tax-free shopping on clothes and shoes!

### Exit 13A - NJ Turnpike

Abercrombie & Fitch Outlet  
adidas  
Aldo Shoe Outlet  
Ann Taylor  
Factory Store  
A|X Armani  
Exchange Outlet  
Banana Republic  
Factory Store  
BCBG Max Azria  
Brooks Brothers  
Factory Store  
Calvin Klein  
Cole Haan  
Converse  
Gap Outlet

Forever 21  
Guess Factory Store  
Gymboree Outlet  
Hollister Outlet  
Juicy Couture  
Kenneth Cole  
Levi's Outlet  
LOFT Outlet  
Lord & Taylor  
Outlet Store  
Maidenform  
Neiman Marcus  
Last Call  
Nine West  
Saks Fifth Avenue  
OFF 5th

Old Navy  
Osh Kosh  
Seiko - The  
Company Store  
Timberland  
Tommy Hilfiger  
Company Store  
20-screen  
AMC Theater  
& IMAX  
VF Outlet  
...and many more!

Mon.-Sat.  
10:00am-9:00pm  
Sun. 11:00am-7:00pm  
Holiday hours may vary

1-877-SAY-VALU  
www.jerseygardens.com



### LEGEND

- 1 NJTransit Elizabeth Station
- 2 Union County College Campus
- 3 Altenburg Piano House
- 4 Ritz Theatre
- 5 St. John's Episcopal Church
- 6 First Presbyterian Church
- 7 Union County Court House
- 8 Elizabeth Public Library
- 9 Elizabeth City Hall
- 10 Boxwood Hall
- 11 Bonnell House
- 12 Belcher-Ogden Mansion
- 13 NJTransit North Elizabeth Station
- 14 IKEA
- 15 Jersey Gardens



Midtown Business District

TO NEWARK

North Elizabeth Station  
NJTRANSIT  
The Way To Go.

Newark Liberty International Airport

IKEA

IKEA DR

Jersey Gardens

Warinaco Park

Mattano Park

Veterans Memorial Waterfront Park

ROUTE 278

TO GOETHALS BRIDGE

ROUTE 148

ROUTE 149

ROUTE 95

NEW JERSEY TURNPIKE - ROUTE 95

KAPKOWSKI RD

JERSEY GARDENS BLVD

WESTFIELD AVE - W. FRONT ST

W. GRAND ST

RAHWAY AVE

S. ELNORA AVE

RAHWAY AVE

S. BROAD ST

S. 7TH ST

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# Area Transportation

## NJ Transit

[www.njtransit.com](http://www.njtransit.com)

NJ Transit operates an extensive bus and train network of intra and interstate routes throughout New Jersey and into New York and Philadelphia. The system serves the region's commercial centers with commuter runs to and from Manhattan, Newark, Jersey City, Trenton, Camden, Atlantic City, and Philadelphia.

- **Broad St. Station**  
11 West Grand St.  
(973) 275-5555  
(*photograph below*)
- **North Elizabeth Station**  
1180 North Avenue  
(973) 275-5555

## Newark Liberty International Airport

(973) 961-6000

[www.panynj.gov](http://www.panynj.gov)

Located within the city limits of Newark and Elizabeth, and situated about 15 miles southwest of midtown Manhattan, Newark Liberty International Airport (EWR) is the 10th busiest airport in the United States, and the nation's 5th busiest international air gateway. Included in this massive airport complex are a host of top restaurants, retailers, and a Marriott hotel.



## CAR RENTAL

### Avis Car Rental

Newark Airport  
(973) 961-4300  
[www.avis.com](http://www.avis.com)

### Budget Car Rental

Newark Airport  
(973) 961-2990  
[www.budget.com](http://www.budget.com)

### National Car Rental

Newark Airport  
(973) 849-2060  
[www.nationalcar.com](http://www.nationalcar.com)

### Enterprise Rent-A-Car

[www.enterprise.com](http://www.enterprise.com)  
Newark Airport  
754 Carlton Rd.  
Highway 1 North  
(908) 965-1951  
519 Pennsylvania Ave.  
(908) 351-4040

### Hertz Car Rental

Newark Airport  
(973) 621-7620  
[www.hertz.com](http://www.hertz.com)



# Parks & Recreation

## Mattano Park

Accessed at Fifth Avenue and Fifth Street in Elizabeth, Mattano Park offers many recreational opportunities, including ball fields, playgrounds and, in the summer, a water spray for children. Visitors will enjoy nature with beautiful views of green fields and the nearby Elizabeth River.

## Veteran's Memorial Waterfront Park

(*photograph below*)

Fronting on the Kill Van Kull Waterway, this Elizabeth park was dedicated in 1993. It is accessed on the corner of Front Street and Elizabeth Avenue and borders New York Harbor. It features a boardwalk recreation area that contains a fishing pier, tables for chess, bike racks, benches and a city-run marina equipped with slips and dry dock facilities for more than 60 privately owned boats. The annual waterfront festival, held during Memorial Day Weekend, typically draws thousands of visitors from across the region.

## Warinanco Park

(908) 298-7850

(*photograph above*)

Sprawling 204 acres, this park is located in Elizabeth, Linden, and Roselle, and was designed by the noted landscape architect Frederick Olmstead—the designer of New York's Central Park. Housing many amenities—including a bicycle path, boating (row boats and pedal boats rented on an hourly basis), skating center, tennis courts, running track, winding trails, ice skating rink, fitness course, football, soccer and baseball fields, kids' playgrounds and a water spray for children in the summer - the park is known for its rich greenery. Towering trees, cherry blossoms that sprout in the spring, azaleas, tulips and magnolias provide a scenic backdrop. The park's biggest attraction is Warinanco Ice Skating Center, which is typically open from October to March each year.



# Hotels

## Best Western Newark Airport West

101 International Way  
Newark, NJ 07114  
(973) 621-6200  
www.bwnewark.com

## Comfort Suites

1348 McCarter Highway, Route 21  
Newark, NJ 07114  
(973) 481-5200  
www.comfortsuites.com

## Country Inns and Suites

100 Glimcher Realty Way  
Elizabeth, NJ 07201  
(908) 282-0020  
www.countryinns.com

## Courtyard by Marriott Newark

600 Routes 1 & 9 South  
Newark, NJ 07114  
(973) 643-8500  
www.marriott.com

## Courtyard by Marriott Elizabeth

87 Glimcher Realty Way  
Elizabeth, NJ 07202  
(908) 436-9800  
www.marriott.com

## Holiday Inn Newark Airport

450 Routes 1 & 9 South  
Newark, NJ 07114  
(973) 242-0900  
www.newarkairportholidayinn.com

## Extended Stay America

45 Glimcher Realty Way  
Elizabeth, NJ 07201  
(908) 355-4300  
www.extendedstayamerica.com

## Fairfield Inn & Suites

618 Routes 1 & 9 South  
Newark, NJ 07114  
(973) 242-2600  
www.marriott.com

## Hampton Inn & Suites Newark Riverwalk

100 Passaic Avenue  
Harrison, NJ 07029  
(973) 483-1900  
www.hamptoninnandsuitesnewark.com

## Hampton Inn & Suites Newark Airport

1128-38 Spring Street  
Elizabeth, NJ 07207  
(908) 355-0500  
www.hamptoninn.com

## Hilton Newark Penn Station

1 Gateway Center  
Newark, NJ 07102  
(973) 622-5000  
www.hilton.com

## Hilton at Newark Airport

1170 Spring St.  
Elizabeth, NJ 07201  
(908) 351-3900  
www.newarkairport.hilton.com

## Holiday Inn

160 Frontage Road  
Newark, NJ 07114  
(973) 854-7800  
www.holiday-inn.com

## Renaissance Newark Airport Hotel

1000 Spring Street  
Elizabeth, NJ 07201  
(908) 436-4600  
www.renaissancenewarkairport.com

## Newark Airport Marriott

Newark, NJ 07114  
(973) 623-0006  
www.newarkairportmarriott.com

## Residence Inn by Marriott

83 Glimcher Realty Way  
Elizabeth, NJ 07201  
(908) 352-4300  
www.residenceinn.com/ewreb

## Best Western Robert Treat Hotel

50 Park Place, Newark, NJ 07102  
(973) 622-1000  
www.rthotel.com

## Sheraton Hotel

128 Frontage Road  
Newark, NJ 07114  
(973) 690-5500  
www.sheraton.com

## Springhill Suites

652 Routes 1 & 9 South  
Newark, NJ 07114  
(973) 242-2600  
www.marriott.com/ewrsa

## Wyndham Garden Hotel

550 Routes 1 & 9 South  
Newark, NJ 07114  
(973) 824-4000  
www.wyndham.com/hotels/EWRAP



## Local Organizations

**The City of Elizabeth is the economic engine for the state of New Jersey, leading the way as a hub for transportation, shipping, industrial and retail opportunities. Businesses interested in coming to the City will find a solid network of public and private partners in place, ready to assist with any needs.**

### Elizabeth Avenue Partnership

1086 Elizabeth Ave.  
(908) 965-0660  
www.elizabethavenue.org  
The Elizabeth Avenue Partnership is a downtown management corporation designated to manage all aspects of the Elizabeth Avenue Special Improvement District. Since its inception, the organization's mission has been to revitalize and enhance all aspects of the shopping district by focusing on the following areas: image and appearance, safety and security, parking, promotions, events and quality business development and retention. Through the organization's efforts, the Elizabeth Avenue shopping district has become a safer and more attractive place for visitors, residents and merchants.

### The Greater Elizabeth Chamber of Commerce

456 North Broad St.  
(908) 355.7600  
www.elizabethchamber.com  
Founded in 1997, The Greater Elizabeth Chamber of Commerce promotes the city's revitalization efforts and tourism in conjunction with the Greater Newark Convention and Visitors Bureau. An organization of businesses that have banded together to undertake business and community programs, The Greater Elizabeth Chamber of Commerce affords its members the opportunity to meet potential clients and customers, network and expand contacts, enhance managerial expertise, and address issues of concern to the business community.

### Elizabeth Development Co.

288 North Broad Street, third floor  
(909) 289-0262  
www.edcnj.org  
The Elizabeth Development Co. is a nonprofit development company that assists business development expansion and improvement for the city of Elizabeth.

### Historic Midtown Elizabeth Special Improvement District

1139 East Jersey St.  
Suite 616  
(908) 355-9600  
www.elizabethsid.org  
*(photograph above)*  
The Historic Midtown Elizabeth Special Improvement District's main function is to perform supplemental municipal services, while implementing, sponsoring, and coordinating marketing and promotional events for the district. An on-site professional staff administers programs and services offered by the corporation. Its main priority is to keep the district safe and clean, restore and beautify the area, increase retail sales, enhance property values, attract new businesses, and market and promote the district with its many events and programs.

# Restaurants



## Tommy's Hot Dogs and Sausages

900 Second Ave.  
(908) 351-9831

## Tropicana Diner

545 Morris Ave.  
(908) 351-7775  
*(photograph left)*

## BAKERIES

### Alkazar Bakery

110 E. Jersey St.  
(908) 355-7866

### Bella Palermo Pastry Shop

619 Elizabeth Ave.  
(908) 354-8610  
*(photograph opposite page)*

### Brisas Colombianas Bakery

262 Morris Ave.  
(908) 353-6999

### Caribe Portuguese Bakery

826 Elizabeth Ave.  
(908) 282-2096

### Carloto's Pastry Shop

805 Elizabeth Ave.  
(908) 352-3122

### Elizabeth's Bakery

633 Elizabeth Ave.  
(908) 820-0005

## La Palmita Bakery

847 Elizabeth Ave.  
(908) 354-3055

## La Ricora Bakery

107 Orchard St.  
(908) 527-1108

## Las Americas Bakery

137 Elmora Ave.  
(908) 354-3002

## Mi Columbia Bakery

140 Elmora Ave.  
(908) 351-2888

## North Ave Bakery

1034 North Ave.  
(908) 352-9145

## Oasis Pastry Shop

908 Elizabeth Ave.  
(908) 629-0002

## Pao da Avo

545 Edgar Rd.  
(908) 962-9090

## CARIBBEAN

### Alvarez Café

511 Elizabeth Ave.  
(908) 289-4011

### Bamboleo

201 Elizabeth Ave.  
(908) 353-0203

### Club Ole

323 N. Broad St.  
(908) 352-5255

### Coco Bongo

429 N. Broad St.  
(908) 527-1928

### El Nuevo Latino Restaurant

295 Morris Ave.  
(908) 527-1770

### El Palmar Restaurant

523 Elizabeth Ave.  
(908) 355-9621

### La Cabana

901 Elizabeth Ave.  
(908) 353-1761

### Lava Lounge

1 S. Front Street  
(908) 354-1818



## Mojito Lounge & Restaurant

525 Bayway Ave.  
(908) 469-1741

## Mango's Lounge

654 New Point Rd.  
(908) 289-6767

## Manolo's

91 Elizabeth Ave.  
(908) 353-7674

## CENTRAL/SOUTH

### AMERICAN

### Centro America Bar & Restaurant

254 N. Broad St.  
(908) 289-5250

### El Iman Restaurant

945 Elizabeth Ave.  
(908) 351-8669

### El Salvadoreno Restaurant

1128 Elizabeth Ave.  
(908) 289-3378

### Rocky's Restaurant

649 Elizabeth Ave.  
(908) 558-3599

### Tumi

600 Bayway Ave.  
(908) 659-0006

## AMERICAN

### City Tavern

1109 Elizabeth Ave.  
(908) 353-7113

### Ironbound Grill

1000 Spring Street  
Renaissance Newark Airport Hotel  
(908) 436-4600

### Jerry's Famous Frankfurters

906 Second Ave.  
(908) 355-4242  
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### Magic Fountain

300 Williamson St.  
(908) 351-3133

### Olympia Diner

460 Maple Ave.  
(908) 289-2465



# Restaurants

## ITALIAN

**Michelino's**  
169 Washington Ave.  
(908) 355-8393

**Michelino's Midtown Café**  
14 Julian Pl.  
(908) 353-3733

**Spirito's**  
714 Third Ave.  
(908) 351-5414

**Torna a Sorrento Restaurant**  
52 Westfield Ave.  
(908) 351-4060

**KOSHER**  
**First Jerusalem**  
150 Elmora Ave.  
(908) 289-0291

**Glatt Spot**  
155 Elmora Ave.  
(908) 354-0448

**Tacos N Things**  
123 Elmora Ave.  
(908) 469-4722

**MEXICAN**  
**Cinco de Mayo**  
1169 Dickinson St.  
(908) 282-1911

**El Pinar Restaurant**  
12 Winfield Scott Plaza  
(866) 677-4125



**Rancho Mateo**  
651 Elizabeth Ave.  
(908) 662-0828

**Tequila's Grill**  
824 Pearl St.  
(908) 965-1002

**PIZZERIA**  
**Eli's Pizza Pasta**  
602 E. Jersey St.  
(908) 436-0436

**Elin's Pizza**  
701 Elizabeth Ave.  
(908) 355-3320

**Queens Pizza**  
74 Broad St.  
(908) 289-6790

**Santillo's Brick Oven Pizza**  
639 S. Broad St.  
(908) 354-1887

**Spinner's Pizza**  
946 S Elmora Ave.  
(908) 527-080

**SPANISH AND PORTUGUESE**  
**Algarve Restaurant**

656 Van Buren Ave.  
(908) 353-5858

**Aroma Restaurant & Lounge**  
624 Westfield Ave.  
(908) 289-9289

**Don Alex Restaurant**  
356 Rahway Ave.  
(908) 354-9270

**Europa Bar & Restaurant**  
625 Westfield Ave.  
(908) 355-2233

**Hobasco Restaurant**  
353 Washington Ave.  
(908) 820-0999

**Minhoto Restaurant**  
851 E. Jersey St.  
(908) 965-1400

**O Teimoso**  
854 Second Ave.  
(908) 282-9850  
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**Portugal Express**  
460 S. Broad St.  
(908) 352-7818

**Stephanie's BBQ**  
733 Edgar Rd.  
(908) 527-8115

**Tapas of Spain**  
746 Carlton St.  
(908) 289-2526

**Valenca**  
665 Monroe Ave.  
(908) 354-2525



## Nightlife

**Bamboleo**  
201 Elizabeth Ave.  
(908) 353-0203

**Bambu**  
545 Bayway Ave.  
(908) 353-7000  
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**Blue Sky Bar/ Restaurant**  
1204 E. Grand St.  
(908) 351-0102

**Coco Bongo**  
429 N Broad St.  
(908) 527-1928

**Club Ole**  
323 N Broad St.  
(908) 352-5255  
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**Dolce Lounge**  
17 Broad St.  
(908) 352-2578

**Kafe**  
296 Morris Ave.  
(908) 436-0911

**Kanela's Lounge**  
265 N Broad St.  
(908) 354-0324

**Lotus Bar & Restaurant**  
12 S Broad St.  
(908) 352-5117

**Mojito Lounge & Restaurant**  
525 Bayway Ave.  
(908) 469-1741

**New Station House Bar & Grill**  
253 Morris Ave.  
(908) 353-4009

**New World Bar & Restaurant**  
463 Marshall St.  
(908) 355-0333

**Terminal One Sports Bar**  
566 Spring St.  
(908) 354-3685



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