



Cruise Charleston Driving Directions

Your primary entrance gate for cruise embarkations from Charleston is Union Pier Terminal - Gate 2. Gate 2 is near 32 Washington Street, at the intersection of Concord and Laurens Streets. The Cruise Terminal is located within Union Pier Terminal.

Charleston via I-26 Eastbound:

Follow I-26 East into Charleston.

Take Exit 219 – B (Morrison Drive & East Bay Street) and turn left at the foot of the exit ramp.

Cross over King Street, then cross over Meeting Street.

Once you cross over Meeting Street, you are on Morrison Drive.

Stay on Morrison Drive. The street name will change from Morrison Drive to East Bay Street.

Follow the green highway signs to Union Pier Terminal.

You will pass a U.S. Post Office on the right. Smaller signs in brown and white with a cruise ship logo are also along the travel route to direct you to the entry gate.

From East Bay Street, turn left on to Chapel Street at the traffic light.

Continue to follow the green highway signs to Cruise Ship Terminal/Union Pier Terminal.

Chapel Street will change name to Washington Street along the route.

Turn left onto Charlotte Street and right onto Concord Street.

Passengers enter Union Pier Terminal through Gate 2 at the intersection of Concord and Laurens Streets.

Charleston from U.S. Hwy. 17-Southbound (From Myrtle Beach and North Carolina)

Enter the Charleston area via the City of Mt. Pleasant.

Follow 17-South signs to the Ravenel Bridge across the Cooper River. Cross the bridge.

Take Morrison Drive / East Bay Street exit from the right lane of the bridge (first exit).

Turn left on to East Bay Street from the exit ramp at the foot of the bridge.

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Coming into Charleston from 17-Northbound (From Hilton Head and Georgia)

Enter the Charleston area via Highway 17- North and follow signs to Interstate 526 East.

Once on 526 East, take #17 to I-26 East – towards Charleston.

From I-26, take exit 219 – B (Morrison Drive & East Bay Street ramp) and turn left at the foot of the exit ramp.

Morrison drive will turn into East Bay Street. Stay on Morrison Drive / East Bay Street.

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