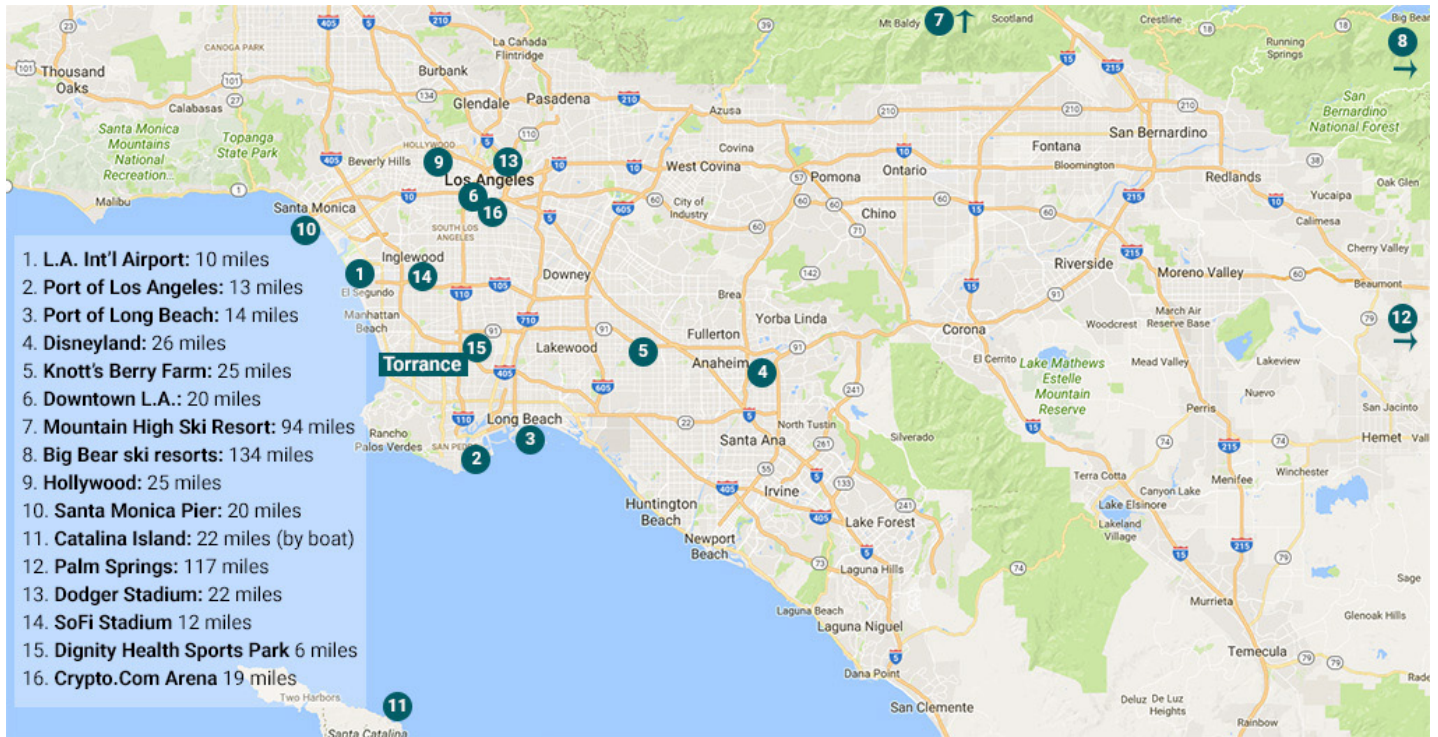


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Torrance is convenient to world-class amenities, but retains a hometown feel

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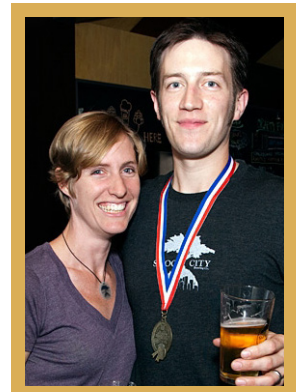
Patriotic Tradition: Torrance is proud to consider itself one of the most patriotic cities in the nation. It is home to the long-running Torrance Armed Forces Day Parade and Celebration. In addition, the City's Veterans Memorial Wall, Seaside Heroes Park and Hometown Heroes Banner program also honor all those in military service.

Farmers' Market: The Torrance Certified Farmers' Market has been a fixture in Torrance for more than 30 years. This twice-weekly market offers fresh and local, seasonal produce, nuts, plants and flowers. Other offerings include eggs, honey, baked goods, artisan cheese, fish and more.



Craft Beer Hub: Torrance is home to a thriving craft beer scene, with 11 craft breweries. It was voted "Best Beer City in L.A."

Schools: Torrance high schools are consistently recognized as some of the best in the state and nation. Torrance Unified also was named as a top 20 Honor Roll district by the Campaign for Business and Education Excellence. Torrance is also in close proximity to a number of community colleges and universities.



Madrona Marsh Nature Center & Preserve: The Madrona Marsh preserve is known as "an island of wilderness in the city" and is home to native plants, birds and other wildlife. It is the last vernal freshwater marsh in L.A. County.

Art, Culture, Sports and More: Torrance has its own art museum, theater company and sports complex. It also provides easy access to South Coast Botanic Garden, many museums, theaters, golf courses, professional sporting events, whale watching excursions, concert venues, hiking and biking trails, mountains, deserts and more in Southern California.