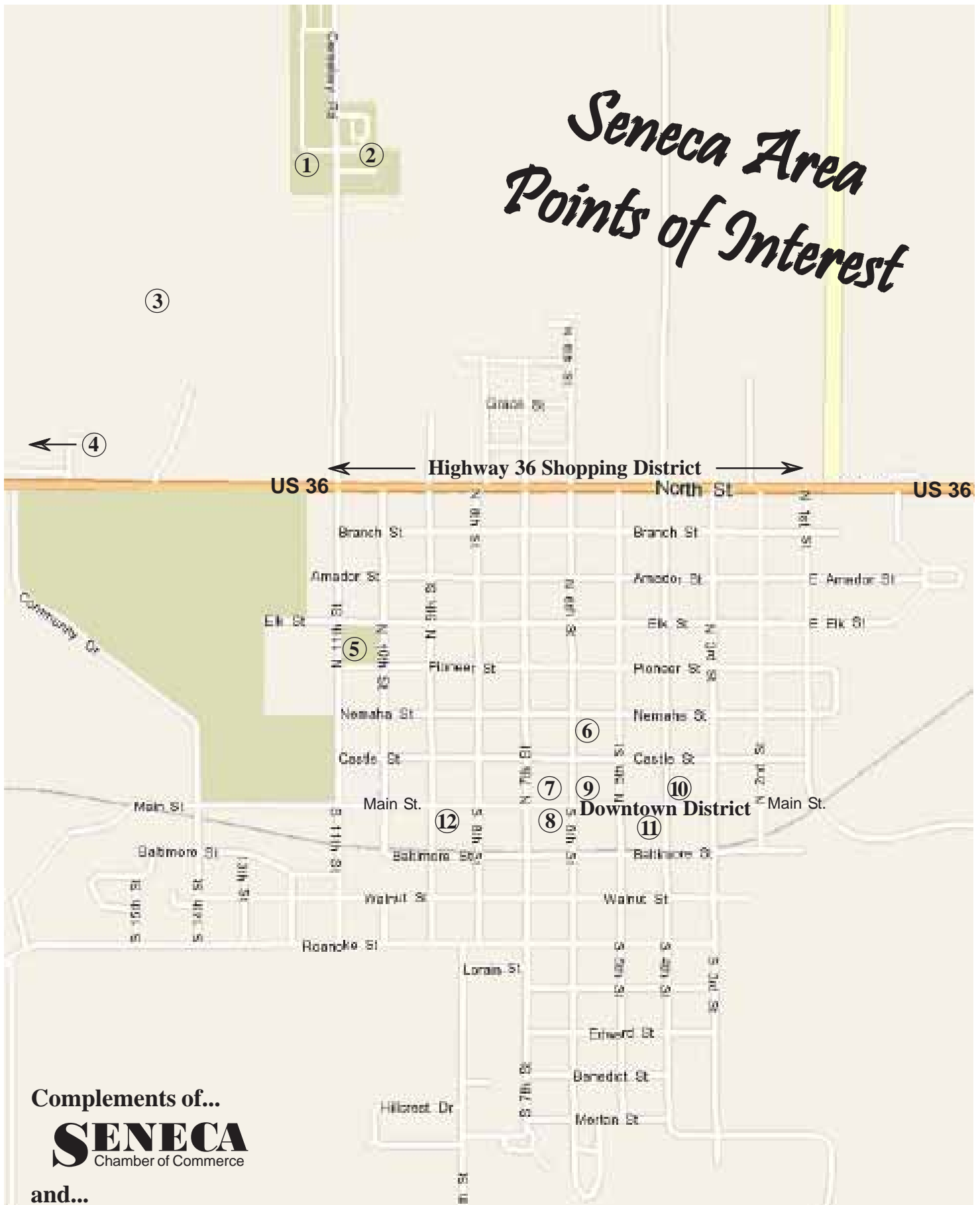


# Seneca Area Points of Interest



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- 1. City Cemetary**
- 2. Catholic Cemetary**
- 3. Spring Creek Golf Course**

Public, 18-holes, links-style course opened for play 2007. Clubhouse, with snack bar, driving range. Spring Creek Road (North of Hwy 36, just off Cemetary Road)
- 4. St. Mary's Church**

St. Benedict, KS

  - Enrolled as Kansas Historic Site, 1978
  - Enrolled as National Historic Place, 1980
  - Received 1982 Kansas Preservation Alliance Award for Excellence, Interior Restoration (1 mile West from Hwy 36 & 11th St. corner to K-178, then 3½ miles North)
- 5. Hand-dug Well**

City Park  
11th St. (between Elk and Pioneer)  
The World's widest and Kansas' second largest in volume. Until the new course opened, this well supplied water to the Seneca Golf Course. At that time, it was the largest well in Kansas still in operation.

Adjacent to the well is a WWII M-7, 105mm self-propelled howitzer.
- 6. Nemaha County Historical Museum**

113 N. 6th St.  
Enroled on the Kansas and National Historic Registers. Built in 1879 as Nemaha County's Jail House. Today it features artifacts depicting the early days of the county and each decade since.
- 7. U.S. Post Office**

607 Main St.  
Dedicated July 12, 1938, this facility features most of the original Lobby fixtures, and is enrolled on the Kansas and National Historic Registers. In the lobby is a WPA-era wall mural commissioned in 1940. The oil-on-canvas original, titled "Men and Wheat," was done by Joe Jones.
- 8. Old Stone Church**

606 Main St.  
The first Universalist Church in Kansas, built in 1867 by pioneer Methodists, Presbyterians and Universalists. When the project ran short of money, the Universalists contributed an extra \$1,600. The building then became known as a Universalist church, but the other denominations also used it.
- 9. City Hall Building**

Main St. and 6th

  - Chamber of Commerce (Main St. side)
  - Public Rest Rooms

**Fire House Museum** (6th St. Side)

  - Firefighting memorabilia and antique equipment, featuring a 1922 Stutz fire engine.
- 10. Pony Express Museum**

Corner of Main and 4th St.  
Artifacts and displays of the Pony Express days and its ties to the Seneca area. The oldest wooden jail in the U.S. is on display here.
- 11. Pony Express Historical Marker**

(Opposite corner from the Museum)  
Marks the site of the original Seneca Pony Express station.
- 12. Civil War Cannon**

Corner of Main and 9th St.