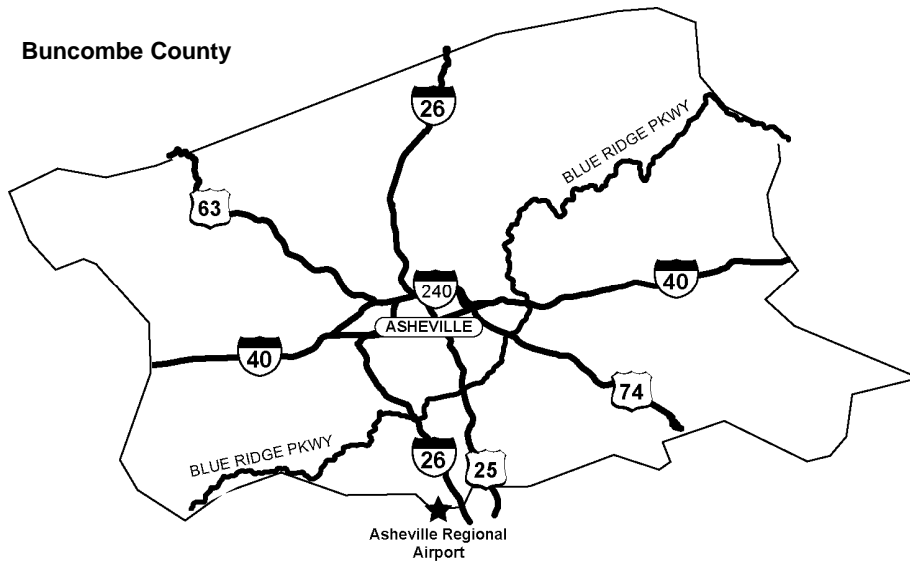


Transportation

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Asheville is approximately equidistant to Chicago, New York, Tampa, and New Orleans. The Great Lakes, Mississippi River, and Gulf of Mexico are within a 500 mile radius of Asheville.

Highways		
Interstate Highways		I-26, I-40, and I-240
U.S. Highways		U.S. 19/23, 25, 25A, 70, 74

Bus Service	
	Asheville Transit System - 24 routes

For more information visit:
http://www.ashevillenc.gov/residents/transportation/city_bus/

Asheville Regional Airport - Non Stop Departures			
City	State	November	December
Atlanta	Georgia	Delta	Delta
Charlotte	North Carolina	US Airways	US Airways
Detroit	Michigan	Northwest	Northwest
Houston	Texas	Continental	Continental
Laguardia	New York	Delta	Delta
Newark	New Jersey	Continental	Continental
Orlando	Florida	AirTran	AirTran
Chicago	Illinois		United

Visit www.flyavl.com for more detailed information on flights and schedules

Railroad

Asheville is served by the Norfolk Southern Railroad Corporation providing rail lines through Knoxville, TN to the west and Greenville, SC to the south. To the east, rail lines adjoin North Carolina's 3,600 mile rail network approximately an hour away in Greer, SC. Passenger service is available in Greenville, SC. Local facilities offer loading and unloading, while a piggyback service is available.

Motor Freight Carriers

There are over 60 motor freight carriers serving the Asheville area.

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