



KALAMAZOO

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KALAMAZOO COUNTY AUGUSTA

Park **OPEN**

108 E. Clinton
1949-

Co-operative Theaters of Michigan owned this theatre 1969-1995. It is now open on a part time basis.



GALESBURG

Gale **CLOSED**

? 1945-? 1955

Independent Exhibitor Theater Service owned this theatre in 1955.

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Auto Drive-In **CLOSED**

? 1950-? 1955

Mutual Theaters, Inc. (booking agent) owned this theatre in 1950.

Campus **CLOSED**

2620 W Michigan Ave
1969-1985

This was the last single-screen cinema to be built here in Kalamazoo. Butterfield Circuit (Publix-Paramount) owned it.



Capitol **CLOSED**

AKA: Majestic

116 E South
? 1925-1974

Butterfield Circuit (Publix-Paramount) owned this theatre, which had 1,026 seats.



Cinema Screening Room

OPEN ADULT

1327 Portage St
? 1980-

Adult cinema.



Cinema X **CLOSED ADULT**

AKA: Deja Vu

1343 Portage St
? 1980-? 1990

Adult cinema.



Douglas Drive-In **CLOSED**

? 1900 Douglas
1955-1985

680 cars

Butterfield Circuit (Publix-Paramount) owned this drive-in 1964-1980.



Eastowne 1-2-3-4-5

5288 Gull Rd
1977-1998

Owners:

1980 Co-operative Theaters of Michigan

1985-1998 Loeks, Jack Theatres



Elite **CLOSED**

? 1925

Kalamazoo Amusement Co. owned this theatre.

Fuller **CLOSED**

225 S Burdick
? 1925-? 1950

1,017 seats

Owners:

1925 Kalamazoo Amusement Co.
1935-1950 Butterfield Circuit (Publix-Paramount)



Grand **CLOSED**

? 1935-? 1945

200 seats

Gull Road 5 **OPEN**

AKA: Eastowne 1-5

5288 Gull Rd
2005-

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Kalamazoo 10 **OPEN**

820 Maple Hill Dr
1997-
Goodrich Quality owned this theatre.



Le Bijou 1 et 2 **CLOSED**

100 W Michigan
? 1980-? 1990



Majestic **CLOSED**

AKA: Capitol
116 E South
1907-? 1920
This was the first theatre in the Butterfield Circuit (Publix-Paramount) circuit.



Maple Hill Cinema

CLOSED
5290 W Main St
1971-? 2000
Opened as a twin by General Cinemas and a 3rd screen added in 1978.



Michigan **CLOSED**

122 E Michigan
? 1935-? 1961
616 seats
Butterfield Circuit (Publix-Paramount) owned this theatre 1940-1961.



Movies at West Main 7

CLOSED
AKA: West Main
148 West Main
1978-? 2000
* 1968 opened by United Artists Theatre Circuit with a single screen
* Early 1980's 5 screens
* Late 1980's 7 screens
* 2000's closed

New **CLOSED**

150 W Michigan
? 1925-? 1950
276 seats
Owners:
1925 P C. Schram
1945 Butterfield Circuit (Publix-Paramount)

Orpheum **CLOSED**

119 E Michigan
? 1925-? 1950
252 seats
Owners:
1925 P C. Schram
1945-1950 Butterfield Circuit (Publix-Paramount)

Palace **CLOSED**

? 1920

Rave Motion Pictures

Cityplace 14 **OPEN**

180 Portage
November 17, 2006-
2,900 seats



Regent **CLOSED**

? 1920-? 1930
Butterfield Circuit (Publix-Paramount) owned this theatre.

Royal **CLOSED**

? 1935
256 seats

State **LIVE**

404 S Burdick St
July 14, 1927-1982 (as cinema)
1,811 seats
Jointly owned by Butterfield Circuit (Publix-Paramount) and Loew's in 1927 to the early 1930's. It is now a performing arts center.



Uptown **CLOSED**

249 N Burdick
1937-1959
Butterfield Circuit (Publix-Paramount) owned this theatre, which had 720 seats



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PORTAGE

Beacon Cinema I & II

CLOSED

5401 Portage St
1976-1990

* 1976 opened by Butterfield Circuit (Publix-Paramount) to replace the Capitol theatre downtown.
* 1985 dollar movies are shown here as Butterfield Circuit (Publix-Paramount) sells it.
* 1990 closed and demolished

Celebration! Crossroads

15 OPEN

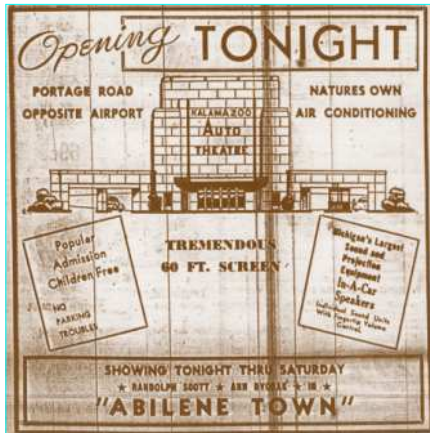
AKA: UA Movies at Crossroads
6600 Ring Rd
2005-

Celebration Theatres owned this theatre.

Kalamazoo Drive-In

CLOSED

AKA: Portage Drive-In
5528 Portage
July 8, 1948-? 1950



Movies at Crossroads 10

AKA: Celebration! Crossroads 15

6600 Ring Rd

? 1990-2003

400 cars

Owners:

1990-2002 United Artists Theatre

Circuit

2002-2003 Regal Cinemas



Plaza 2 CLOSED

6235 S Westnedge
1972-? 2000

Owners:

1975-1980 Auto-Cine, Inc

1985-1998 Loeks, Jack Theatres

2000 Celebration Theatres



Portage Drive-In CLOSED

AKA: Kalamazoo Drive-In

5528 Portage

? 1961-1983

Butterfield Circuit (Publix-Paramount)

owned this drive-in 1964-1983

SCHOOLCRAFT

Comfort **CLOSED**

? 1930-? 1935

VICKSBURG

Sun **CLOSED**

? 1930-? 1955

400 seats

Sun Theater Co. (Booked by independent Exhibitor) owned this theatre.

35 listings

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