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The Astoria Riverwalk and Astoria Bridge.

Afternoon activity: See town from a different perspective

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If you've ever wanted to see a town from a different vantage point, you can't go wrong with Astoria. There are numerous places throughout town and nearby to get a gorgeous view, whether it's of the Columbia River, the Astoria Bridge, downtown or another spot altogether.

To see town in a new way, consider driving or hiking up toward the Astoria Column. If you've already visited (which if you haven't, you should), try finding a spot that isn't at the top of the hill but instead nearby, on Madison, Niagara or Lexington avenues. All three, as well as surrounding streets, offer awe-worthy views.

Other spots worth checking out include the areas near Tongue Point, the Astoria Bridge and Youngs River.

A view off the Columbia River and U.S. Highway 30, north of Tongue Point.



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