

# SELF GUIDED TULIP GARDEN WALKING TOUR



It's Tulip Time! With over 50,000 carefully curated tulips planted in gardens throughout town, Wilson is a can't-miss destination this spring. Some call it the most Instagram-able moment of the year, and you can take some home by stopping at The Grange or White's before they are all gone!

## 1 WILSON CAFE

The Wilson Cafe provides a home for eight gardens. The mixture of white tulips are set generally about 2 inches apart. The long-lasting flowers open to a creamy white, a great compliment to the pink of 'Angelique' or almost anything else in your garden. Slide into the Tavern and sip on a glass of Heitz wine as you admire their beauty.

## 2 WILSON TOWN SQUARE

For the first time this year, we planted four surprise beds in our 25,000 sq. ft. town square. Tag us on social @visitwilson, and we'll share your magic with everyone!

## 3 PARK STREET GARDEN

Next to the tulip-lined boxes at the Wilson Post Office, the Park Street Garden showcases a variety of white and cream tulips. This stunning display surrounds the hand-laid brick walkway and is shaded by fifty-foot cottonwood trees. It's a favorite spot for some of those photos! These are an excellent choice for floral arrangements as their large blooms are shapely attractive and offer a very good vase life.

## 4 WILSON CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

The garden beside the Chamber and White's Mercantile features a mixture of four white tulips: White Emperor, Hakuun, White Flag, and Catherine. Some bloom early, some mid-season, and others late. This provides maximum impact with a long season of bloom. While visiting this garden, you might opt to stop at White's for a spring shopping spree!

## 5 THE GRANGE GARDENS

Our most extensive floral garden at The Grange features an explosion of color and tulip varieties. Each flower bed, consisting of seven separate tulip mixes, is carefully curated to complement one another in color and fragrance.

**MIX ONE:** Enjoy the bright orange color of the Foxy Foxtrot and Ophelia flowers, complemented by the tight pink Foxtrot and creamy white Mount Tacoma.

**MIX TWO:** Our brightest mix features purple (Amazing Purple), orange (Orange Pride), and pink (Rosalie) tulips.

**MIX THREE:** Coral pink shaded and deeper pink and apricot, Tulip Mystic van Eijk has stunning large cupped shaped flowers held on strong stems that withstand wind and rain, accompanied by the pink Rosalie.

**MIX FOUR:** Dark pink petals crown the extra tall stems of the Wilja Tulip. This variety is featured with the lilac Sweet Flag and Purple Prince tulips.

**MIX FIVE:** The beautiful Apricot Fox Tulip showcases its glowing shades that change with the weather - brighter in cooler temperatures and softer in warm. Accompanied by the lovely pink Big Love and apricot Blushing Impression varieties.

**MIX SIX:** The stunning bright yellow Big Smile tulip stands out among the lovely Negrita and Alibi purple flowers.

**MIX SEVEN:** Among three bold varieties, the Dordogne Tulip stands out with its orange color and fragrance. Partnered with the brightly colored pink Big Love and yellow Creme Flag, this garden is ideal for taking your favorite photos.

