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GRAND MESA

Thunder Mountain. That's what the Native Americans called Grand Mesa. Towering 6,000 feet above the valley, it holds the title of the largest flattop mountain in the world. Traversed by the Grand Mesa Scenic and Historic Byway, travelers can reach the top of the mesa to behold a breathtaking panorama of the valley below.

UN-FUN FACTS

Miles long
63

Elevation (ft.)
11,000

Hours of drive time
2

Flat Top Mountain
12,362 ft

Nearest branch location:
Glenwood Springs, CO

POWDER-HORN

Locals say the snow at this remote ski resort is some of the state's softest.

MESA

Home to numerous antique barns that delight sightseers.

DON'T FORGET YOUR...

Mesa Lakes

Griffith Lakes

Hannah Creek

land-o-lakes OVERLOOK

Not named after butter.

Island Lake

Grand Mesa National Forest

Baron Lake

Famous FLAT TOPS

3. *Queen Nefertiti*

2. *Frankenstein's Monster*

1. *Grand Mesa*

Nearest branch location:
Cedaredge, CO

Orchard City

Cedaredge

how to GET THERE

From Grand Junction, take I-70 east for about 10 minutes to CO highway 330. Turn right and drive for a few miles until you get to Mesa. Starting in Mesa, the byway travels through the Grand Mesa, Gunnison, and Uncompahgre National Forests to end in Cedaredge.

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