

# Questions & Answers



## WORLD WIDE RIVER EXPEDITIONS

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### HUMMER RAFT COMBO

### COLORADO RIVER

#### TRIP INFORMATION

##### **Q. WHERE DOES THE TRIP BEGIN AND END?**

**A.** The Hummer Raft Combo Trip begins and ends in **Moab, Utah**.

##### **Q. WHERE DO I MEET THE TRIP?**

**A.** The trip meets in Moab, Utah at the Highpoint Hummer office at **281 N. Main St** if doing the hummer tour first and at our warehouse if doing rafting first. Moab can be reached via Salt Lake City, UT or Grand Junction, CO. It is generally less expensive to fly into Salt Lake, whereas flying into Grand Junction is closer and a much quicker transfer to Moab. Several options for transfers from either Grand Junction or Salt Lake are available. Charter flights are available for both routes, rental cars and shuttle services are available at each airport. Driving time to Moab from Grand Junction is two hours by traveling west on I-70 then turning south on Hwy 191. Driving time from Salt Lake is four hours traveling south on I-15 to the Price/US 6 exit to east I-70 then south on Hwy 191. For directions you can look up our address on google maps, gps, etc, or if you do not have access to those feel free to email or call. We are located at the very end of Riversands Rd. on the left. Our office is in a residential area so please drive slowly, especially into the parking area.

##### **Q. DO I NEED TO CHECK IN?**

**A.** Please give us an email or call to check in when you get into Moab. If you have questions about the meeting time or place, please come by our office in Moab, or call us at our local phone number 435-259-7515 when you get into town.

##### **Q. WHERE SHOULD I STAY IN MOAB?**

**A.** If you need to stay in Moab the night before or after your trip visit [www.discovermoab.com](http://www.discovermoab.com) for a full list of hotels and campgrounds. Transfer and shuttle info can also be found here. If you need recommendations, feel free to contact us. All overnight accommodations are the responsibility of the client or the travel agent.

##### **Q. WHAT KIND OF EQUIPMENT WILL WE BE IN?**

**A.** A Hummer provides the smoothest and most comfortable ride of any 4-wheel drive vehicle. The Hummers carry 6-12 passengers. On the Colorado River we use 16-18 ft. paddle rafts with everyone participating or you can request an oar powered raft where the guide does all the driving. Smaller two-person inflatable kayaks can be requested in advance (based upon availability) so you can get up close and personal with the waves.

##### **Q. WHAT IS THE TRIP ITINERARY?**

**A.** If you are doing the morning hummer tour, the trip meets at the Highpoint Hummer office at **281 N. Main St.** in Moab at 8:15 am you will then load into the hummers for two hours of 4x4 fun through canyons and over sandstone fins near Moab. After the Hummer tour you will be shuttled to the river. The drive is approximately 20 minutes. Rafting, sightseeing, swimming, playing, and lunch compose the trip. You will return to Moab at approximately 3:30 pm. If doing the rafting trip first you will meet at our warehouse at 8:00 am. Where you will be shuttled to the put in which is about a 30 min drive. Rafting, sightseeing, swimming, and lunch compose the trip. You will return to Moab at approximately 3:30 pm. The sunset hummer tour meets at Highpoint Hummer office at 6:15 pm April 22<sup>nd</sup>-May 24<sup>th</sup>, 6:45 pm May 25<sup>th</sup>-July 29<sup>th</sup>, and 6:15 pm July 30<sup>th</sup>-Aug. 23<sup>rd</sup>. Then you will load into the hummers for a beautiful sunset tour.

##### **Q. WHAT KIND OF WEATHER CAN WE EXPECT? WILL IT RAIN?**

**A.** The Moab area has warm weather from April to September. July and August are warmer than June. The temperatures in the summer generally range from 80-110 degrees during the day. Rain is not common during the summer months. The weather forecast can give you an idea of what to expect. If the forecast indicates rain come prepared because when it rains, it usually rains hard.

##### **Q. WHAT ARE THE CLASSIFICATIONS OF THE RAPIDS?**

**A.** The rapids on the Fisher Towers Daily section offer class II whitewater which is splashy fun for everyone. This trip is perfect for first time rafters, families with children and experienced boaters who want a wet and mild one-day experience.

##### **Q. WHAT PERSONAL EQUIPMENT DO I NEED FOR THE TRIP?**

**A.** You will need to bring plenty of sunscreen, lip balm, a hat, sunglasses with safety strap, shorts or swimming suit (2 piece works well for women), river sandals or tennis shoes, and T-shirt that can get wet. A camera stored in 2 zip-lock bags for protection.

##### **Q. WHAT DOES WORLD WIDE SUPPLY?**

**A.** A Coast Guard approved Life Jacket (to be worn at all times), a small dry bag to use for sunscreen, camera, glasses, etc., all rafting and safety equipment, transportation to and from the river, a fantastic lunch, and great guides are all included in your trip cost.

##### **Q. WHAT KIND OF FOOD WILL BE SERVED?**

**A.** Lunch is a make it yourself sandwich buffet, with lunch meats, cheese, tomatoes, lettuce, onions, pickles, breads, etc. We also serve fruits, chips, cookies and lemonade. You will not go hungry and we do our best to keep you from standing in long lines for your meals. Water and Lemonade are provided, however, a water bottle is nice to have to use during the day. You may also choose to bring soda or other beverages. An ice chest is provided.

##### **Q. WHAT IF WE HAVE FOOD ALLERGIES?**

**A.** If we know about your food allergies in advance we can make accommodations to our menus for the safety of those with allergies. If your food allergy is severe, we suggest you bring a few of your favorite food items and we can help you transport them on the river for you to use when necessary. The only peanut products we use are peanut butter for sandwiches. Those with a peanut allergy can go through the lunch line first. For those with gluten allergies we suggest bringing your own favorite brand of gluten free bread.

##### **Q. WHEN IS MY BALANCE DUE AND WHAT IF I NEED TO CANCEL?**

**A.** Full payment is due at the time of the reservation. A full refund, less a \$5 per person administration fee, will be given for cancellations made 24 hours before the launch date. Cancellations made within 24 hrs or no shows are non-refundable. We reserve the right to cancel any trip, with a full refund, due to weather, water conditions, or insufficient reservations.

##### **Q. WHAT ABOUT GRATUITIES?**

**A.** You should never feel that a gratuity is automatically expected from you, but it is a great way to acknowledge excellent service. Our guides work hard to make each expedition a memorable and rewarding experience. May we suggest \$1-\$10 per person in your group.

**Responsibility:** Although World Wide River Expeditions and Highpoint Hummer Tours take every precaution when it comes to passenger safety, these activities have some inherent risks. Each participant will be required to sign an acknowledgment of risk form before participating. Parents must sign with minor children.

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