9. Automobiles

The AAA publishes a book on motor vehicle laws. Also available through the CAA, this provides detailed information on the rules of the road in each U.S. state. The CAA and the AAA will provide information to both members and non-members over the telephone during normal business hours. The CAA national office, located in Ottawa, can be reached at (613) 226-7631 or 1-800-267-8713. The numbers for other CAA offices can be found in your local telephone directory. The CAA and AAA have a reciprocal membership agreement.

10. U.S. government offices in Canada

The U.S. Department of State maintains a number of diplomatic offices in Canada. The embassy is located in Ottawa and there are consulates general in Calgary, Halifax, Montreal, Quebec City, Toronto and Vancouver. At each there are U.S. consular officers available to help you with problems.

Ottawa. Embassy of the United States of America, Consular Section, 85 Albert Street, Ottawa, ON; mailing address 100 Wellington Street, Ottawa, ON K1P 5T1; tel. (613) 238-4470. Consular district includes eastern Ontario and Baffin Island.

Calgary. U.S. Consulate General, 615 Macleod Trail SE, Calgary, AB T2G 4T8; tel. (403) 266-8962. Consular district includes Alberta, Manitoba, Saskatchewan, and the Districts of MacKenzie and Keewatin in the Northwest Territories.