



**Knife River  
Indian Villages  
National Historic Site**

**Big Hidatsa Village**  
Mirahaci Awadish  
"willow village"  
ca. 1600-1845

**Sakakawea Village**  
Awadixaa  
"elongated village"  
1790s-1834

**Lower Hidatsa Village**  
Awadixaa Xie  
"lower elongated  
village"  
ca. 1525-1780

**Amahami Village**  
Awaxa?wi  
"mountain  
(butte) village"  
1790s-1834

**Deapolis Village**  
Awadi Oogo?shdash (M)  
"village of few"  
ca. 1806-37

**Missouri River**  
Awaadhi  
Maatah (M)  
ciinaaNIishi? (A)  
"river"

**Rhuptare Village**  
Awa?ihbu Awadish (M)  
"earth point village"  
1790s-ca. 1806

**Mitu'ahakto's (M)**  
"east village" or "first village"  
1822-37

**niineesawatu'NU (A)**  
"over the rise"  
1838-60

**Fort Mandan**  
Lewis and Clark, 1804-5

**Fort Clark**  
1831-60

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Me?chi?aashish  
Maah? Pasah (M)  
neesihUsAhaanu? (A)