

↓ HOW TO GET TO HERE FROM JOHANNESBURG ↓

A lot of our guests fly to Johannesburg, which is an airport hub for Southern Africa, as there is a lot of choice for flights. Maputo is more and more upcoming so definitely check flights out to the capitol of Mozambique as well; Qatar, Ethiopian and TAP are a few airline companies to name.

OWN TRANSPORT:

In Mozambique driving is on the left hand side. For tips & tricks check out the Facebook page 'DriveMoz'.

It is possible to rent a car in South Africa (no 4WD needed, but can be beneficial). When renting a car from SA to Mozambique, you need to make sure you are allowed to cross the border with your rental car. Online, for example at Hollard, you need to obtain a third party insurance (R280 per vehicle for 30 days). The Temporary Import Paper (TIP) for the car costs 750 mts at the border. There is an ATM at the border but also at the petrol stations in Komati poort you can exchange money (check the currency exchange rate and count your money!!)

The main roads in South Africa and Mozambique are good, but be prepared - driving from Johannesburg (about 1000 kilometers) will take at least 13 hours for the experienced drivers. Also, you might want to visit Swaziland, the Kruger Park or the Panorama Route in between.

Directions: Drive to Nelspruit and cross the border at Komatipoort (5 hours from Jo'burg) the border is called Ressano Garcia and in low-season open from 06:00 hr and in high-season 24 hrs per day. Watch out for the so-called "Runners" / "fake" officials do not use them! You will get fake stamps and car papers!

Do not feel intimidated, just ignore them and do it yourself: it's very easy! Always check the stamps in your passport on correct dates.

Just before Maputo you will take the ringroad, follow the signs to Xai-Xai. From there simply go further northwards, until you reach the turning for Inhambane (approximately 8 hours drive). Entering Inhambane, follow the signs for 'Praia da Tofo' and 'Mozambeat Motel'.

When you arrive in Tofo (approximately 20 minutes scenic drive), look for the signs for Mozambeat Motel.

4x4 car: Where the road sharply turns to the left (there is a local bar on the corner, called Black & White, and a clothing shops on your right hand side), take the sandroad uphill. After about 150 meters, where the road forks, follow it to the right, drive past our neighbouring

guesthouse Turtle Cove and then take the first left to finally arrive at your beloved Mozambeat Motel.

2wd - Go past the junction described above for 4x4's, and take the 2nd right (which almost rises from the main tar road just after the quarry) up to the top of the hill and then turn right. Follow the road roughly 500m, parallel to the sea, and take the 2nd right turn onto Rua des Amandoas. Follow this road all the way to the end (up and down another bumpy hill) and take a right at the facing T-junction. From this road, take a left when it forks by neighbouring guesthouse Turtle Cove and then take the first left to finally arrive at your beloved Mozambeat Motel.

There are signs of Mozambeat Motel everywhere in & around Tofo, but in case you get lost please call us: +258 845000383 or +258 844223515

PUBLIC TRANSPORT:

You should count at least 2 days for this sweaty, bumpy and long trip: it's an African adventure! First you have to get from Johannesburg to Maputo and the next day you will continue. To get in Maputo you can take the Intercape, Cheetah Express, City to City or Greyhound bus. Once in Maputo check out our website under 'getting here' from Maputo.

Once (low-season) or twice (high-season) per week Tours to Moz does direct bus transfers from Johannesburg Airport to Tofo. This is a really comfy bus with a reliable driver. You can buy your bus ticket online: www.tours2moz.com

If you come with a shuttle from Maputo or Johannesburg, ask the driver to drop you off at Black & White restaurant just before Tofo village. You can either stretch your legs and walk from there (250 mtr to Mozambeats) or you can call us (+258 845000383) and we will fetch you.

BY PLANE:

Option 1) Fly from Johannesburg via Maputo to Inhambane with LAM. Unfortunately there are no direct flights anymore. We provide an airport pick-up from Inhambane airport to Mozambeat Motel for 2.000 mts - just let us know your flight details in advance.

Option 2) Fly from Johannesburg straight to Vilanculos with Airlink. From here you will have to take a taxi for approximately 4.5 hours. It's a scenic tour through the baobab route of Mozambique. We can help you with organizing a taxi in advance.

Please if you plan to arrive after 23:00 hr, let us know: +258 845000383