

Filmed in Fort Myers

Ranging the gamut of major motion pictures, independent films, television, shorts, documentaries, videos, commercials, music videos, and still photo shoots, Fort Myers, Florida, has enjoyed its share of professional productions filmed within city limits.

Motion Pictures

Moment of Truth (2016)

Studio/Production: 315 Films

Producers: Martin Lemaire*, Tim Ritter, Perry Wilson, Producers: Clayton Frazier, Arun Sankaran, Associate Producers

Director: Curtis Collins, Director; Tim Souppa, Assistant Director

Actors Include: Stuart Alexander, Jennifer Keister, Vladimy Bellefleur, Tony Berry, Michael Dunsworth, Shawn Genther, Mitchell Jacob

Fort Myers Locations: Roof and Interiors (unfinished upper floor, first floor behind stage) of Sidney & Berne Davis Art Center; Interior of United Café Bistro (now known as United Ale House) with windows facing/open to First and Hendry streets; Hendry Street facing north between Main and First streets; Hendry Street facing south between Main and Second streets; Along Jackson Street; McCollum Hall Exterior (before exterior restoration) along Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Boulevard

Notes: Project was filmed sporadically between 2011 and 2016, with premiere at the Fort Myers Film Festival in March 2017; online research stated release date as 2016

*Martin Lemaire was the pseudonym of Jason Martinez

Hanging Millstone (2016)

Studio/Production: 3Cs Productions

Producer: Kelly Collins, Bliss Trunfio

Director: Curtis Collins

Actors Include: Deborah Smith Ford, Cadence Bambrey-Zedd, Christian Richardson, Jewelissa Gonzalez, Michayla O'Donnell, Cassidy Reyes, Heather Steht, Ryan Milton Pratt, Adam Rayhart, Mia Yearnton, Mike Sealie, Carissa-Marie Williams, Harvey C. Wilkes, Audrey Lynn, Kaycie Lee

Fort Myers Locations: Jackson Street between First & Main streets; Lee Street, Richmond to Second Street; Broadway between Main & Second streets; Second Street between Monroe & Broadway; Broadway, Main & Monroe streets; Corner of Monroe & Main streets, Old Lee County Courthouse; Palm Avenue off of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Boulevard

Notes: Awarded "Best Local Film" at the 10th Annual Fort Myers Beach Film Festival in April 2016

Mea Culpa (2014)

Studio/Production: FA-Tima Productions/21 Pictures/Dreamcatcher Films

Producers: Falia Justima, Executive Producer; Sandra Bellefleur, Judes Albert, Associate Producers

Director: Samuel Vincent

Actors Include: Jean B. Justima, Falia Justima, Nikita Turk, Martine Joseph, Michelson Aristhyl, Sandra Bellefleur

Fort Myers Locations: Fort Myers Riverfront Skyline

Terror Inside (2008)

Studio/Production: Cinema Epoch/Gulfcoast Film Partners, LLC

Producers: Joe G. Lenders, Flip Minott, Producers; Ralph Clemente, Joe G. Lenders, Executive Producers; Corey Feldman, Tanya Memme, Co-Producers

Director: Joe G. Lenders

Actors Include: Corey Feldman, Tanya Memme, Joe Abby, Susie Feldman, Chris Cavallaro

Fort Myers Locations: Scenes shot in Fort Myers

Palmetto (1998)

Studio/Production: Castle Rock Entertainment/Rialto Film

Producers: Matthias Wendlandt, Producer; Al Corley, Eugene Musso, Bart Rosenblatt, Executive Producers; Nick G. Miller, Consulting Producer

Director: Volker Schlöndorff

Actors Include: Woody Harrelson, Elisabeth Shue, Gina Gershon, Rolf Hoppe, Michael Rapaport

Fort Myers Locations: Downtown Fort Myers is the backdrop for Woody Harrelson crossing the street

Trans (1998)

Studio/Production: Wellspring Media/Down Home Productions Yid Panther

Producers: Michael A. Robinson, Producer; Martin Garner, Joe Monteleone, Associate Producers

Director: Julian Goldberger

Actors Include: Ryan Daugherty, Edge Edgerton, Jon Daugherty, Stephanie Davis

Fort Myers Locations: Filmed in Fort Myers, Florida

Gone Fishin' (1997)

Studio/Production: Caravan Pictures/Mill Creek Entertainment/Hollywood Pictures

Producers: Julie Bergman Sender, Roger Birnbaum, Producers; Jill Mazursky, Executive Producer; Lou Arkoff, Richard H. Prince, Co-Producers

Director: Christopher Cain

Actors Include: Joe Pesci, Danny Glover, Rosanna Arquette, Lynn Whitfield, Willie Nelson, Nick Brimble, Gary Grubbs, Carol Kayne, Louise Fletcher

Fort Myers Locations: Scenes shot in Fort Myers

Just Cause (1995)

Studio/Production: Warner Bros.

Producers: Arne Glimcher, Steve Perry, Lee Rich, Producers; Sean Connery, Executive Producer; Michael Alden, Rhonda Tollefson, Associate Producers; Gary Foster, Anna Reinhardt, Co-Producers

Director: Arne Glimcher

Actors Include: Sean Connery, Lawrence Fishburne, Kate Capshaw, Blair Underwood, Ed Harris, Christopher Murray, Ruby Dee, Daniel J. Travanti, Ned Beatty, Liz Torres, Lynne Thigpen, Taral Hicks, Victor Slezak, Kevin McCarthy, Chris Sarandon, Scarlett Johansson, Hope Lange, George Plimpton, Brooke Alderson, Colleen Fitzpatrick

Fort Myers Locations: Some Courthouse scenes, Other city scenes filmed in downtown Fort Myers

Blue Sky (1994)

Studio/Production: Live Entertainment/Orion Pictures Corp./MGM/Heathrow Productions

Producers: Robert H. Solo, Producer; Rama Laurie Stagner, Associate Producer; Lynn Arost, Co-Producer; John G. Wilson, Supervising Producer

Director: Tony Richardson

Actors Include: Jessica Lange, Tommy Lee Jones, Powers Boothe, Carrie Snodgrass, Amy Locane, Chris O'Donnell

Fort Myers Locations: Scenes shot in Fort Myers

Coupe de Ville (1990)

Studio/Production: Universal Studios/Morgan Creek

Producers: Larry Brezner, Paul Schiff, Producers; James G. Robinson, Executive Producer; Mike Binder, Co-Producer; Jerry A. Baerwitz, Delegate Producer

Director: Joe Roth

Actors Include: Patrick Dempsey, Arye Gross, Daniel Stern, Annabeth Gish, Rita Taggart, Alan Arkin, Joseph Bologna

Fort Myers Locations: Scenes shot in Fort Myers

Manhunter (1986)

Studio/Production: Productions De Laurentiis Entertainment Group (DEG), Red Dragon Productions

Producers: Richard Roth, Producer; Bernard Williams, Dino De Laurentiis, Executive Producers

Director: Michael Mann

Actors Include: William Petersen, Kim Greist, Joan Allen, Brian Cox, Dennis Farina, Tom Noonan, Stephen Lang, David Seaman, Benjamin Hendrickson, Michael Talbott, Dan Butler, Michele Shay, Robin Moseley, Paul Perri, Patricia Charbonneau, Chris Elliott

Fort Myers Locations: Scenes shot in Fort Myers

Notes: Also Known as *Red Dragon: The Curse of Hannibal Lecter*

Day of the Dead (1985)

Studio/Production: Starz/Anchor Bay

Producers: Richard P. Rubinstein, Producer; Salah M. Hassanein, Executive Producer; Ed Lammi, Associate Producer; David Ball, Co-Producer

Director: George A. Romero

Actors Include: Lori Cardille, Terry Alexander, Joseph Pilato, Jarlath Conroy, Anthony Dileo Jr., Richard Liberty

Fort Myers Locations: Abandoned city scenes shot in downtown Fort Myers along Main Street, Hendry Street, and Edwards Drive

Buildings: Neoclassical Style Whitehurst Federal Building (now the Sidney & Berne Davis Art Center), Neoclassical Style First National Bank Building, Art Deco Style Edison Theatre Building,

Notes: Locations identified here:

http://www.filminglocationsdetectives.com/films/day_of_the_dead.htm

The Creature Walks Among Us (1956)

Studio/Production: Universal International Pictures

Producer: William Alland, Producer

Director: John Sherwood

Actors Include: Jeff Morrow, Rex Reason, Leigh Snowden, Gregg Palmer, Ricou Browning, Don Megowan, Maurice Manson, James Rawley, Gregg Palmer

Fort Myers Locations: Edwards Drive facing north toward the Caloosahatchee River during the scene when the scientists first board the boat (same concrete railing lines the river today); during the search for the creature, several scenes on Caloosahatchee River and facing the shore from the Caloosahatchee River

Notes: Third and final film in the *Creature from the Black Lagoon* movie series.

Television

Zero Flips (7-2017)

Television Show: Zero Flips, a LOUD TV show

Producer: ITV Creative

Fort Myers Locations: Private residences at 3040 Oasis Grand Boulevard; 1352 Coconut Drive; 1422 Rosada Way; 2145 Canal Street; additional B-roll and possible drone

Mysteries at the Museum: Edison & Ford Winter Estates (1-2017)

Television Show: Mysteries at the Museum, a Travel Channel show

Producer: Optomen Productions

Fort Myers Locations: Edison & Ford Winter Estates, B-roll (additional background footage) of Downtown buildings and streets

A Place in the Sun: Fort Myers Video (12-2016)

Television Show: Channel 4 U.K. Real Estate Show

Fort Myers Locations: Downtown Fort Myers scenes

The Truth is Stranger than Florida (2-2016)

Television Show: Investigation Discovery Network show (series premiered July 7, 2016)

Producer: Gulp Pictures

Fort Myers Locations: B-roll (additional background footage) in the City of Fort Myers

A Place in the Sun: Fort Myers Video (1-2016)

Television Show: Channel 4 U.K. Real Estate Show

Producer: Freedom Productions

Fort Myers Locations: Downtown Fort Myers scenes

Fort Myers Weekend (2014)

Television Show: C-SPAN3/American History TV - 2014 LCV (Local Content Vehicles) Cities Tour, Fort Myers, FL

Producer: C-SPAN/Comcast Cable Company

Fort Myers Locations: Aerial views of Downtown Fort Myers, Downtown Fort Myers from the Caloosahatchee River, First Street street-level shots, Edison-Ford Winter Estates, Terry Park, City of Palms Park, Burroughs Home, Southwest Florida Museum of History.

Witness to a Defection (2001)

Television Show: ESPN Outside the Lines

Producer: Willie Weinbaum, Producer

Cast Includes: Bob Ley, Tom Farrey, Fidel Castro

Fort Myers Locations: Scenes shot in Fort Myers

A Flash of Green (1984)

Television Show: American Playhouse

Producers: Richard Jordan, Producer; Sam Gowan, Executive Producer

Director: Victor Nunez

Actors Include: Ed Harris, Blair Brown, Richard Jordan, George Coe, Joan Goodfellow, Jean De Baer, Helen Stenborg, William Mooney, Isa Thomas, Bob Murch, John Glover, Joan MacIntosh, Bob L. Harris, Nancy Griggs, Linda Lee Larsen

Fort Myers Locations: Scenes shot in Fort Myers

Notes: Season 5, Episode 11

Shorts/Documentaries/Video

VCB Social Media Videos (4-2018)

Studio/Production: MMGY Global

Producers: MMGY Global, Lee County Visitor & Convention Bureau

Fort Myers Locations: B-roll of Downtown Fort Myers

VCB Meetings Promotional Campaign Video (2-2018)

Studio/Production: Matador Network

Producers: Matador Network, Lee County Visitor & Convention Bureau

Fort Myers Locations: Drone footage of a Dolphin transportation coach bus driving over the Edison Bridge into downtown Fort Myers

Lonely Planet: Best of Fort Myers Short (2-2018)

Studio/Production: Lonely Planet (travel guides)

Fort Myers Locations: Downtown Fort Myers locations

Volkswagen Social Media Video (2-2018)

Studio/Production: Ryland Young McIntyre, Filmmaker

Fort Myers Locations: General Fort Myers locations (park & drive shots)

Greystone Hotel Short (10-2017)

Studio/Production: "This project was made by SWFL Locals"

Producers: Rick Martinez, Cesar Aguilera

Director: Kalhil "KJ" Adames

Lighting & VFX: Ninos Houma

Art Direction: Cesar Aguilera

Special Effects: Pat Trent

Sound: Kebel Arias

Actors Include: Paulo Leon-Silva, Craig Bellofatto

Fort Myers Locations: Patio de Leon and Greystone Hotel building in downtown Fort Myers River District

Notes: 4K Horror short film; Special thanks to Raimond Aulen;

Link to short: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2uFRx40bkFE>

Lee County VCB Island Findings/Islandology Promotional Video (8-2017)

Studio/Production: Lee County Visitor & Convention Bureau

Producers: Lee County Visitor & Convention Bureau

Director: Courtney Hersl

Fort Myers Locations: The Butterfly Estates, filmed throughout the attraction, plus close-up shots of butterflies and attractions.

Lee County Promotional Video (11-2016)

Studio/Production: MMGY Global

Producers: MMGY Global, Lee County Visitor & Convention Bureau

Director: Brian Ososky, Director of Marketing

Fort Myers Locations: Fort Myers Music Walk event in the streets of the downtown Fort Myers core in November 2016

Guns in America/Ownership Documentary (8-2016)

Studio/Production: Woestijnvis Productions, documentary for Belgium TV

Fort Myers Locations: B-roll (additional background footage) and street interviews of Downtown Fort Myers to correspond with their documentary about guns in America/gun ownership the Lee Civic Center Gun Show in August 2016

Ordinary Story (2010)

Studio/Production: Cage XXI Enterprises, Inc.

Producers: Anthony R. Myles & Ashley Dean Myles

Director: Anthony R. Myles

Actors Include: Danielle Channell, J. Mitchell Haley

Fort Myers Locations: Private residence near McGregor Blvd. and Caloosa Drive, Additional scenes shot in Fort Myers

Notes: Awarded Honorable Mention by the 53rd Rochester International Film Festival*, Rochester, NY, U.S.A. (4-2011)

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Faith Rewarded: The Historic Season of the 2004 Boston Red Sox (2004)

Studio/Production: New England Sports Network (NESN), Major League Baseball Productions

Producers: Mitchell Scherr, Producer; Bill Borson, David Gavant, Sean P. McGrail, Executive Producers; David Check, Co-Executive Producer & Senior Coordinating Producer; Brian Barrow, Supervising Producer; Peter Iannuccilli, Jim O'Hara, Pete Panagoulas, Shawn Valine, Segment Producers

Cast Includes: 2004 Boston Red Sox Players, Managers, Owners, Announcers, etc.

Fort Myers Locations: Spring training scenes shot at City of Palms Park, Fort Myers, Florida, during 2004 baseball season (2004 is when the Boston Red Sox broke their 86 year "curse" to win the World Series)

Escape from Cuba (2003)

Studio/Production: Worldwide Video/York Entertainment/Overpass Film Production

Producers: Donald F. Reagan, Producer

Director: Tom Logan

Actors Include: Carlos Albert, Kerry Corcoran, Jackie Di Crystal

Fort Myers Locations: Interiors shot in Fort Myers, Florida

Lemon Sun (ca. 1967)

Studio/Production: Charles Fuller Productions

Producer: Charles Fuller, Executive Producer

Director: Peter C. Kouris

Art Direction: Robert H. Denton

Executive Manager: Donald L. Bottorff

Production Coordinator: Ruth Wert

Musical Director: Charles C. Boris

Script: G. William Gray

Fort Myers Locations: City riverfront aerial from Caloosahatchee River; First Street looking south from middle of block between Hendry & Jackson streets showing Langford, Bank of Fort Myers, Earnhardt and Franklin Arms Hotel buildings; Fort Myers boat docks and Hall of 50 States: Caloosahatchee Bridge; Greystone Hotel building on Hendry Street; Northbound US 41/Business 41 split; Old City Hall building; Old Lee County Courthouse building; Lion's Park tennis courts; sunset views from Caloosahatchee River under Caloosahatchee Bridge; Night shot of First Street looking southwest at intersection with Hendry Street showing Earnhardt, First National Bank and The Leon buildings; Yacht Basin at night; Edison Theatre neon sign at night; McGregor Boulevard

Notes: Produced for the Fort Myers Lee County Chamber of Commerce. The song, "Lemon Sun", was written by Ed. Hillert, copyright 1967, Fuller Music Publishing Co. Link to video: <https://www.floridamemory.com/items/show/267741>

Florida Gulf Coast Holiday (Eastern Airlines Promotional Video)

(ca. 1958-1960)

Producer: Beckley Films in cooperation with the Florida Development Commission

Fort Myers Locations: Fort Myers footage lasts from 00:12:05 to 00:12:48. Notable are City of Fort Myers scene is the Thomas A. Edison Winter Home (00:12:14).

Notes: Link to video: <https://www.floridamemory.com/items/show/253062>

Commercials/Music Videos

Estero Bay Chevrolet Car Commercial (2-2017)

Fort Myers Location: Car driving past Sidney & Berne Davis Art Center along First Street in the downtown Fort Myers core

Florida Gulf Coast University Marketing Video (2-2017)

Studio/Production: Gulf Coast Studios/WGCU

Producer: Tim Clark

Fort Myers Location: Downtown Fort Myers streets and scenes

“Life Worth Livin’” Music Video (8-2016)

Studio/Production: Five Oh Films/Sugarshack Sessions

Producer: Jameson Yingling

Director: Eddie Kopp

Band: Of Good Nature

Song: Life Worth Livin’

Album: Life Worth Livin’

Label: Ocean Industries

Fort Myers Locations: City of Fort Myers scenes start at 00:02:40 time code: Aerial of Downtown Fort Myers core; In front of Sidney & Berne Davis Art Center (day and night scenes); North side of First Street between Hendry and Jackson streets; In front of Florida Repertory Theatre on First Street

Running Man Challenge FMPD Recruitment Video (6-2016)

Studio/Production: Fort Myers Police Department

Producer: Lieutenant Rebecca Prince

Fort Myers Location: Intersection of First and Hendry streets

ESPN “This is SportsCenter” Commercial (3-2016)

Studio/Production: Finders Gee Productions for ESPN Television Network

Fort Myers Location: City of Palms Baseball Park Locker Room

TK Music Video (9-2015)

Studio/Production: JPH Recording Studio

Producer: Jean Pherry Hildire

Fort Myers Location: Bank building at First and Hendry streets

Minnesota Twins Baseball “Barber Shop” Commercial (2-2014)

Studio/Production: Periscope Ad Agency, Minneapolis, MN

VP/Executive Creative Director: Charlie Callahan

Associate Creative Director: Tom Witkowski

Fort Myers Locations: Blake’s Barber Shop (interiors), 2216 First Street in Downtown Fort Myers River District

South Florida Ford Car Commercial (8-2012)

Studio/Production: LA Production Services

Producer: Jim Bigham

Fort Myers Locations: Driving past iconic Fort Myers downtown core buildings (i.e., Sidney & Berne Davis Art Center, Edison Theater, Arcade Theatre, etc.), along brick-lined streets, Riverfront, Edison & Ford Winter Estates

AutoNation Commercial (5-2012)

Fort Myers Locations: Brick-Lined Streets of downtown Fort Myers River District

“This Place Arcane” Music Video (2012)

Studio/Production: Cage XXI Enterprises, Inc.

Producers: Cage XXI Enterprises, Inc.

Director: Tony Myles

Band: Reverence of the Martyr

Song: This Place Arcane

Album: S/T

Label: Independent

Fort Myers Locations: Sidney & Berne Davis Art Center Porch Colonnade/Entrance, Front Steps; Miscellaneous Fort Myers Industrial Parks; Additional scenes shot in Fort Myers

“What Could Have Been” Music Video (2011)

Studio/Production: Cage XXI Enterprises, Inc.

Producers: Cage XXI Enterprises, Inc.

Director: Tony Myles

Band: Novembers Doom

Song: What Could Have Been

Album: Aphotic

Label: The End Records

Fort Myers Locations: Heitman House in downtown Fort Myers River District, Additional scenes shot in Fort Myers

One Shot Music Video Fort Myers (7-2010)

Production: New Example Internet Consulting

Producers: Antonio Castillo, Joseph Nitzsche

Production Assistant: Rachel Abrams

Photographer: Justin Bryant

Videographer: Something CompleX, Justin Nielson

Music Artist: Jen Mack

Cast Includes: 150 Volunteers located throughout several Fort Myers River District commercial buildings/businesses

Fort Myers Locations: Brick-lined streets of downtown Fort Myers River District, Patio de Leon, U.S. Courtyard & Federal Building with "Fort Myers: An Alternative History" mural in the background in final shot, Interiors of downtown Fort Myers River District commercial buildings/businesses in order of appearance: **Lee County Bank Building** (Main Street Antiques/interior), **The Leon building** (Downtown House of Pizza/interior, Café Matisse/interior), **Earnhardt Building** (Potomac Bead Company/interior, Toots Dollar Store/interior), **Arcade Theater Building** (Arts for ACT/interior), **1406 Hendry Street** (Spirits of Bacchus/interior courtyard), **2216 First Street** (Blake's Barber Shop/interior), **Tonnelier Brick building** (Indigo Room/interior), **1422 Dean Street** (Coloring the World/interior), **City of Palms Parking Garage retail space** (Wiseguys Subs/interior), **Kress Building** (Starbucks/interior, Howl Gallery/Tattoos/interior), **Colquitt Building** (SKS PhotoShoot/interior, daas Gallery/interior), **Hotel Indigo building** (Hotel Indigo/interior Main Street Lobby).

View Online: <http://www.newexample.com/oneshot.html>

"A Eulogy for the Living Lost" Music Video (2010)

Studio/Production: Cage XXI Enterprises, Inc.

Producers: Cage XXI Enterprises, Inc.

Director: Tony Myles

Band: Novembers Doom

Song: A Eulogy for the Living Lost

Album: Into Nights Requiem Infernal

Label: The End Records

Fort Myers Locations: Shot entirely in Fort Myers

"Autumn Reflection" Music Video (2007)

Studio/Production: Cage XXI Enterprises, Inc.

Producers: Cage XXI Enterprises, Inc.

Director: Tony Myles

Band: Novembers Doom

Song: Autumn Reflection

Album: The Pale Haunt Departure

Label: The End Records

Fort Myers Locations: Shot entirely in Fort Myers

Still Photo Shoots

Victoria's Secret Pink Photoshoot (4-2018)

Photoshoot Producer: BaM Productions/Angie Revell

Fort Myers Locations: City of Palms stadium, inside facility

Ivana Quesada Photography Photoshoot (2-2018)

Photo Studio: Ivana Quesada Photography/Ivana Quesada

Fort Myers Locations: Portrait photography shot on top of Main Street Garage with downtown River District as backdrop

DXL Spring 2015 Online Catalogue (Destination XL Group, Inc.) (1-2015)

Photoshoot Producer: Jennifer Katz

Fort Myers Locations: Various brick-lined locations along First Street; Intersection of First and Hendry streets facing southeast, with First National Bank Building in the background); Bayview Court; Bayview Court in front of Salon Nicholas building (2229 First Street)

Grandeur Magazine (Local Publication) (2012)

McLogan Photography Modeling Shoot (1-2012)

Wrangler Jeans Catalogue (2-2010)

Fort Myers Locations: Brick-lined streets of downtown Fort Myers River District, Centennial Park