

Metropolitan Airports in the Washington, DC Area Transportation

Reagan National Airport

The Washington, DC Metrorail system has an elevated Metrorail station connected to the concourse level of terminals B and C at Reagan National Airport. Metrorail fare cards may be purchased at machines located at all entrances to the Airport Metrorail station. The station is also fully accessible via elevators.

Taxicab stands are conveniently located near the Baggage Claim exits of each terminal. Dispatchers at each stand will help you select a taxicab based on your destination.

Dulles International Airport

Metrorail is the region's rapid-transit system, providing access to Downtown Washington, DC and other destinations. The nearest Metrorail station is the West Falls Church Station on the Orange Line. Direct transportation to this station is available from the Washington Flyer Coach Service. Each coach is handicapped accessible. Buses depart approximately every 30 minutes and boarding announcements are made inside the airport.

How to connect to the Metrorail system from Dulles Airport:

Purchase a ticket (one-way or round-trip) at the Washington Flyer Coach ticket counter located at Arrivals Door #4 in the Main Terminal. Travelers will also board the Coach from this location. The buses depart approximately every 30 minutes but please listen for announcements for exact bus departure times. You may purchase a Metrorail fare card inside the train station at the West Falls Church Metro stop where you will board the train. Trains bound for "New Carrollton" will take you towards Downtown Washington, DC.

How to reach Dulles Airport from the Metrorail system:

Board any Orange line train headed towards "Vienna/Fairfax/GMU." Exit the train at the West Falls Church station, and follow the signs directing you to the Washington Flyer bus stop. Tickets can be purchased on the bus from the driver. All Washington Flyer buses departing this location go directly to the front door of the Main Terminal at Dulles Airport

Baltimore Washington International Airport (BWI)

MARC Trains provide service to the BWI Rail Station, where free shuttles serve the airport terminal. To contact the BWI Rail Station, please call 410-672-6169.

Board MARC Trains at Washington's Union Station located at Massachusetts Ave. and First Street, NE. The Union Station ticket office is open daily from 5:30 a.m.-10:30 p.m.

To contact the Union Station ticket office, please call (202) 906-3104.

Metro offers BWI Express Metro bus service between BWI and the Greenbelt metro station. The BWI Express/B30 service runs every 40 minutes, 7 days a week to the Greenbelt Metro Station, which is located on the Green Line of the Washington Metro System. Buses run 25 times each weekday.

Amtrak—Union Station

Union Station is easily accessible on the Metrorail's Red Line.

Websites of Interest

<http://www.metwashairports.com/>

<http://www.bwiairport.com/>

<http://www.unionstationdc.com/>

<http://www.wmata.com>

Directions to the Waterfront Centre

Waterfront Centre
800 9th Street, SW
Washington, DC 20024

Directions to the Waterfront Centre from the L'Enfant Metro Station

- Exit the L'Enfant Metro Station (Yellow, Green, Blue or Orange lines) from the 7th and D Streets/Department of Transportation (DOT) exit
- At the top of the escalators, exit the DOT Building Courtyard to the right to 7th Street
- Proceed left (south) on 7th Street
- Continue over the I-395 overpass and turn right on G Street
- From G Street, proceed to 9th Street and turn left
- The Waterfront Centre is the building on the left

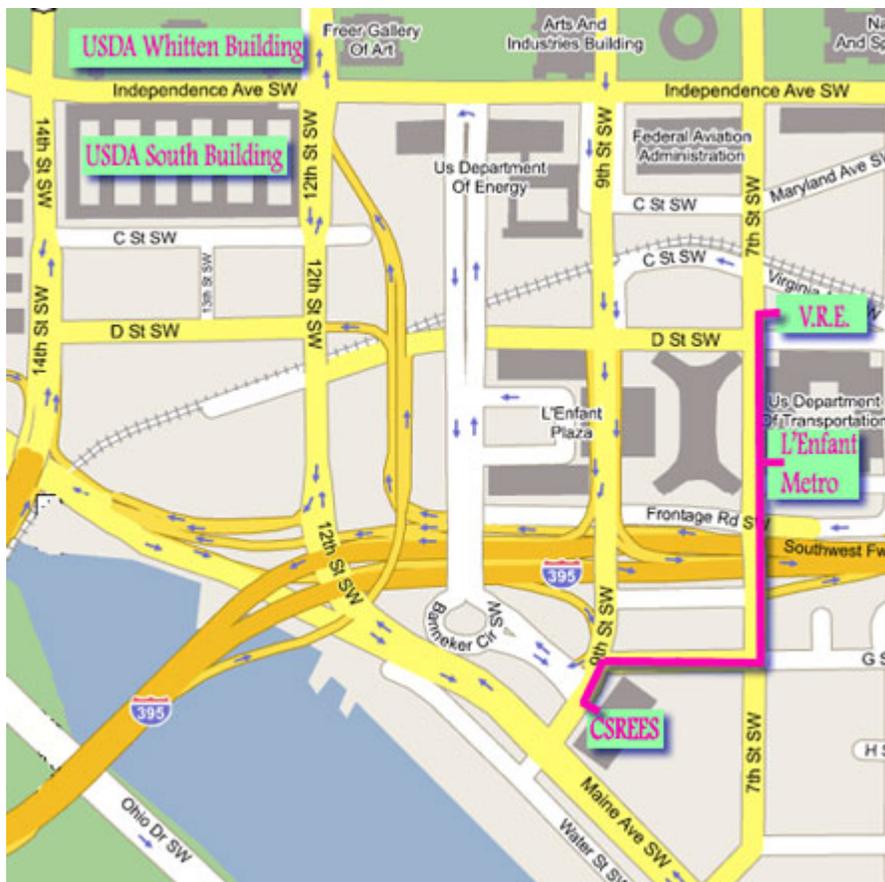


Figure 1: Map detailing the directions to the Waterfront Centre

Website of Interest:

<http://www.wmata.com>

Directions to the Waterfront Centre using the Circulator Route

- Exit the Renaissance Hotel on 9th Street NW and go to the corner of 9th Street NW and K Street NW
- There will be a Circulator Bus Stop on the corner of 9th Street and K Street NW
- Take the Circulator Bus to the corner of 9th Street and G Street SW
- From G Street, proceed to 9th Street and turn left
- The Waterfront Centre is the building on the left

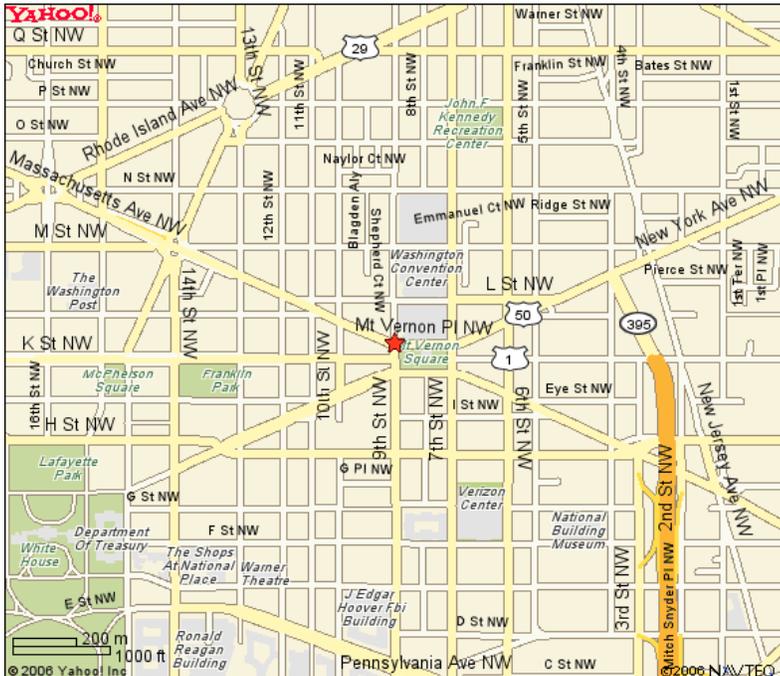


Figure 2: Approximate location of the Renaissance Hotel

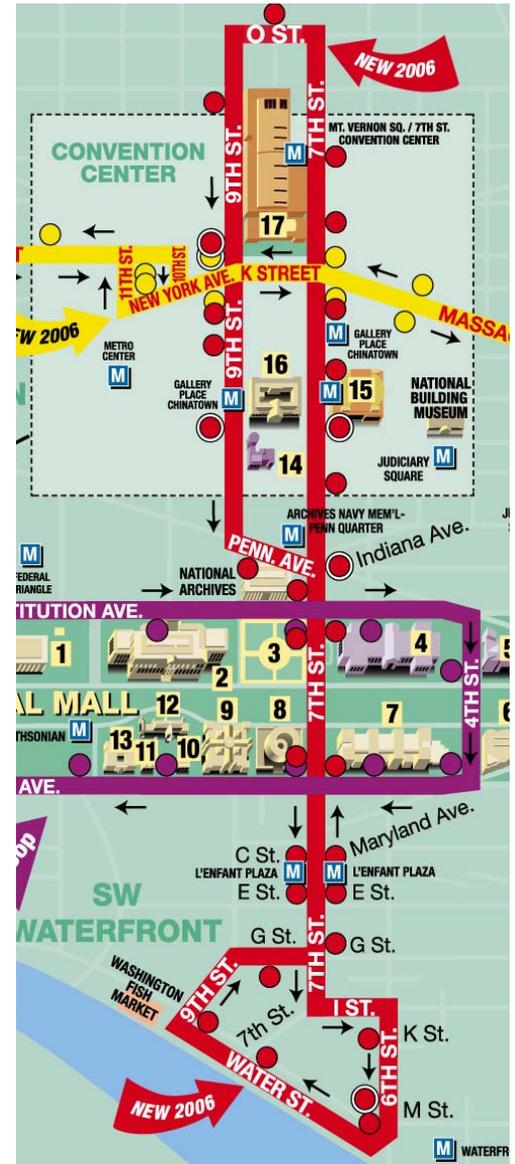


Figure 3: The Circulator Route that goes by the Waterfront Centre at 9th Street

Website of Interest

<http://www.dccirculator.com>

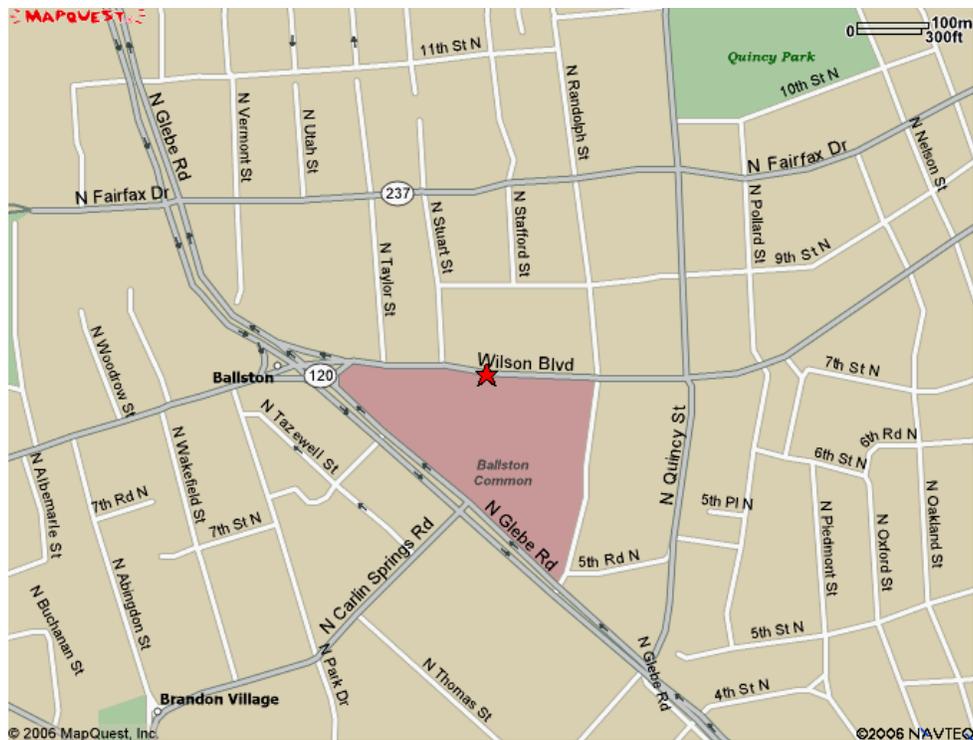
Directions to the National Science Foundation

The National Science Foundation
4201 Wilson Boulevard
Arlington, Virginia 22230

The National Science Foundation is located in the Ballston area of North Arlington, Virginia, between Wilson Boulevard and Fairfax Drive, one block south of the Ballston-Marymount University Metro stop on the Orange Line.

Upon entering the National Science Foundation, visitors are asked to check in at the Visitor and Reception Center, on the first floor to receive a visitor pass, before going on to meetings, appointments, or other business at the NSF.

Map of Ballston Common Area



Websites of Interest

<http://www.wmata.com>

<http://www.nsf.gov>

What if I plan to take the Metrorail from Ballston Commons to Ronald Reagan National Airport?

1. Take the Orange Line from Ballston Commons toward New Carrollton.
2. Exit the Metro at Roslyn to transfer from the Orange Line to the Blue Line going towards Springfield/Franconia
 - The Blue Line going towards Springfield/Franconia is located on the lower platform
3. Exit the Metro at Ronald Reagan National Airport