
Schedule of Events

The *ARARs Academy* course will be held Tuesday, September 17 through Wednesday, September 18, 2024, in the Bison/Bitterroot rooms at the U.S. EPA Region 8 office in Denver, Colorado. The meeting begins at 9:00 a.m. local time on Tuesday and ends at 4:00 p.m. local time on Wednesday. Please plan your flights accordingly.

The [U.S. EPA Region 8 office](#) is located at:
1595 Wynkoop Street
Denver, Colorado 80202

Please note: The training will be held at the U.S. EPA Region 8 office in the Bison/Bitterroot rooms; a sleeping room block has been established at the Kimpton Hotel Monaco Denver, which is located approximately 0.7 mile (approximately 16-minute walk) from the U.S. EPA Region 8 office.



Kimpton Hotel Monaco Denver

[Kimpton Hotel Monaco Denver](#)
1717 Champa Street
Denver, Colorado 80202
Phone: (303) 296-1717

A block of rooms has been reserved at the Kimpton Hotel Monaco Denver in Denver, Colorado. The lodging rate is \$201 per night plus tax. The rate includes complimentary wireless internet access and a free hot breakfast.

Reservations need to be made before **Monday, August 26, 2024**, to receive the block rate.

To reserve your room by telephone, please call (800) 397-5380 and ask for a room under the “**ARARs Academy**” group to receive the negotiated lodging rate. To reserve your room online, please visit [ARARs Academy](#).

You are responsible for cancelling your hotel reservation if you cannot attend. **The Kimpton Hotel Monaco Denver requires a notice of cancellation 24 hours prior to the day of your scheduled arrival.** If you fail to provide notice, your credit card will be charged.

Hotel check-in begins after 3:00 p.m., and check-out time is at 12:00 p.m.

What to Pack for the Denver Area

Average temperatures in September in Denver range from 50°F at night to 81°F during the day. Please be advised that the temperatures in the training room do not reflect temperatures outside. Be sure to pack a jacket or sweater to wear while you attend the training.

Dining

Panzano, an Italian restaurant, is located in the hotel. Dining options are available within blocks of the hotel.

Health, Fitness and Recreation

The Kimpton Hotel Monaco Denver offers a fitness center with cardiovascular equipment and free weights available.

Travel Information

The Denver area is served by Denver International Airport (DEN). DEN is located approximately 25 miles from downtown Denver, Colorado. Additional information for DEN is available at <http://www.flydenver.com/>.

Denver, Colorado is in the Mountain Time Zone.

Ground Transportation

RTD Rail System: Denver's RTD Rail System provides service from DEN to downtown Denver. Upon arriving at DEN, head to baggage claim located on Level 5. To get to the Denver Airport RTD Station, follow signs to the Transit Center and proceed to the south exit on level 5 (look for the large American flag), exit the terminal through the sliding glass doors and take the escalator located in the center of the plaza down to Level 1. The A Line Trains depart to and from the airport every 15 minutes throughout the day, 7 days a week, and 365 days a year. Early morning and late evening trips depart every 30 minutes. One-way fares are \$10.50. You must purchase your ticket prior to boarding the train from one of the kiosks located on the platform. To get to the hotel, take the A Line all the way to Union Station (approximately 37 minutes). From Union Station exit the station by going through the main station building and out to 17th Street. Follow 17th Street to Champa Street. Turn left on Champa Street. The hotel is approximately 0.6 miles from Union Station.

Taxi: Taxi fare between DEN and the Kimpton Hotel Monaco Denver is approximately \$65 each way, not including gratuity.

Hotel Parking: Valet parking is available at the hotel for \$59 per night plus tax.

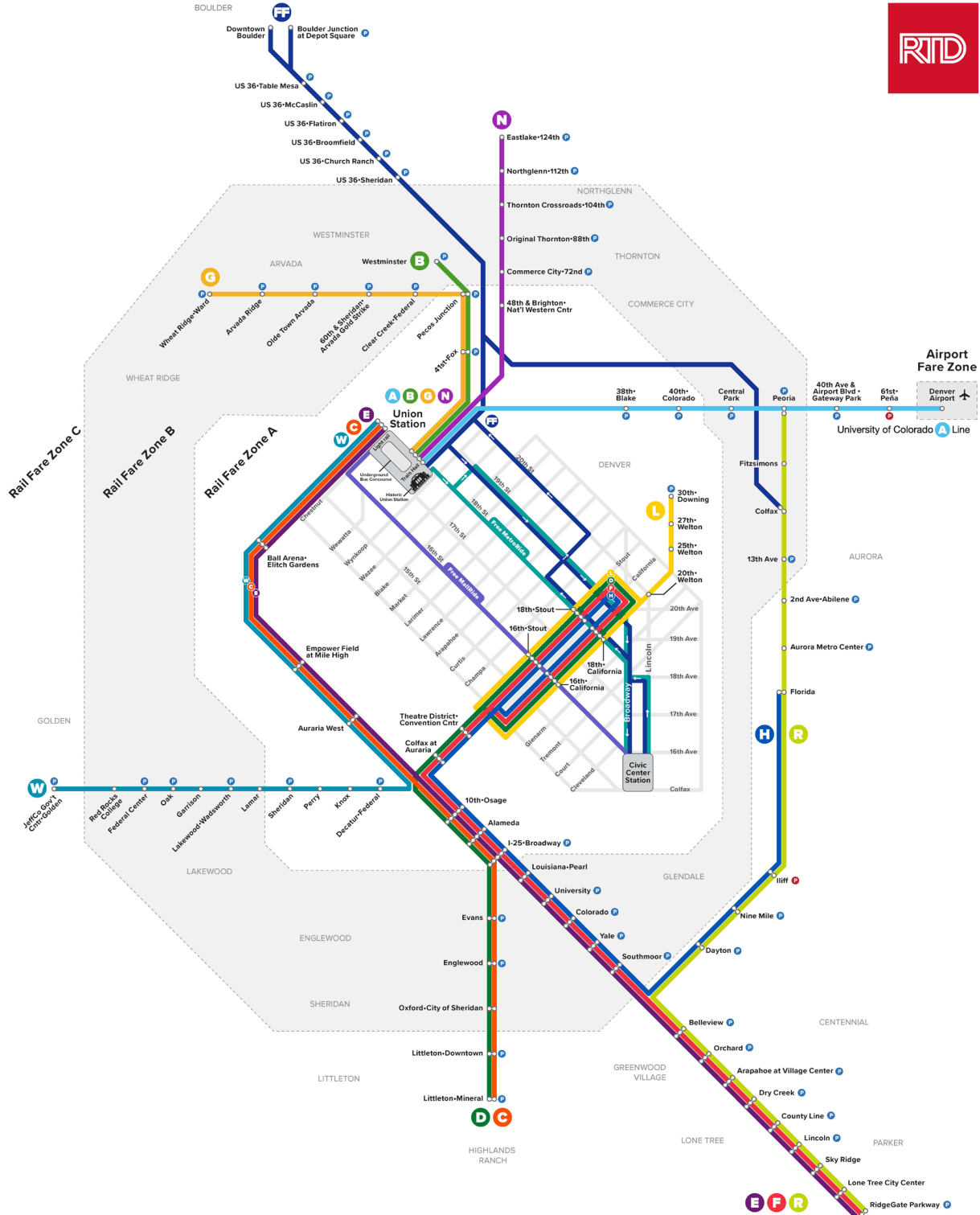
Walking Directions to EPA Region 8 from the Kimpton Hotel Monaco Denver

Approximately 0.7 mile or 16 minutes

- ❖ Exit the hotel onto Champa Street. Turn right onto 17th Street.
- ❖ Follow 17th Street to Wynkoop Street. Turn left onto Wynkoop Street. The building will be on the right at the intersection of Wynkoop and 16th Street.



RTD Rail System



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<p>FF Denver to Boulder</p> <p>Flatiron Flyer buses use a different fare zone than is not represented on this map. Please see a Flatiron Flyer schedule for more information.</p> <p>rd-denver.com 303.299.6000</p>	<p>A Union Station to Denver Airport</p> <p>B Union Station to Westminster</p> <p>C Union Station to Littleton - Mineral</p> <p>D 18th - California to Littleton - Mineral</p>	<p>E Union Station to RidgeGate Parkway</p> <p>F 18th - California to RidgeGate Parkway</p> <p>G Union Station to Wheat Ridge - Ward</p> <p>H 18th - California to Florida</p>	<p>L 16th - Stout to 30th - Downing</p> <p>N Union Station to Eastlake - 124th</p> <p>R Peoria to RidgeGate Parkway</p> <p>W Union Station to Jefferson County - Golden</p>	<p>LOCAL Travel through 1-2 rail fare zones.</p> <table border="1"> <tr> <th></th> <th>Full fare</th> <th>Discount*</th> <th>Youth**</th> </tr> <tr> <td>3-hour pass</td> <td>\$3.00</td> <td>\$1.50</td> <td>\$0.90</td> </tr> <tr> <td>MyRide Card</td> <td>\$2.80</td> <td>\$1.40</td> <td>\$0.90</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Day Pass</td> <td>\$6.00</td> <td>\$3.00</td> <td>\$1.80</td> </tr> </table>		Full fare	Discount*	Youth**	3-hour pass	\$3.00	\$1.50	\$0.90	MyRide Card	\$2.80	\$1.40	\$0.90	Day Pass	\$6.00	\$3.00	\$1.80	<p>REGIONAL Travel through 1-3 rail fare zones.</p> <table border="1"> <tr> <th></th> <th>Full fare</th> <th>Discount*</th> <th>Youth**</th> </tr> <tr> <td>3-hour pass</td> <td>\$5.25</td> <td>\$2.60</td> <td>\$1.60</td> </tr> <tr> <td>MyRide Card</td> <td>\$5.05</td> <td>\$2.50</td> <td>\$1.60</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Day Pass</td> <td>\$9.50</td> <td>\$5.25</td> <td>\$3.20</td> </tr> </table>		Full fare	Discount*	Youth**	3-hour pass	\$5.25	\$2.60	\$1.60	MyRide Card	\$5.05	\$2.50	\$1.60	Day Pass	\$9.50	\$5.25	\$3.20	<p>AIRPORT Travel to and from the airport.</p> <table border="1"> <tr> <th></th> <th>Full fare</th> <th>Discount*</th> <th>Youth**</th> </tr> <tr> <td>3-hour pass</td> <td>\$10.50</td> <td>\$5.25</td> <td>\$3.20</td> </tr> <tr> <td>MyRide Card</td> <td>\$10.30</td> <td>\$5.15</td> <td>\$3.20</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Day Pass</td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> </tr> </table> <p><small>Purchase a Regional/Airport Day Pass</small></p>		Full fare	Discount*	Youth**	3-hour pass	\$10.50	\$5.25	\$3.20	MyRide Card	\$10.30	\$5.15	\$3.20	Day Pass				<p>Free MallRide Union Station to Civic Center via 16th St - 30th every 15-20 min during 18th Street Block</p> <p>Free MetroRide Union Station to Civic Center via 16th & 19th St - 30th every 15-20 min during 18th & 30th Street</p> <p>P RTD parking available. Fees may apply.</p> <p>P Non-RTD parking available. Fees apply.</p>
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16th Street Shuttle

The 16th Street Shuttle is a free shuttle that travels the 16th Street mall.

