October 29, 2024 at 9:00AM Reston, VA

### **Meeting Location**

U.S. Geological Survey (USGS) Headquarters 12201 Sunrise Valley Drive Reston, VA 20192

https://www.usgs.gov/connect/headquarters/visitor-information/

## **Building Security/Admission into the USGS Building**

Please arrive at 8:30 am to allow extra time to go through security prior to the meeting. Follow signs from Visitor Parking to the Visitor Entrance and pass through the security screening process. All packages, briefcases, handbags, etc. will be scanned. Visitors must sign in and present photo identification, such as a state driver's license. The guard will then issue a visitor's badge that must be worn at all times. Visitors bringing laptop computers into the building are required to write the word "laptop" and the serial number on the sign-in sheet beneath their printed name.

Note: You may be subject to security screening through metal detectors and/or x-ray equipment.

## **Parking**

There is a visitor parking lot near the building at USGS Headquarters, indicated by signs from USGS Drive.

### **Directions**

### **Driving from the Beltway (I-495)**

Take the Dulles Toll Road west to exit 12, Reston Parkway. Turn left (south) onto Reston Parkway. At second light, turn right onto Sunrise Valley Drive and at second light, turn left at USGS Drive. A sign will indicate Visitor Parking.

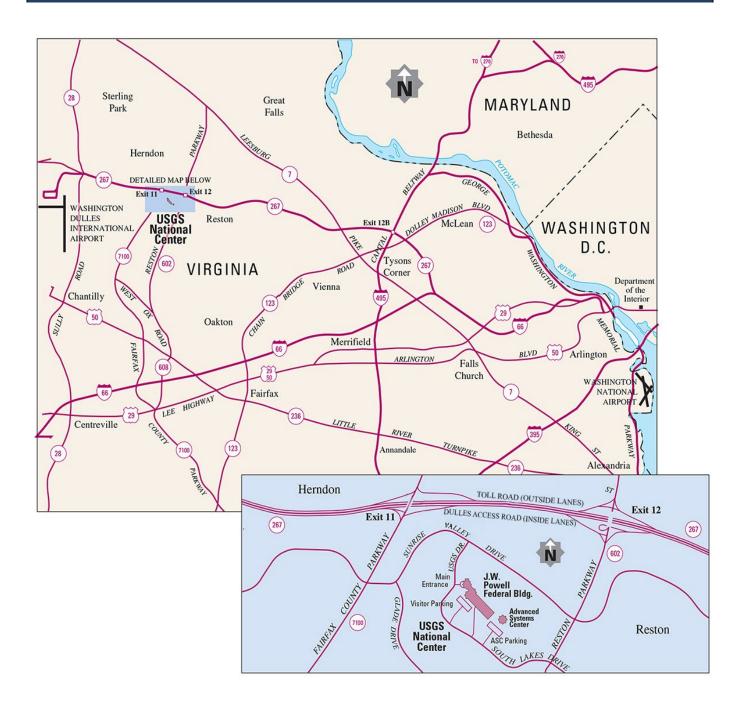
#### Metrobus/Metrorail

From Reston Town Center Metro Station (Silver Line), the Fairfax Connector 951 bus services USGS stops 0.1 mile from the main entrance. This 10-minute trip runs approximately every 30 minutes. The regular fare is \$2.00 with SmarTrip¹ or cash (\$1.00 for Seniors/Disabled).

For information regarding bus fares and departure times, visit the Fairfax County website at: <a href="https://www.fairfaxcounty.gov/connector/schedules">https://www.fairfaxcounty.gov/connector/schedules</a>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> A SmarTrip® card is a permanent, rechargeable card necessary to pay Metrorail and local bus system fares. The card can be purchased online or at the Metrorail station. For more information, visit: <a href="https://www.wmata.com/fares/smartrip/">https://www.wmata.com/fares/smartrip/</a>. The cost for the card is \$10 (\$2 card cost and \$8 stored fare value).

## **Location Map**



	Transportation Options
Reagan National Airport	
Shuttle:	Several shuttle services provide transportation to and from the airport. Ground transportation shuttles are located near the ticketing curb (upper level). The price for shuttle service is approximately \$35 for a shared ride (\$10 for each additional person) or approximately \$64 for a non-stop ride each way, but can vary depending on the shuttle company. For more information on shuttle service, please visit the Reagan National Airport website.
Taxi/ Ride Service:	From Terminal 1, proceed out the exit doors at baggage claim and turn right. The Taxis are located on the curb closest to the Terminal. From Terminal 2, proceed to the baggage claim lower level (level one). Walk indoors to Doors 5 or 6, then proceed outside to the terminal curbside. You will find the taxi dispatch location clearly marked. Taxi fare from Reagan National Airport to the USGS Headquarters is approximately \$70 each way; travel time is about 45 minutes.
	Ride Services are available in the local DMV area using your smartphone to select the appropriate pick-up zone and coordinate directly with their driver. <u>Uber</u> , for a single rider, can range from \$65 to \$83, depending on demand. <u>Lyft</u> is often slightly cheaper, ranging from \$39 to \$55. There are three designated areas for pickup. From terminal 1, customers can meet their ride on the third (outer) curb; from terminal 2, customers can meet their ride on the Baggage Claim (Arrivals) Level-1st Floor on the outer curb; and customers can meet their ride at the designated pick-up and drop-off location across from the Rental Car Shuttle Bus shelter located on National Avenue.
Metro:	Metro transportation is available to and from the Reagan National Airport Metro Station and the USGS Headquarters (58 minute ride). The Metro can be accessed on Level 2 of the airport. The fare from the airport to the Reston Town Center Metro Station (Silver Line) is approximately \$4.00 with SmarTrip (\$3.00 SmarTrip Senior/Disables/Medicare). Take the Blue Line (towards Largo Town Center) and exit at the Rosslyn Metro Station. Board the Silver Line (towards Ashburn) and exit at the Reston Town Center Metro Station.
	From the Reston Town Center Metro Station, walk approximately 0.4 mile south on Edmund Halley Drive. Turn right on Sunrise Valley Drive and continue for 0.3 mile until turning left onto U.S. Geological Survey Drive. Follow signs to enter through the Visitor's entrance.
	Follow directions from the "Metrobus/Metrorail" section on the previous page to get from the Metro stop to the USGS Headquarters Building via the Fairfax Connector 951 bus.
	Please refer to WMATA's schedule and maps tools for updates on potential closures and/or delays: <a href="https://www.wmata.com">www.wmata.com</a> .
Rental Car:	Several rental car companies are available in the baggage claim area. For more rental car information, please visit Reagan National Airport's rental car page.
Dulles Internat	ional Airport
Shuttle:	Some Dulles airport hotels have complimentary shuttles to/from the airport and may have local shuttles to/from the USGS.
Taxi/ Ride Service:	Taxi service may be picked up outside of the baggage claim area. Taxi fare from Dulles International Airport to the USGS Headquarters is approximately \$24 each way, and the travel time is about 15 minutes.

	Ride Services are available in the local DMV area using your smartphone to select the appropriate pick-up zone and coordinate directly with their driver. <u>Uber</u> , for a single rider, can range from \$17 to \$50, depending on demand. <u>Lyft</u> is often slightly cheaper, ranging from \$17 to \$30.
Metro:	Metro transportation is available to and from the Washington Dulles International Airport Metro Station and the USGS Headquarters (10-minute ride). The fare from the airport to the Reston Town Center Metro Station (Silver Line) is approximately \$3.00 with SmarTrip (\$1.40 SmarTrip Senior/Disables/Medicare). Board the Silver Line (towards Largo) and exit at the Reston Town Center Metro Station.
	From the Reston Town Center Metro Station, walk approximately 0.4 mile south on Edmund Halley Drive. Turn right on Sunrise Valley Drive and continue for 0.3 mile until turning left onto U.S. Geological Survey Drive. Follow signs to enter through the Visitor's entrance.
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Rental Car:	Several rental car companies are available in the Baggage Claim area at the airport. For more rental car information, please visit <u>Dulles International Airport's rental car page</u>

# **Nearby Hotels**

Out of town attendees are responsible for making their own hotel arrangements.

### **Sheraton Reston**

11810 Sunrise Valley Dr. Reston, VA 20191 703-620-9000

https://www.marriott.com/en-us/hotels/wassr-sheraton-reston-hotel/overview/

1.3 miles

## The Westin at Reston Heights

11750 Sunrise Valley Dr. Reston, VA 20191 703-391-9000

https://www.marriott.com/en-us/hotels/wasow-the-westin-reston-heights/overview/

1.6 miles

## **Hyatt Regency Reston**

1800 Presidents St. Reston, VA 20190 703-709-1234 http://reston.hyatt.com/en/hotel/home.html

1.8 miles

### **Comfort Inn Washington Dulles International**

200 Elden St. Herndon, VA 20170 703-437-7555

https://www.choicehotels.com/virginia/herndon/comfort-inn-hotels/va405

2.9 miles

## **Courtyard by Marriott Herndon Reston**

533 Herndon Pkwy. Herndon, VA 20170 703-478-9400

 $\underline{\text{http://www.marriott.com/hotels/travel/iadhc-courtyard-herndon-reston/?scid=bb1a189a-fec3-4d19-a255-54ba596febe}$ 

23.2 miles

## Holiday Inn Washington-Dulles Intl. Airport

45425 Holiday Dr. Sterling, VA 20166 703-471-7411

https://www.ihg.com/holidayinn/hotels/us/en/reservation

6.9 miles