

# AROUND THE WORLD EMBASSY TOUR TIPS for GETTING AROUND

- ★ All participating Passport DC embassies are located in the Northwest quadrant of Washington, DC, and most are along three major corridors - Massachusetts Avenue, Connecticut Avenue, and 16th Street, NW. Embassies are also located in Foggy Bottom and Georgetown.
- ★ Parking is limited in most areas. **Public transportation is strongly encouraged and readily available.**
- ★ A complimentary Passport DC shuttle service is provided from 10am to 4pm serving access to the **Royal Embassy of Saudi Arabia**, the **Royal Thai Embassy**, and the **Embassy of Ukraine**. Service begins at the Dupont Circle Information Booth area located between Massachusetts Avenue, P Street, and 20th Street, NW. See map for details. Note that service ends at 4pm sharp and most embassies are open until 4pm. Please plan accordingly and/or take alternative transportation back to your point of origin.
- ★ Several clusters of embassies are located within 10-15 minutes walking distance (boxed area on the large map) of the Dupont Circle Information Booth and 5-10 minutes walking distance of the Van Ness Information Booth (embassies on International Drive and International Court).

## INSIDER WALK AND PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION TIPS






- ★ North along Massachusetts Avenue from Dupont Circle, walk 8 minutes to Sheridan Circle or 15 minutes to Mass Avenue and S Street. Alternately, take the N6 bus and exit at California Street to access embassies midway up Massachusetts Avenue, 30th Street to access embassies on upper Massachusetts Avenue, or Fulton Street to access embassies near Observatory Circle.
- ★ South along Massachusetts Avenue from Dupont Circle, walk 5-8 minutes to visit embassies on southeast of Dupont Circle and near Scott Circle.
- ★ From lower Massachusetts Avenue/Scott Circle, Embassy of the **Republic of Congo** is a 10 minute walk north on 16th Street to Riggs Place, NW.

## COMPLIMENTARY SHUTTLE ROUTE

### FOGGY BOTTOM/GEORGETOWN SHUTTLE

### METRO BUS PICKUP SPOTS

All embassies are accessible by public transportation. Consider the following options:

-  **N6** Runs every 20 minutes along Massachusetts Avenue; 15 minute travel time between 20th Street and Massachusetts Avenue and Observatory Circle
-  **L2** Runs every 20 minutes along Connecticut Avenue between Van Ness and UDC via Adams Morgan, 20 minutes travel time
-  **S2** Run every 20 minutes along 16th Street between M Street and Harvard Street
-  **S4**
-  **H2** Runs across town between 16th Street and Columbia Road to Connecticut Avenue and Van Ness Street

- ★ From lower Massachusetts Avenue/Scott Circle, take S2 and S4 buses along 16th Street, exit at 16th and Euclid Streets to access the **Mexican Cultural Institute** and the **Embassy of Ecuador**.
- ★ From the Columbia Heights neighborhood (Mexican Cultural Institute and Embassy of Ecuador), the H2 at 16th Street and Columbia Road takes you across town to Connecticut Avenue and Van Ness Street to visit embassies along International Drive and International Court.
- ★ Along Connecticut Avenue from Dupont Circle, walk 5 minutes to R and 20th Street to visit embassies located at **Fraser Mansion** or 15 minutes (uphill) to **embassies on/near Wyoming and Kalorama**. Alternately, take the L2 bus (Conn Avenue and S Street) or the 42 bus (Conn Avenue and Q Street) to Columbia Road and California Street and walk along Conn Avenue to embassies on/near Wyoming and Kalorama. To continue to Van Ness, get on the L2 bus and exit at Conn Avenue and Van Ness Street (20 minutes). Note: By Metrorail, trains leave every 10 minutes and take 6 minutes to travel between Dupont Circle and Van Ness-UDC Metrorail Stations.