

# DIRECTIONS FROM CRYSTAL GATEWAY MARRIOTT TO HOUSE AND SENATE OFFICE BUILDINGS

### **Ride Share**

Mobile-based services like Uber and Lyft are great options to get to the Hill. The estimated cost is between \$10-20, depending on demand. Please allow 30-45 minutes to account for travel from the hotel to the Hill and clearing security.

## **Riding the Metro**

You must have a SmarTrip card or SmarTrip mobile pay account to use the Metro system. SmarTrip cards may be purchased at any Metro station. Cards cost \$10 (includes \$8.00 preloaded fares). Fares vary depending on distance traveled and time of day. Generally, a round trip fare from Crystal City to the Capitol South Metro is approximately \$5.00-\$6.00.

More information about the Metro system and ordering SmarTrip cards can be found at **www.wmata.com**.

(Note: It is recommended to utilize ride share services or taxis to carpool with other attendees to Capitol Hill. Current construction on the metro is likely to add delays to your trip.)

## **Crystal City Metro Station**

The Crystal City metro station is directly accessible by tunnel from the hotel. This station services the Yellow and Blue lines only.

### House

**Option 1:** Take the Blue Line toward Largo Town Center and exit the Capitol South Station. Although this is a longer ride, there are no transfers to worry about. (approximate time: 25 minutes) **Option 2:** Take the Yellow Line toward Mount Vernon Square. Get out at L'Enfant Plaza Station and switch to either the Orange (toward New Carollton), Blue or Silver line (toward Largo Town Center).

At Capitol South, exit the station and head north on First Street SE. See map on other side for building locations and entrances. (approximate time: 20 minutes)

### Senate

Take the Yellow Line toward Mount Vernon Square. Exit the train at Gallery Place Station and switch to the Red Line going towards Glenmont or Silver Spring.

Exit train at Union Station. After exiting Union Station, make your way around the front of Columbus Circle to First Street NE.

18th St

Crystal

Gateway

Marriott

20th St S

Crystal City

Station

Head south for approximately 3 blocks. As you cross C Street NE, the Russell Building will be on your right.

The Dirksen Building will be on your left. Hart is adjoined to Dirksen on the east side. (approximate time: 25 minutes on train, 10 minute walk)

**Please Note:** Main visitor entrances to the buildings are noted on the map on the reverse. You should be able to enter the House and Senate office buildings without an appointment or escort.

