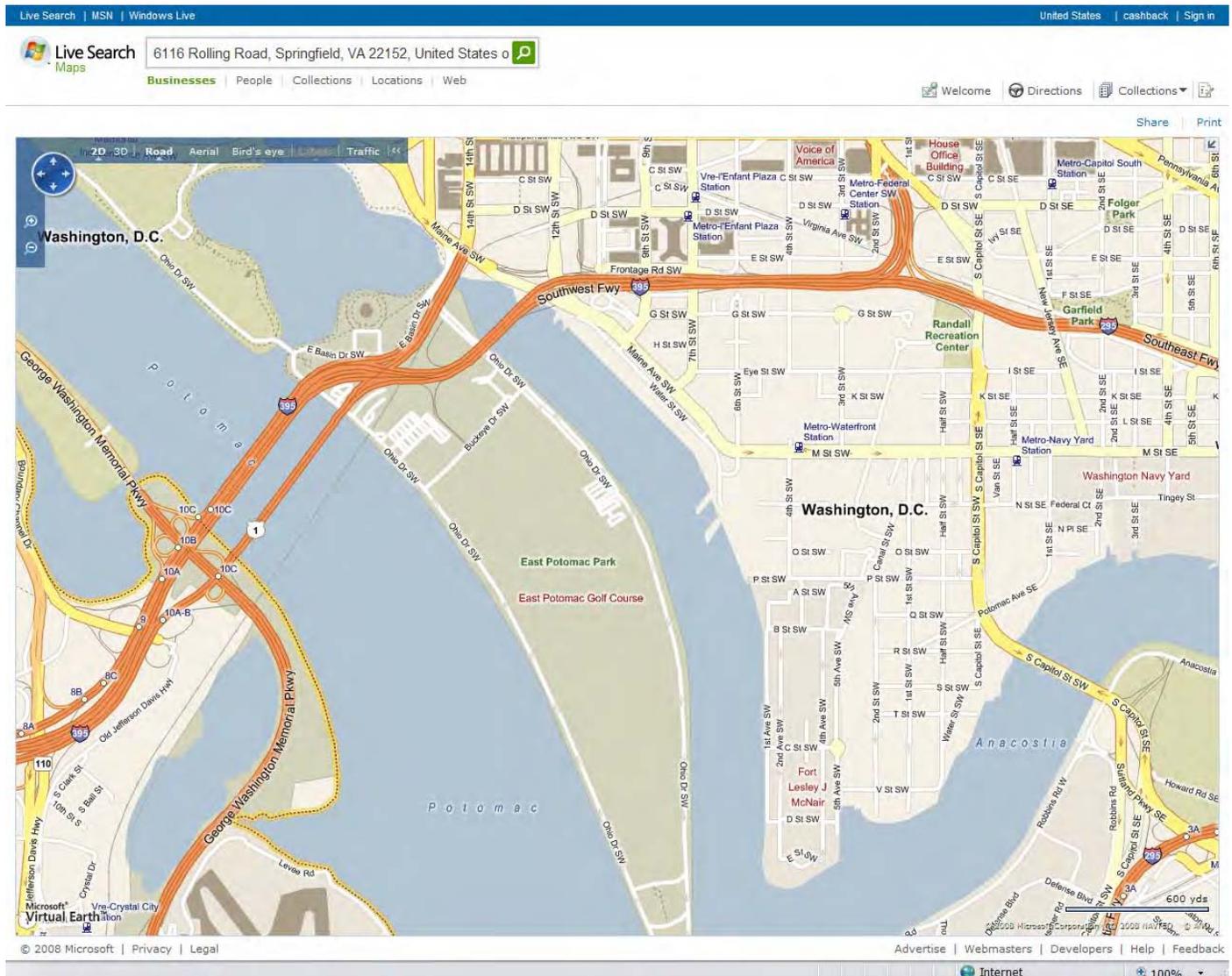


National Defense University

Fort Lesley J. McNair, Washington DC

Welcome to the National Defense University. The University is located on the grounds of Fort Lesley J. McNair in Southwest Washington, DC between the Anacostia River and the Washington Channel. All visitors are required to present identification that includes a photo to enter the Post.

Travel Directions:



Via METRO: NDU is located about 1 mile from the Washington Metro's **Waterfront** station on the **Green Line**. Leaving the station, walk down 4th Street (South) three blocks until it ends and becomes P Street SW. The Ft McNair main gate will be plainly visible.

DRIVING/TAXI: Visitors without a DoD sticker are required to use the "P Street" gate, just east of the main gate.

From Arlington and points South and West (via 14th St Bridge): Follow I-395 North across the Potomac River to the Maine Avenue exit. Follow the exit ahead and turn left (East) on to Maine Avenue at the traffic light. Follow Maine Avenue until it curves left and becomes M Street SW. Turn right (South) on to 4th Street SW and continue three blocks until it ends and becomes P Street SW. The Ft McNair main gate will be plainly visible.

From Alexandria or Anacostia (via Woodrow Wilson Bridge): Follow I-295 North to the South Capitol Street exit. Proceed across the South Capitol Street Bridge, staying to the right. Bear right coming off the bridge, avoiding the underpass, and turn left on to M Street SW at the traffic light. Continue West on M Street SW to 4th Street SW. Turn left

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From Maryland, Prince George's County and Eastern Montgomery County: Follow the Capitol Beltway (I-495 or I-95) to the Baltimore-Washington (B-W) Parkway exit. Proceed Southbound on the B-W Parkway. As you near Washington, the B-W Parkway will become I-295 South, continue on I-295 to the Suitland Parkway exit. Exit at the Suitland Parkway and immediately exit on to I-295 Northbound. After joining I-295 North exit immediately at the South Capitol Street exit. Proceed across the South Capitol Street Bridge, staying to the right. Bear right coming off the bridge, avoiding the underpass, and turn left on to M Street SW at the traffic light. Continue West on M Street SW to 4th Street SW. Turn left (South) on to 4th Street SW and continue three blocks until it ends and becomes P Street SW. The Ft McNair main gate will be plainly visible.

Follow the instructions below once you have entered Fort McNair.

From the Ft McNair Main Gate: Continue straight ahead on 3rd Avenue until it ends at B Street. Turn left on B Street and proceed to 5th Avenue. Turn right on 5th Avenue. Continue past the housing and turn left into the entrance of the parking lot in front of Lincoln Hall. Other parking areas are shown on the map below.

From the Ft McNair P Street Gate: After passing through the security checkpoint area, turn left along the brick wall, turn right on B Street and almost immediately left on 5th Avenue. Continue past the housing and turn left into the entrance of the parking lot in front of Lincoln Hall. Other parking areas are shown on the map below.

