

NAD Teacher Convention 2023

Light Rail Transportation in Phoenix to Hotels (Detailed)

Download and install the “Valley Metro” app. At the airport follow the signs to “Baggage Claim” and “Ground Transportation.”



After baggage pickup, follow the signs to “PHX Sky Train.” Lots of escalators up...

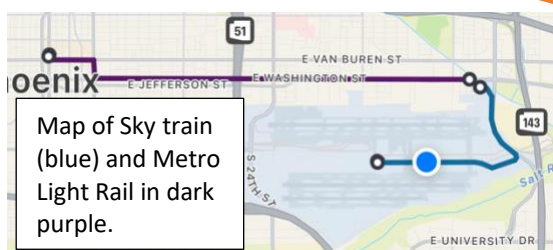
Follow the PHX Sky Train Corridor up escalators.



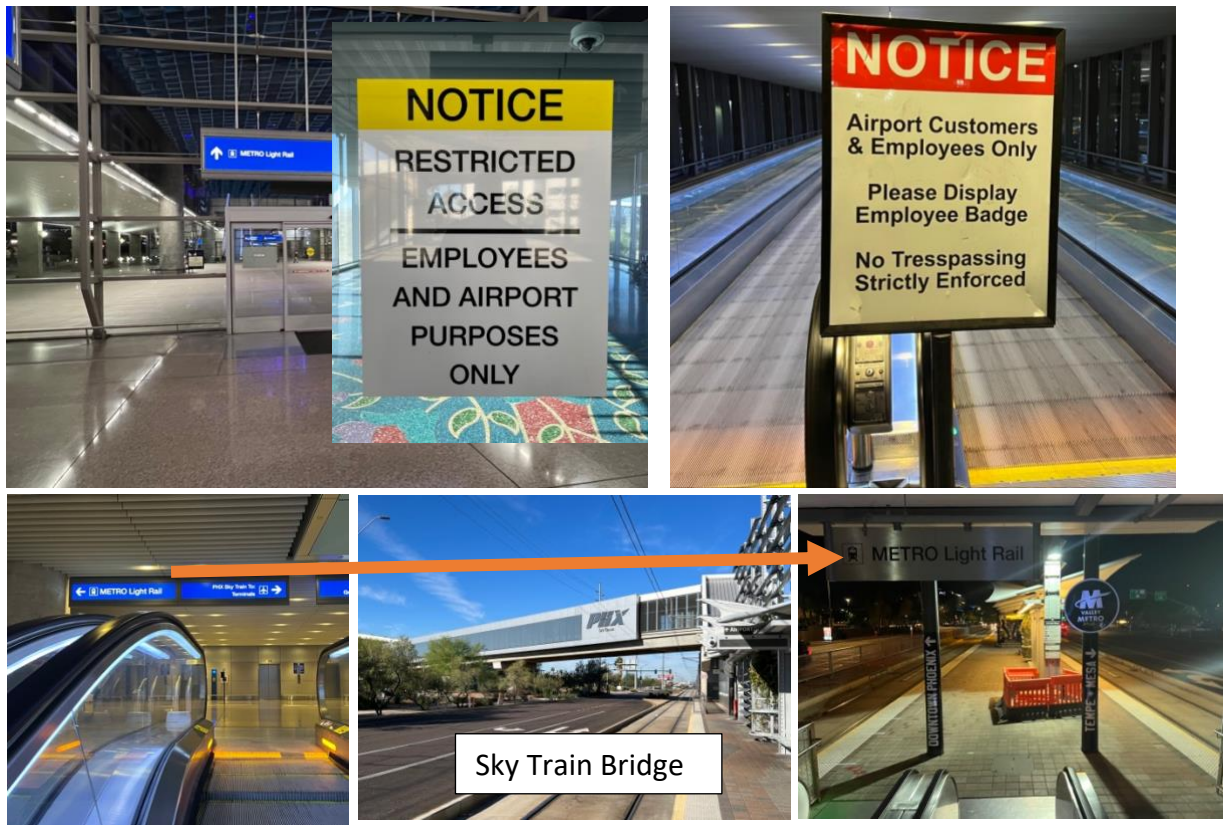
Take the Sky Train from the airport to the “44th ST Station / METRO” light rail train. The Sky Train will travel from terminal 3, past terminal 4, past parking, to the light rail station.



Get off the Sky Train. Look both directions and find the sign that says “METRO Light Rail.” Take the escalator down and go across the “Sky Train Bridge” to the “44th St/Washington” train stop. If you go the wrong direction after getting off the Sky Train, you’ll end up outside. Go across to the other side under the porch and through the double doors with a yellow NOTICE with restricted access. As a customer proceed ahead. The doors open automatically.



Ignore the yellow and red NOTICE signs indicating restricted access to get on the sky bridge.

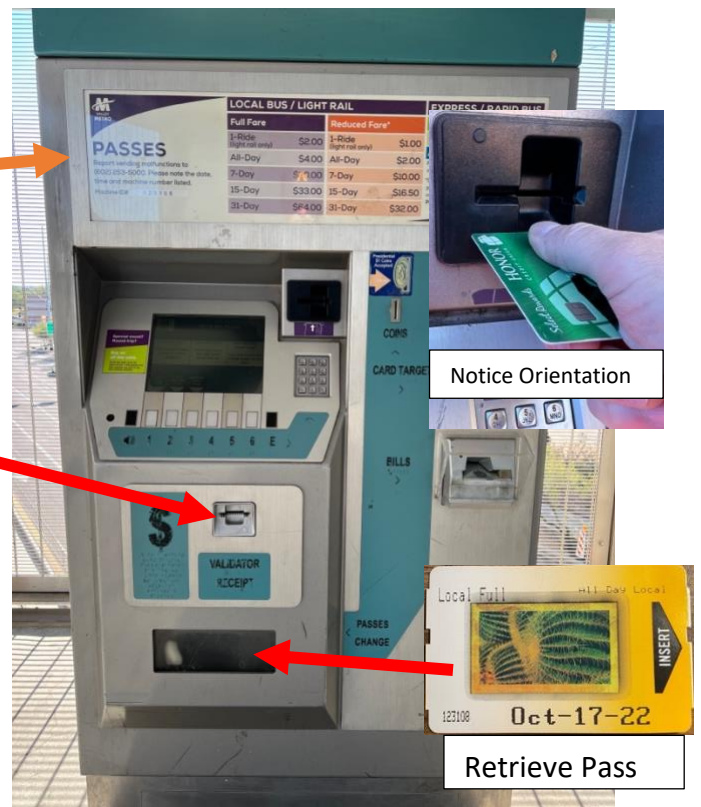


There is a “Valley Metro” app for the light rail system that will assist you. Buy your light rail pass (\$2.00) at the kiosk once you cross the sky bridge. Insert your credit card. If you have trouble with the purchase, turn the credit card around and try again. Retrieve receipt and pass.



RECEIPT
10/17/2022 06:11 PM
METRO
44th St/Washington
FVN 123
CREDIT CARD E
CARD XXXXXXXXXX
AUTH 4: 1234567890
BANK REF# 1234567890
PAID AMT \$2.00
Trans. no. 1234567890
Master Card
1 Ride Full
Phoenix, AZ

Retrieve Receipt



Notice Orientation



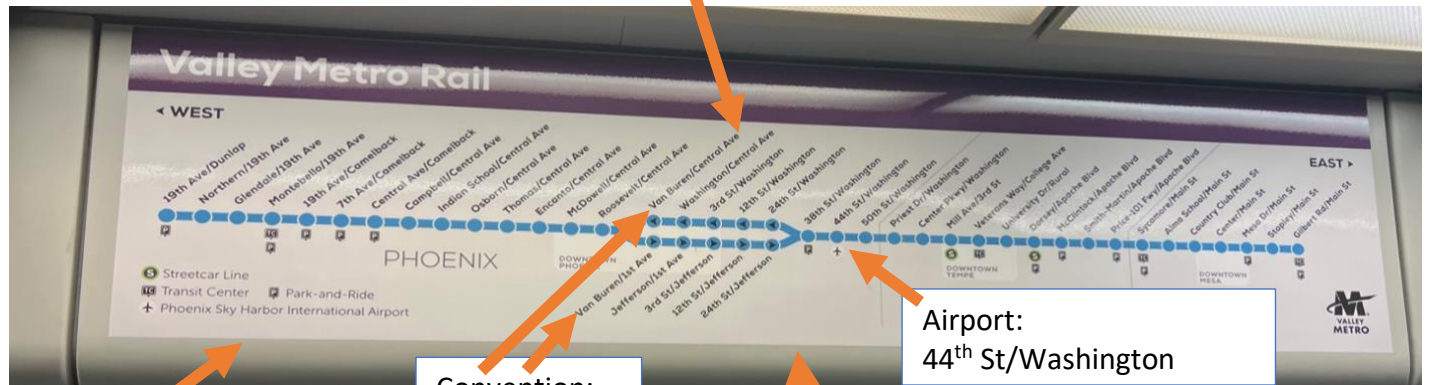
Retrieve Pass

Be sure you get on the westbound train to head towards your hotel. You will be leaving from the “44th St/Washington” train stop. Keep this in mind when returning to the airport.

To NAD Convention Metro Rail Stop and Return to Hotel from Convention

Depending on travel direction use:

“Van Buren/1st Ave” going South or “Van Buren/Central Ave” going North



Convention:
Van Buren/
Central Ave

Airport:
44th St/Washington

Arrive at hotel:

“Washington/Central Ave.”

Hyatt Regency Phoenix
Courtyard Downtown Phoenix
Kimpton Hotel Palomar Phoenix
Renaissance Phoenix Downtown
Residence Inn Phoenix Downtown
Sheraton Grand Phoenix

“Van Buren/Central Ave.”

Best Western Downtown (**LONG WALK**)
Hampton Inn & Suites Phoenix Downtown
Hilton Garden Inn Phoenix Downtown
SpringHill Suites Phoenix (**LONG WALK**)
Westin Phoenix Downtown

“Roosevelt/Central Ave.”

Cambria Hotel Phoenix

“Thomas/Central Ave” on North Central Ave.

Hampton by Hilton Phoenix Midtown
Embassy Suites North

“Indian School/Central Ave” on North Central Ave.

Hilton Garden Inn Midtown (**CAUTION WALK**)

Depart from hotel:

“Jefferson/1st Ave.”

Courtyard Downtown Phoenix
Kimpton Hotel Palomar Phoenix
Renaissance Phoenix Downtown
Residence Inn Phoenix Downtown

“Van Buren/1st Ave.”

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Cambria Hotel Phoenix

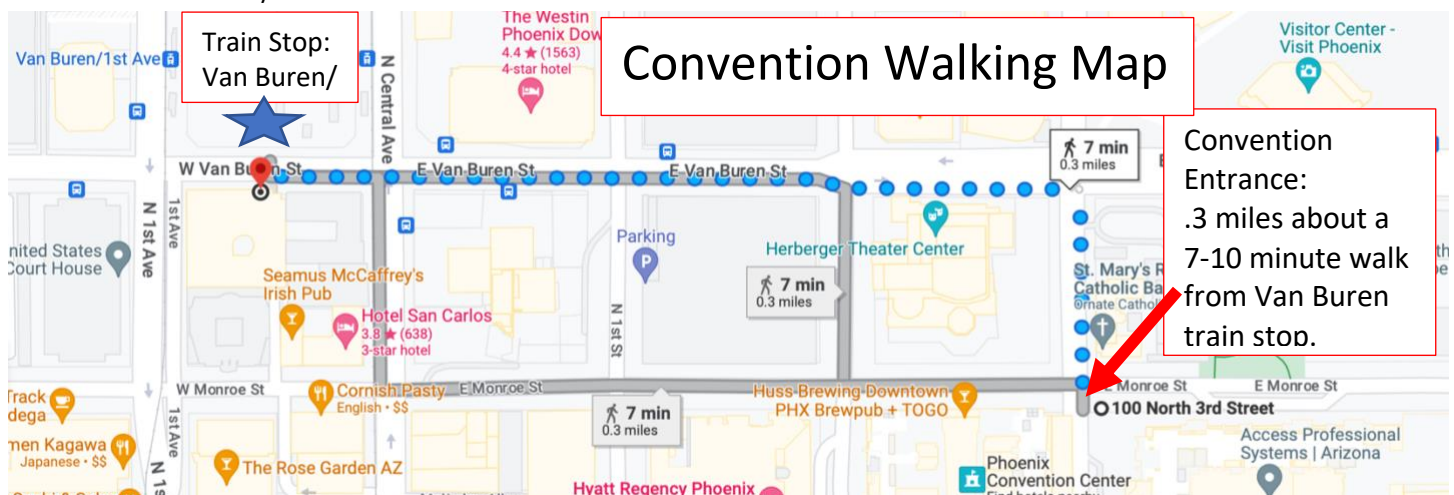
“Thomas/Central Ave” on North Central Ave.

Hampton by Hilton Phoenix Midtown
Embassy Suites North

“Indian School/Central Ave” on North Central Ave.

Hilton Garden Inn Midtown (**CAUTION WALK**)

*Note: Courtyard Downtown Phoenix AND Residence Inn Phoenix Downtown ARE IN THE SAME BUILDING.



Convention Walking Map

Train Stop:
Van Buren/
Central Ave

Convention
Entrance:
.3 miles about a
7-10 minute walk
from Van Buren
train stop.

Details by Hotel:

Arriving and Departing from the Metro Light Rail

Notice: The train splits going two directions near most hotels. Arrival and departure stops can be different.

Best Western Downtown Phoenix

620 N 6th Street
Phoenix, AZ

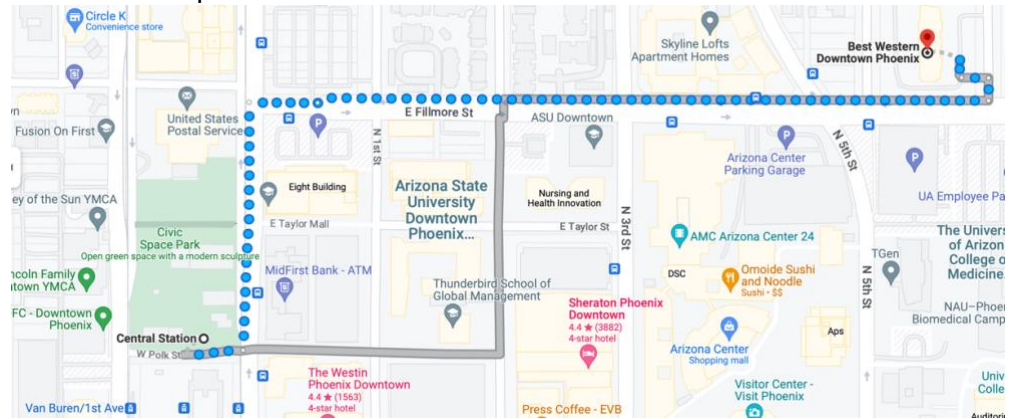
DON'T WALK THIS IF HOT...

Arrival: (.7 miles). Get off the train at the "Van Buren/Central Ave" train stop. Consider the bus or Uber to get to the hotel. It is at least a 15 minute walk in the heat. Go North on Central Ave and turn right on E. Fillmore St. Hotel will be on your left after you pass N. 5th St.

Depart: (.8 miles). From the hotel take E. Fillmore St. going west to Central Ave. Turn South and proceed to W. Polk St. Walk west to 1st Ave and the train stop for "Van Buren/1st Ave".

Convention: The walk to the convention entrance from hotel is a .5 mile walk of at least 12 minutes. It will be hot!

Arrival and Departure:

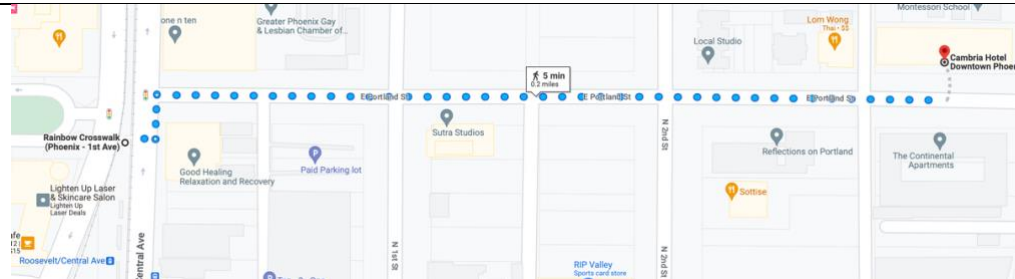


This is a very long and hot walk of at least 15 minutes. Consider riding the bus or getting an Uber.

Cambria Hotel Phoenix

222 East Portland Street
Phoenix, AZ

(.2 miles) Arrival and departure are from the same "Roosevelt/Central Ave" train stop. The dotted blue walking line takes you to/from the crosswalk of the train stop and hotel entrance.



Courtyard Downtown Phoenix & Residence Inn Phoenix Downtown

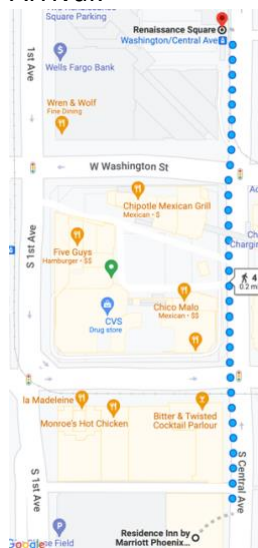
Note: Both hotels same building...

132 S Central Ave
Phoenix, AZ 85004
(602) 603-2001

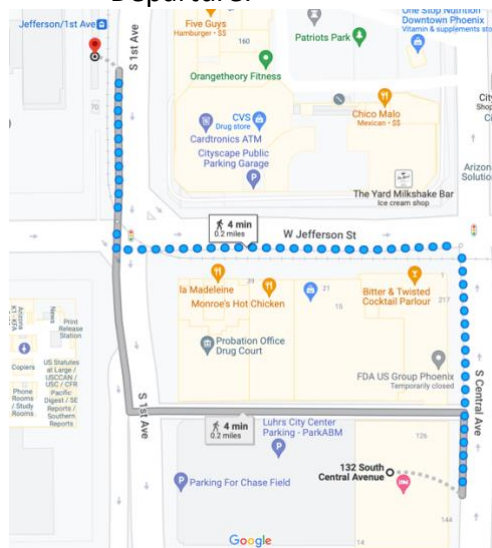
Arrival: (.2 miles) Get off the train at the "Washington/Central Ave." train stop. Walk South on North Central Ave. (turns into South Central Ave.) to East/West Madison St. Hotel is on the right.

Departure: (.2 miles) Walk North on South Central Ave to West Jefferson St. Turn West and walk to South 1st Ave. and walk North. Get on the train at the "Jefferson/1st Ave." train stop. Ride the train "44th St/Washington" stop at the airport.

Arrival:



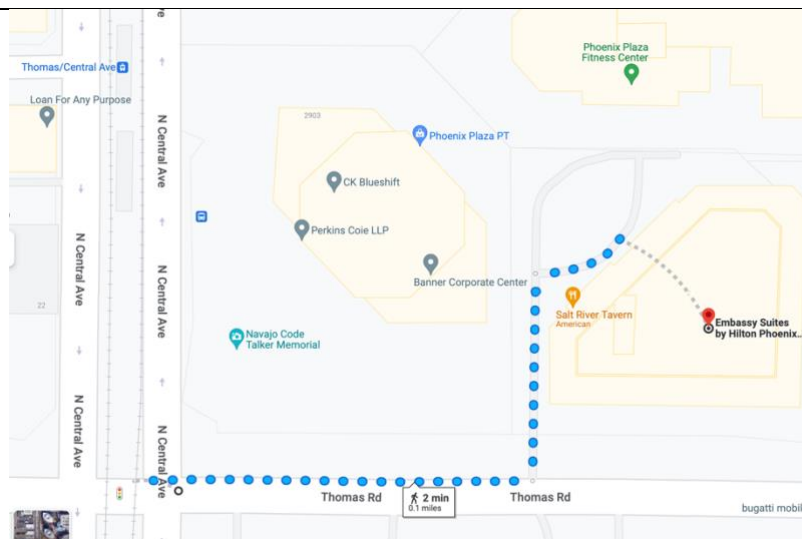
Departure:



Embassy Suites Phoenix Downtown North

10 East Thomas Road
Phoenix, Arizona 85012

(.1 mile) Arrival and departure are at the "Thomas/Central Ave" train stop on North Central Ave. The blue walking line on the map leads to/from the crosswalk at the train stop entrance and hotel entrance.



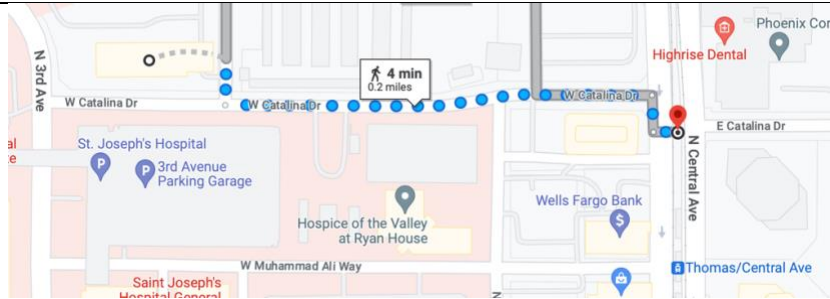
Hampton By Hilton Phoenix Midtown

160W Catalina Drive

Phoenix, AZ

Arrival and departure are from the
“Thomas/Central Ave” train stop on N.
Central Avenue.

(.2 miles) The hotel is west of the train stop
on W. Catalina Dr.

**Hampton Inn & Suites Phoenix Downtown**

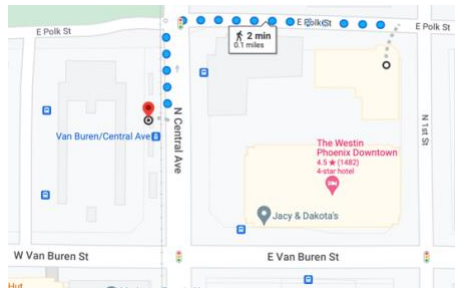
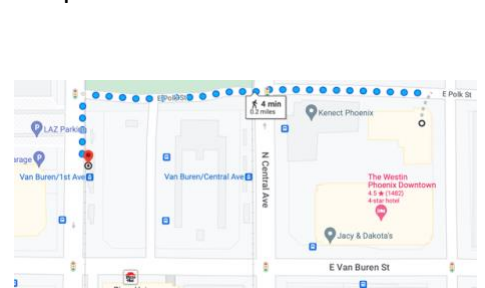
77 E Polk St

Phoenix, AZ 85004

(602) 710-1240

Arrival: (.1 miles) Exit the train at “Van
Buren/1st Ave.” Walk North on 1st Ave.
Turn East on East Polk St. Hotel entrance is
on the corner of North 1st St.

Departure: (.2 miles) Leave the hotel going
West on East Polk St. to 1st Ave. Board the
train at “Van Buren/1st Ave.” Ride the train
“44th St/Washington” stop at the airport.

Arrival:**Departure:****Hilton Garden Inn Phoenix Downtown**

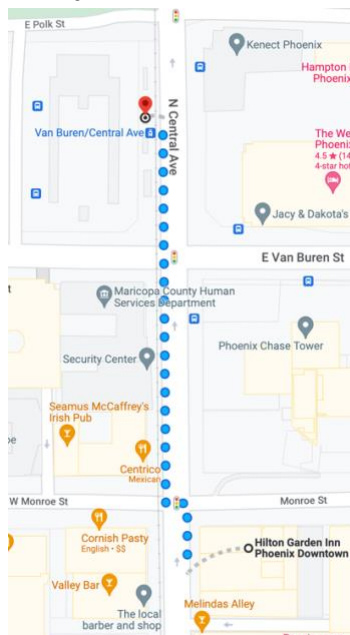
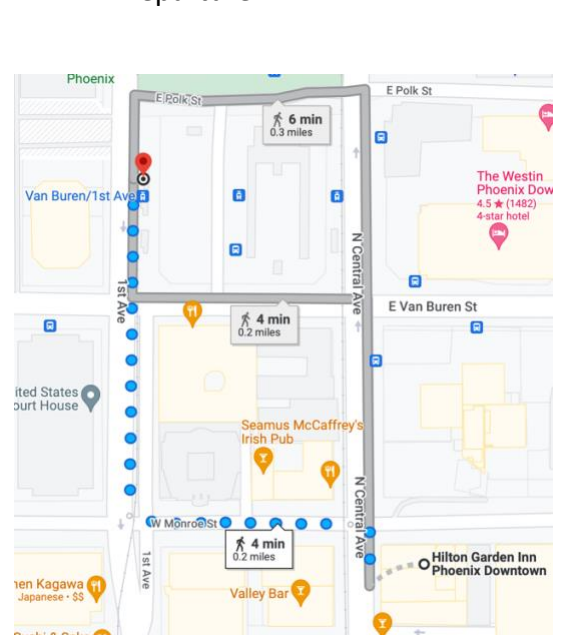
15 E Monroe St

Phoenix, AZ 85004

(602) 343-0006

Arrival: (.2 miles) Get off the train at
“Van Buren/Central.” Walk South on North
Central Ave. to Monroe St. Hotel is across
the street.

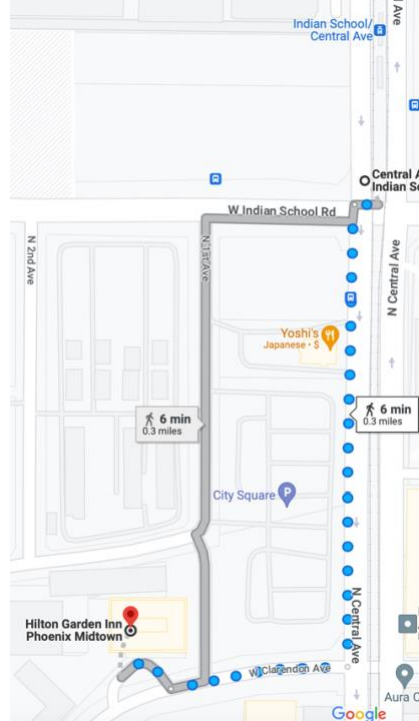
Departure: (.2 miles) Walk West on
West Monroe St. Travel North on 1st
Ave. to the “Van Buren/1st Ave.” train
pickup. Ride the train to the “44th
St/Washington” stop at the airport.

Arrival:**Departure:**

Hilton Garden Inn Phoenix Midtown

4000 North Central
Phoenix, Arizona

(.3 mile) Arrival and departure are at the “Indian School/Central Ave” train stop on North Central Ave. The blue walking line on the map leads to/from the crosswalk at the train stop entrance and hotel entrance.



Hyatt Regency Phoenix (NAD HQ)

122 N 2nd St
Phoenix, AZ 85004
(602) 252-1234

Arrival: (.2 mile walk) Get off the train at “Washington/Central Ave.” train stop. Walk North to East Adams St. Turn East and walk to 2nd St. The hotel entrance faces 2nd street.

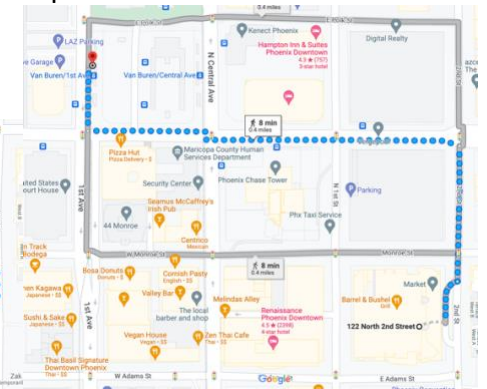
Arrival Option: (.4 mile walk) Get off the train at “Van Buren/Central Ave.” Walk South on North Central Ave. to West Monroe St. Walk East on West Monroe St. to 2nd St. Hotel is on the right.

Departure: (.4 mile walk) Walk North on 2nd St. to E Van Buren St. Walk West 1st Ave. and board at the “Van Buren/1st Ave.” train pickup. Ride the train “44th St/Washington” stop at the airport.

Arrival:



Departure:



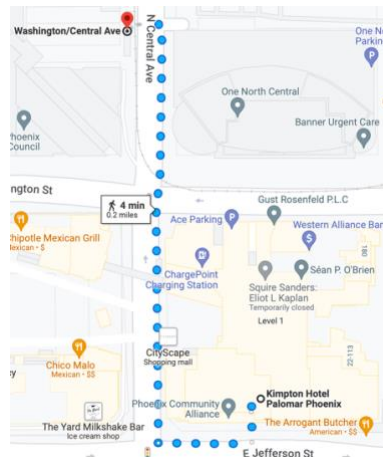
Kimpton Hotel Palomar Phoenix

2 E Jefferson St
Phoenix, AZ 85004

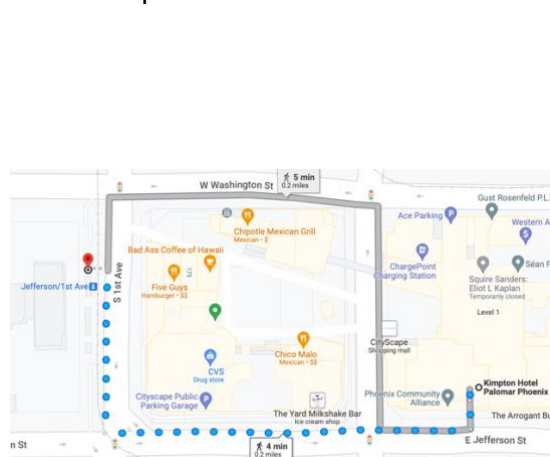
Arrival: (.2 miles) Get off the train at “Washington/Central Ave.” Walk South on North Central Ave. to East Jefferson St. Walk East to hotel entrance.

Departure: (.2 miles) Leave the hotel walking west on East Jefferson St. Turn North on South 1st Ave. Get on the train at the “Jefferson/1st Ave.” train stop. Ride the train to the “44th St/Washington” stop at the airport.

Arrival:



Departure:



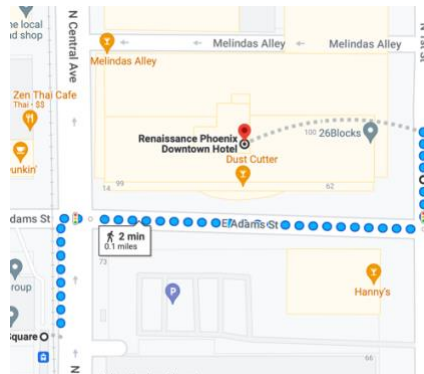
Renaissance Phoenix Downtown Hotel

100 N 1st St
Phoenix, AZ 85004

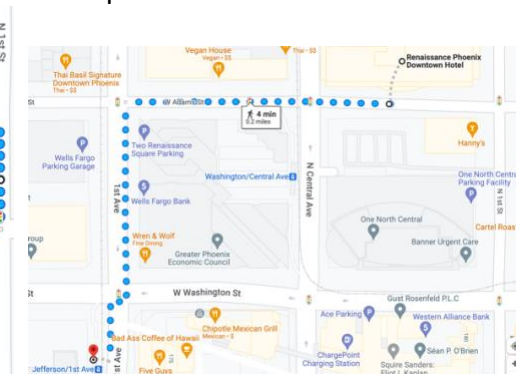
Arrival: (.2 miles) Get off at the “Washington/Central Ave.” train stop. Walk North on North Central Ave. Turn East on East Adams St. to North 1st St. Hotel is on the left.

Departure: (.3 miles) Walk west on East Adams St to 1st Avenue. Proceed South past West Washington St. Get on the train at the “Jefferson/1st Ave.” train stop. Ride the train to the “44th St/Washington” stop at the airport.

Arrival:



Departure:



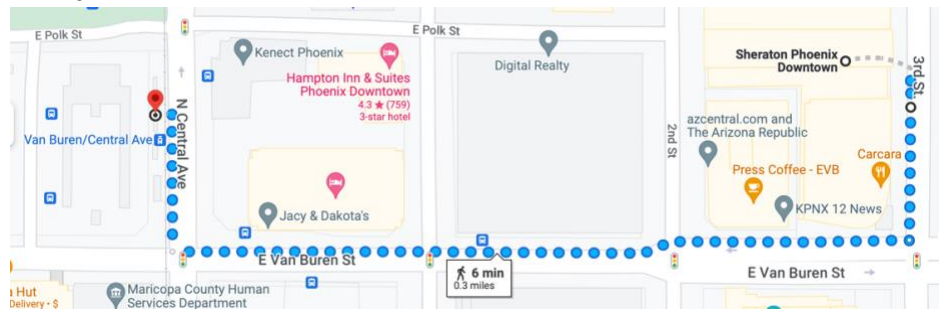
Sheraton Grand Phoenix

340 N 3rd Street
Phoenix, AZ 85004
(602) 262-2500

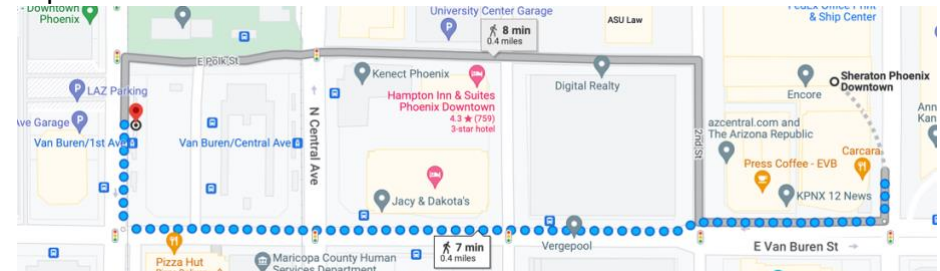
Arrival: (.3 miles) Get off the train at the “Van Buren/Central Ave.” stop. Walk South to East Van Buren St. Turn East and go to 3rd St. Walk North to the entrance of the hotel on your left.

Departure: (.4 miles) Leave the hotel on 3rd St. headed South to East Van Buren St. Go West to 1st Ave. Turn North to the “Van Buren/1st Ave.” Ride the train to the “44th St/Washington” stop at the airport.

Arrival:



Departure:



SpringHill Suites Phoenix Downtown

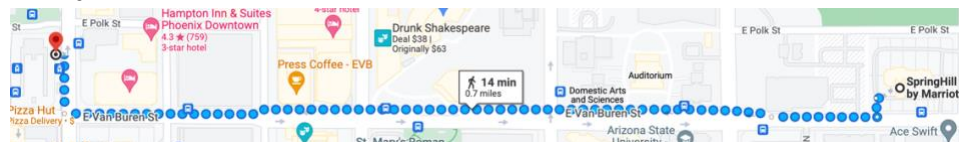
802 E Van Buren St
Phoenix, AZ 85006
(602) 307-9929

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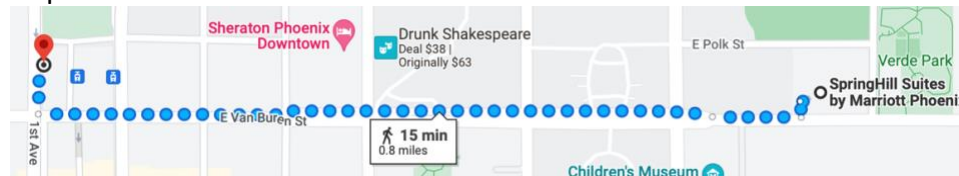
Arrival: (.7 miles) Exit the train at “Van Buren/Central Ave.” Travel South on North Central Ave to East Van Buren St. Go East on East Van Buren St. Hotel is on the left past North 7th St.

Departure: (.8 miles) Leave the hotel going West on East Van Buren St. Go North on 1st Ave. to the “Van Buren/1st Ave.” train stop. Ride the train to the “44th St/Washington” stop at the airport.

Arrival:



Departure:



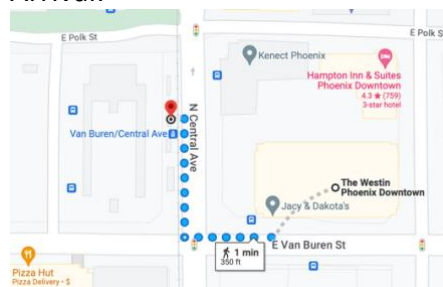
Westin Phoenix Downtown

333 N Central Ave
Phoenix, AZ 85004
(602) 429-3500

Arrival: (Short walk across the street)
Get off the train at the “Van Buren/Central Ave.” stop. Walk across the street and take East Van Buren St. to the hotel.

Departure: (.1 miles) Leave the hotel going West on West Van Buren St. to 1st Ave. Go North to the “Van Buren/1st Ave.” Ride the train to the “44th St/Washington” stop at the airport.

Arrival:



Departure:

