

DRIVING DIRECTIONS TO COAST GUARD ISLAND

From the north of Oakland (Sacramento, Reno, Chico, etc.)

Take I-80 westbound. Nearing Oakland, you will approach the junctions of I-80, I-580 and I-880. Proceed south on I-880 (stay in the middle lanes approaching the junction) towards OAKLAND-ALAMEDA. Take the Embarcadero exit just south of downtown Oakland. Turn left onto Embarcadero from the exit. Travel about 1 mile to the stop sign at Dennison Street. Turn right at the stop onto the causeway that crosses to Coast Guard Island.

From the south of Oakland

From San Jose take I-880 north. Near downtown Oakland, exit at the “5th Street, Embarcadero” exit. After exiting, turn left onto Embarcadero. Travel about 1 ½ mile to the stop sign at Dennison Street. Turn right at the stop onto the causeway that crosses to Coast Guard Island.

TRANSPORTATION AND PARKING INFORMATION

BART: Take the Orange or Green Line to the Oakland Fruitvale station. A Change of Command Shuttle Van will pick up passengers at 10:15 am going to CG Island. The van will leave CG Island at 1:30 pm returning to the BART Station.

Identification: Guests to Coast Guard Island Gate will need photo identification (drivers license, military I.D. etc.) Vehicle drivers will need a driver’s license, proof of insurance, and current registration to bring their vehicle onto the base if not already displaying a valid Coast Guard or DOD registration sticker.

Parking: For guests who have RSVP yes, the Front Gate will direct you to your designated parking area. The colored parking pass you received with the invitation denotes specific parking areas so please bring it with you to the Change of Command.