

DIRECTIONS TO THE MARINE SCIENCE CONSORTIUM

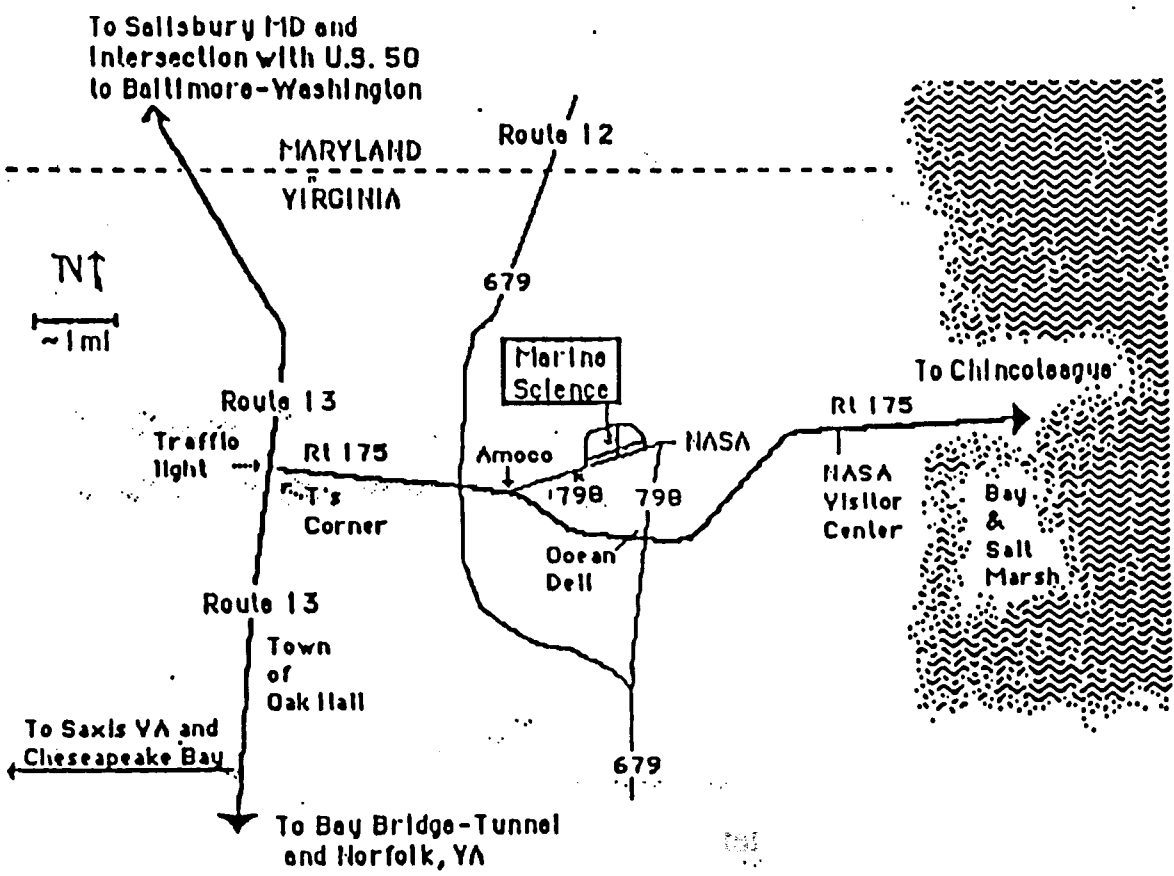
To get to the Marine Science Consortium, follow Route 13 (also called Ocean Highway or Lankford Highway) to the traffic signal at Virginia Route 175 E (Chincoteague Road), which is approximately 4 miles south of the Maryland-Virginia border on the Delmarva Peninsula. Drive about 2.5 miles on Route 175 E. Just after passing the junction with Route 679 at Wattsville, look for an Amoco, bear left onto Route 798 (Mill Dam Road). The Consortium is located 0.5 miles on the left, just before the NASA main gate for the Goddard Flight Facility. Turn left onto the campus following Enterprise Street until locating the office and its parking lot on your left-hand side. Check-in is in Lab 2.

If you come upon the NASA Visitor Center on the right-hand side of Route 175 E, you have missed the turn onto Route 798. Turn around and make the first right turn (at the Ocean Deli). When you reach the main gate to NASA's Flight Facility, bear left away from the NASA main gate. The Marine Science Consortium is now on your right-hand side.

TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION

For public transportation to and from the Marine Science Consortium (MSC), there is an airport in Salisbury, MD (40 miles N of Chincoteague). Two bus lines, Greyhound and Trailways, stop at T's Corner Convenience Store, Oak Hall, VA at the intersection of Route 13 and 175 E (2.5 miles W of MSC). Check with your travel agent for schedules. A staff member will pick-up members of our Elderhostel group at the T's Corner bus stop for transport to MSC, provided you arrive on Sunday and advise us at least one week in advance of your arrival time. There is no charge for transportation between MSC and T's Corner bus stop. However, arrangements must be made by you for transportation to T's Corner from the Airport and back. We WILL NOT be able to make airport pick-ups. A taxi from the airport can take you to the Salisbury bus station where buses leave for the T's Corner bus stop in Oak Hall, VA. An alternative to the taxi and bus is to call the Beach Bound Shuttle (1-800-787-9029) or Airport Chauffeur (410-548-0975). They will provide transportation directly from the airport to the Wallops Island Marine Science Consortium.

For other transportation information, please find enclosed a listing of rental car and taxi services available in the local area.



Marine Science Center Facilities

