WELCOME TO

GREEN VALLEY

The Green Valley community has a long and diverse history beginning in 1719 and has evolved over the years with the land acquisition of Levi and Sarah Ann Jones, free Africans who purchased 14 acres in 1844. Fort Barnard, established during the Civil War, provided jobs. Lomax AME Zion Church, originating around 1865, played a vital role in education. Housing accommodations, recreational facilities and economic opportunities within Green Valley held its African American residents together during racial segregation.

Despite these challenges, Green Valley takes pride in its heritage, which also includes the rise of Green Valley Pharmacy in 1952 and the existence of the Dr. Charles R. Drew Elementary School and Jennie Dean Park. Green Valley continues to evolve. It stands on sacred ground, rooted in migration, diversity, prosperity, and growth, embodying themes of oppression, freedom, adversity, resilience, setbacks, perseverance, and ingenuity. Green Valley, historically a gateway for freed Africans, stands at the threshold of a new era.

For More Information:

Scan the QR code to visit Green Valley's History and Heritage webpage

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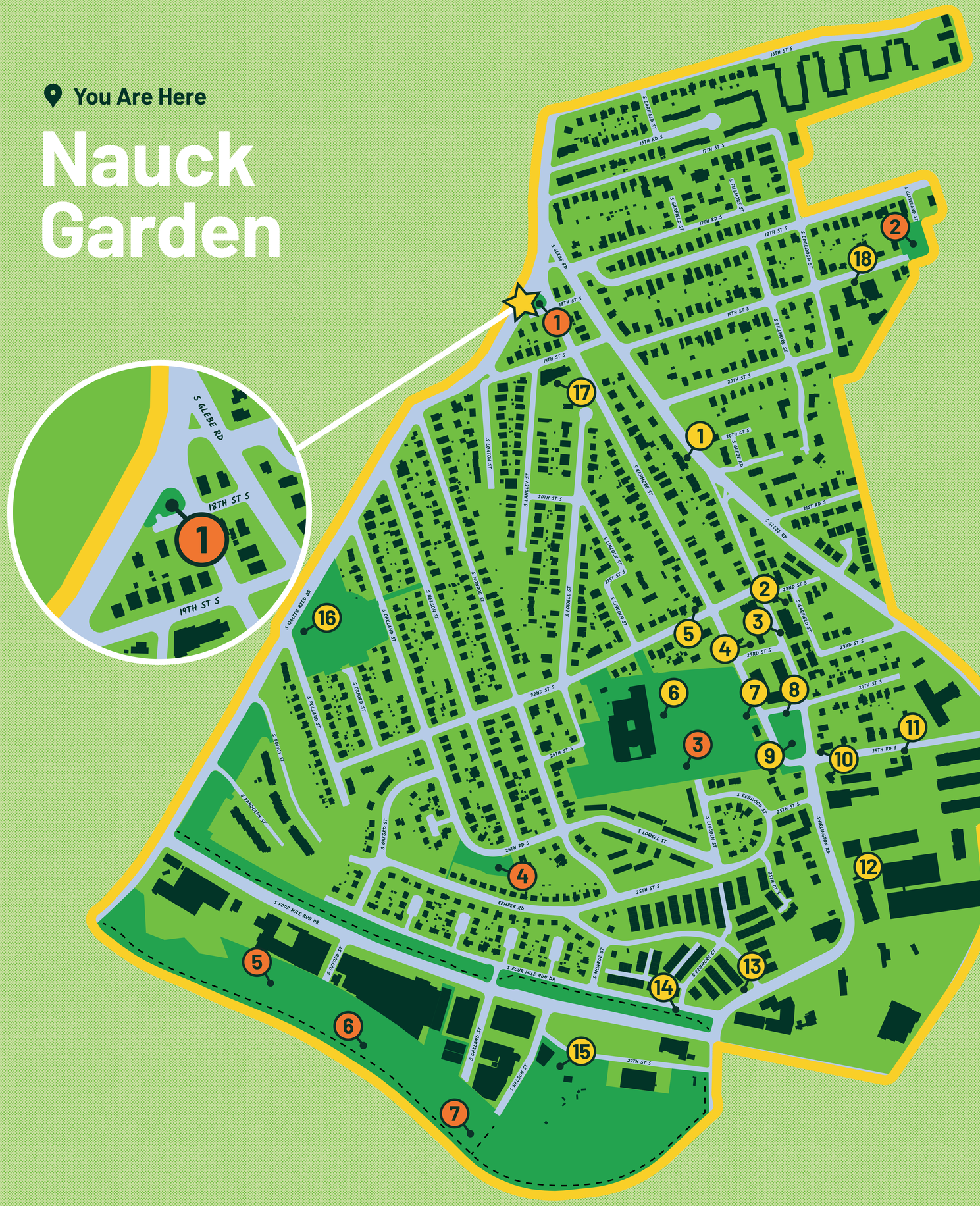
Nauck Garden



HISTORIC SITES

1 Dr. Roland Broner House
2 Friendly Cab Stand
3 Macedonia Baptist Church
4 Arlington Lodge No. 58
5 Veterans Memorial YMCA
6 Dr. Charles R. Drew Elem. School
7 Origins of Green Valley
8 FREED Sculpture
9 John Robinson Jr. Town Square
10 Green Valley Pharmacy
11 Lomax AME Zion Church
12 Chinn Funeral Service
13 Shirlington Crest
14 W&OD Trail*
15 Jennie Dean Park*
16 Fort Barnard Park*
17 Mount Zion Baptist Church
18 Our Lady Queen of Peace

*park

PARKS / TRAILS

1 Nauck Garden
2 Nauch Park
3 Drew park
4 Fort Barnard Heights Park
5 Shirlington Park
6 Bicentennial Garden
7 Four Mile Run Trail

LEGEND

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Historic Site
Park / Trail
Street
County Line
Civic Association
Building
Trail Path
Open Space Zoning
Block