



HAWDC e-HEADLINES

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Chairman Phil Mendelson to Speak at HAWDC September Luncheon:



HAWDC invites Members to attend our September luncheon on Thursday, September 22, 2016. A noon reception will be followed by lunch from 12:30 pm - 1:30 pm. We are pleased to announce that Chairman of the District Council, Phil Mendelson (D), will be our guest speaker! Chairman Mendelson will discuss his thoughts regarding business in Washington, D.C., as well as legislation that is currently before the Council, such as the Universal Paid Leave Act,

that may impact our industry.

Please see upcoming events for more details.

Allied Member Annual Meeting:

Allied Members are encouraged to attend the Allied Member Annual Meeting on Thursday, September 22, 2016, prior to the September Luncheon. Allied Members will have the opportunity to vote for two Allied Member Co-Chairs who will sit on HAWDC's Board of Directors for the next year. There will also be time to discuss Allied Member initiatives for the coming year. If you are interested in running for Allied Member Co-Chair, please click [here](#). **Nominations must be submitted before the meeting and will NOT be accepted from the floor.**

Please see upcoming events for more details.

2016 Allied Member Survey:

In an effort to better understand the needs of our valued Allied Members, HAWDC has developed a survey to gather members' feedback and ideas. We are requesting that Allied Members please take a few moments to complete and submit this brief survey. The results of the survey will be shared and discussed at the Annual Allied Member Meeting on September, 22, 2016. A copy of the survey was emailed to all Allied Members last week.

If you have not already completed the survey, please click [here](#) to start

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Upcoming Events

Thursday, September 22, 2016:

HAWDC Allied Member Annual Meeting will be held at the Marriott at Metro Center from 11:00 am - 12:00 pm. Please contact [Lisa Abrams](#) to RSVP.

Thursday, September 22, 2016:

HAWDC September Luncheon will be held at the Marriott at Metro Center. Reception will be held at 12:00 pm followed by lunch from 12:30 pm - 1:30 pm. Please click [here](#) to RSVP.

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the survey. We request that all responses be submitted by Friday, September 16, 2016.

Thank you for your membership and service to our industry!

Proposed Limited Late Night Metro Schedule:

As you are aware, out of concerns regarding the safety of the system and the continued need to perform track maintenance, Metro's General Manager/CEO, Paul J. Wiedefeld, has proposed closing the Metrorail system at 10 p.m. on Sunday nights and continue midnight closures on all other nights beyond the conclusion of the one-year "SafeTrack" program. The Metro Board is in the midst of the public engagement process regarding this proposal, to hear feedback from users of the system before it plans to vote on the proposal later this fall.

HAWDC understands the potential impact that these proposed changes would have on our Members' operations, their employees, and travelers to our city. We have already began, and will continue, to meet with policy makers to express our concerns about this proposal and the effect that it would have on our industry. HAWDC will continue to update Members as Metro further evaluates this proposal.

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