



## HAWDC Hosts Member Luncheon with Councilmember Vincent Gray:



On Thursday, May 17<sup>th</sup>, HAWDC hosted a member luncheon with special guest speaker, Councilmember Vincent Gray. Councilmember Gray shared his thoughts on the importance of the hospitality industry to the District's economy and employing District residents. Additionally, he discussed his desire to bring amenities to Wards 7 and 8, which would include building new hotels that could assist with attracting visitors to the St. Elizabeth's Campus and Wizards Practice Facility developments. HAWDC would like to

thank Councilmember Gray for joining us and sharing his perspective on issues that impact our industry!

*Pictured above from left to right: Councilmember Vincent Gray (D - Ward 7); and Solomon Keene, President & CEO, Hotel Association of Washington, DC.*

## MPD Youth Advisory Council End of Term Celebration:



On Friday, May 18, 2018, HAWDC sponsored the Metropolitan Police Department (MPD), Youth Advisory Council (YAC) End of Term Celebration at the Renaissance Washington, DC Downtown Hotel. This event gave MPD the opportunity to celebrate students completing the end of the spring term of the program. The YAC is a mentoring program that encourages high school students in the District to develop and maintain a positive relationship with MPD officers. The end of term celebration allows students from across the District to get together and share their experiences with the program, and receive words of encouragement regarding reaching for their dreams despite experiencing adversities. HAWDC would like to thank Matt Felix,

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## Upcoming Events

### Monday, June 18:

Stars of the Industry Awards Luncheon will be held at The St. Gregory Hotel, 2033 M Street, NW, from 12:00 p.m. - 1:30 p.m. Please contact [Lisa Abrams](#) to RSVP.

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General Manager, and his team at the Renaissance Washington, DC Downtown Hotel for hosting a wonderful event.

*Pictured above: Metropolitan Police Department Officers and District students.*



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## 2018 Stars of the Industry Awards Luncheon:



HAWDC's will hold its Annual Stars of the Industry Awards Luncheon on:

**Monday, June 18, 2018  
12:00 p.m. - 1:30 p.m.  
The St. Gregory Hotel  
2033 M St, NW  
Washington, DC 20037**

Each year, the Stars of the Industry Awards showcase individuals and properties that have excelled throughout the hospitality and lodging industry. This year, we will be honoring 12 individuals and properties that have displayed outstanding accomplishments, service, and leadership in our industry!

Join us to celebrate the talent and performance of employees and properties who go that extra mile to provide extraordinary service to their hotel guests. Members and guests will mix-n-mingle during our reception, where you will feast on hor d'oeuvres and delicious food at various chef stations, all while listening to a 3-piece Jazz Band. The awards presentation will immediately follow the reception.

We are sure that you won't want to miss this event as we celebrate the best of the best!

Please see Upcoming Events to RSVP.

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## Greater Washington Hispanic Chamber of Commerce 42<sup>nd</sup> Annual Gala:

On Friday, June 29, 2018, the Greater Washington Hispanic Chamber of Commerce will host its 42<sup>nd</sup> Annual Gala: Servicio Estrella - Honoring Hispanics in Hospitality. Hispanics in the District support the hospitality industry and make our city such a wonderful place to visit and live. Hispanics account for more than 22.5% of the hospitality industry's labor force. Join the GWHCC in honoring the individuals and organizations that help make this a region welcoming and wonderful! For more information please click [here](#).

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## Allied Member Spotlight:



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