



## HAWDC e-HEADLINES

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### HAWDC to Host Lunch with ABRA Director:

Please join us on Thursday, October 13, 2016 for lunch with our special guest speaker, Fred Moosally, Director, Alcoholic Beverage Regulation Administration ("ABRA"). Members will have the opportunity to hear Director Moosally discuss ABRA's Inaugural Week licensing requirements, ABRA enforcement initiatives, as well as other issues that may impact their ABC license and operations. Click [here](#) to register. Space is very limited for this event and RSVPs will be accepted on a first-come first-served basis so register today!



Please see upcoming events for more details.

### District Agencies to Conduct Presidential Inauguration Inspections of Hotels:



In preparation for the Inauguration in January 2017, the DC Presidential Inaugural Committee has tasked the District Government with inspecting hotels for safety and code compliance.

Beginning this month, the Department of Consumer & Regulatory Affairs (DCRA), Department of Health (DOH), and Fire & Emergency Management Services (FEMS) will be conducting inspections of all District hotels. The inspections will be similar to the routine inspections hotels receive and will focus on:

- Property maintenance in the common areas, ballrooms and guest rooms (DCRA)
- Food sanitation in food service areas and ballrooms (DOH); and
- Life safety ingress/egress in common areas; sprinkler maintenance; and evacuation planning.

Members should advise their staff of the upcoming inspections and that the inspections may be unannounced. For any questions regarding the inspections, please call 202-442-9543 or e-mail

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### Upcoming Events

**Thursday, October 13, 2016:**

Lunch with ABRA Director Fred Moosally will be from 12:00 am - 1:30 pm. at 1225 New York Avenue NW, Suite 250 in the HAWDC Conference Room. Please contact [Renauda Bennett](#) to RSVP.

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## Nominate Your STARS of the Industry Today:



HAWDC is currently accepting nominations for our next STARS of the Industry Awards! We are excited to introduce our new format of the awards ceremony being held in February 2017.

Click [here](#) to complete and submit your nominations! Nominations should be submitted directly to HAWDC by Monday, October 31, 2016 in order to be considered for the city-wide and national competitions. Please contact Renauda Bennett at [association@hawdc.com](mailto:association@hawdc.com) or 202.289.0584 with any questions. Submit your nominations today!

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## Thanksgiving Baskets for Shaw Community Residents:

Each year, HAWDC eagerly supports the Turkey Basket Program to sponsor Thanksgiving Dinners for the residents of the Shaw Community. The baskets will be filled with all of the materials necessary to make Thanksgiving dinner for approximately 1,000 families!



You can sponsor baskets for \$55.00 each or indicate your donation level on the form, linked below.

If you would like to donate, please click [here](#) and return to [Renauda Bennett](#) or fax to (202) 289-8849.

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