



Friday, August 21, 2020

Mask Order Enforcement

As you are aware, Mayor Bowser has mandated that everyone in the District must wear a mask while in public spaces. This order applies to all guests and employees in your hotels. Persons, except youth under the age of eighteen (18), found to be in violation of the order are subject to fines of up to one thousand dollars (\$1,000) per violation. Should you encounter any guest that refuses to comply with the mask order, you may contact the Metropolitan Police Department who is authorized to enforce the order.

Quarantine Order Update

As a reminder, on July 24th, Mayor Bowser issued requirements for all residents or persons returning to or arriving to the District after travel from coronavirus (COVID-19) "high-risk areas" to self-quarantine for 14 days. Due to the progress in the number of COVID-19 cases in the District, HAWDC has had discussions with the District government to revisit the order. At this time, the Mayor is not planning to rescind the order. As we all work to get through this pandemic, HAWDC will continue to make the economic and business arguments that best serve our members as the District updates its quarantine and phasing guidelines.

Regards,
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