



Annual MEETING

2026 SPONSORSHIP KIT

The Washington DC Economic Partnership’s Annual Meeting is the highlight of Washington, DC’s business community, attracting over 600 leaders, visionaries, and stakeholders to celebrate economic development and highlight the impacts and accomplishments of our city.

This is your opportunity to become a part of this amazing experience and help shape the future of DC.

DETAILS

WHEN: Thursday, April 2, 2026
12:00 PM to 2:00 PM

WHERE: Grand Hyatt Washington
1000 H St NW, Washington, DC 20001



Architect Eran Chen, AIA, Founding Principal and Executive Director, ODA; 2023 Keynote Speaker



Tim Berry, JPMorgan Chase & Co.; 2024 Keynote Speaker



Mayor Muriel Bowser, Washington, DC



SPONSOR RATES

Diamond Sponsor	\$25,000
Platinum Sponsor	\$10,000
Gold Sponsor	\$5,000
Silver Sponsor	\$3,500
Corporate Table	\$2,000
Individual Ticket	\$155

To discuss partnership opportunities or to learn more about the Washington DC Economic Partnership, please contact:

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SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Diamond Sponsor – \$25,000

- One (1) premier lunch table of ten (10) with branded table signage
- On-stage welcome with introduction remarks during the Annual Meeting Luncheon
- Logo recognition on marketing materials and signage promoting the Annual Meeting
- Branded sponsor recognition highlighted during luncheon
- Social media and promotion through WDCEP's marketing channels
- Full-page, color ad in the DC Development Report* (1,000 copies)

Platinum Sponsor – \$10,000

- One (1) premier lunch table of ten (10) with table signage
- Logo recognition on marketing materials and signage promoting the Annual Meeting
- Branded sponsor recognition highlighted during luncheon
- Social media and promotion through WDCEP's marketing channels
- Half-page, color ad in the DC Development Report* (1,000 copies)

Gold Sponsor – \$5,000

- One (1) lunch table of ten (10) with branded table signage
- Logo recognition on marketing materials and signage promoting the Annual Meeting
- Logo display to be shown on screens at luncheon
- Social media and promotion through WDCEP's marketing channels

Silver Sponsor – \$3,500

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Corporate Table – \$2,000

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- Logo display to be shown on screens at luncheon



Councilmember Kenyan McDuffie (left) and Chairman Phil Mendelson (right), Council of the District of Columbia, 2021 Speakers

EXCLUSIVE OPPORTUNITIES

Escort Card Sponsorship – \$1,000

- Logo on front of escort card given to every attendee during check-in
- Back side allows for a short message about your company, organization, product, or service with an optional QR code to a link of your choosing
- Available as an add-on to your Corporate Table sponsorship or higher



*DC Development Report ad must be received by 2/25/2026

WDCEP ANNUAL MEETING 2026 REGISTRATION



The Washington DC Economic Partnership (the Partnership) is recognized as an organization exempt from federal income tax as described under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. As such, certain payments to the Partnership may qualify for the charitable contribution deduction. Please consult a qualified tax advisor.

PARTICIPATION LEVEL

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Diamond Sponsor..... | \$25,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> Silver Sponsor..... | \$3,500 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Platinum Sponsor..... | \$10,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> Corporate Table..... | \$2,000 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Gold Sponsor..... | \$5,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> Escort Card Sponsorship..... | \$1,000 |
- # of additional individual tickets (\$155 each)

PAYMENT INFORMATION

Check (all checks should be payable to: Washington DC Economic Partnership)

Credit Card

After totaling your participation level, visit wdcep.com/payments to pay via credit card.

American Express, Discover, MasterCard, and Visa are accepted.

A convenience fee, shown on the payment website, will be applied to all credit card payments.

CONTACT INFORMATION

Company _____

Contact _____

Title _____

Address _____

City/State/Zip _____

Email _____

MAIL PAYMENTS TO:

Washington DC Economic Partnership
Attn: Accounting Dept
1495 F St NW
Washington, DC 20004

SEND COMPLETED FORM TO:

Susan Burnett
Director of People and Operations
sburnett@wdcep.com

I hereby agree to the terms and conditions for the 2026 Annual Meeting

Signature _____

Updated 12/17/25

TERMS & CONDITIONS

1. EXHIBITOR/SPONSOR CANCELLATION POLICY

1.1 NO REFUNDS. THERE ARE NO REFUNDS FOR CANCELLATIONS BY EXHIBITORS OR SPONSORS. IF AN EXHIBITOR OR SPONSOR CANCELS AT ANY TIME, FOR ANY REASON, THE EXHIBITOR OR SPONSOR WILL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR THE ENTIRE EXHIBITOR OR SPONSOR FEE.

1.2 CONFERENCE AND PROGRAMS SUBJECT TO CHANGE. WDCEP RESERVES THE RIGHT TO RELOCATE OR RESCHEDULE PROGRAMS. IF A RESCHEDULED CONFERENCE OR CONFERENCE PROGRAM CONFLICTS WITH AN EXHIBITOR'S OR SPONSOR'S SCHEDULE, SUCH EXHIBITOR OR SPONSOR MAY ELECT TO SEEK A CREDIT OF

EQUAL OR LESSER VALUE TO BE USED AT ANY AFFILIATE WDCEP EVENT. SUCH CREDIT SHALL BE VALID FOR ONE (1) YEAR FROM THE DATE OF THE ORIGINALLY SCHEDULED CONFERENCE DATE.

2. PAYMENT TERMS

PAYMENTS FOR ALL EXHIBITORS/SPONSORSHIPS ARE DUE WITHIN 30 BUSINESS DAYS OF REGISTRATION.

3. FORCE MAJEURE

IN THE EVENT THAT EITHER PARTY TO THIS AGREEMENT IS UNABLE TO PERFORM ITS OBLIGATIONS HEREUNDER OR TO ENJOY ANY OF ITS BENEFITS BECAUSE OF SUBSTANTIAL DAMAGE

OR DESTRUCTION TO THE VENUE OR ORGANIZATION DUE TO ANY CAUSE, A NATURAL DISASTER, OR ACTION OR DECREE OF GOVERNMENTAL BODY WITH APPROPRIATE JURISDICTION (HEREINAFTER REFERRED TO AS A "FORCE MAJEURE EVENT"), THE PARTY THAT HAS BEEN SO AFFECTED SHALL IMMEDIATELY GIVE NOTICE TO THE OTHER PARTY OF SUCH FACT AND SHALL DO EVERYTHING POSSIBLE TO RESUME ITS PERFORMANCE. IF THE PARTY IS UNABLE TO PERFORM, THE PARTY THAT RECEIVED SUCH NOTICE MAY TERMINATE THIS AGREEMENT BY GIVING NOTICE THEREOF TO THE PARTY UNABLE TO PERFORM BECAUSE OF SUCH FORCE MAJEURE EVENT.