

Metropolitan Washington Council of Governments 2010 Annual Meeting & Awards Luncheon



One Region.  
Moving  
Forward.

December 8, 2010 | 11:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. | Grand Hyatt | Washington, D.C.

# One Region. Moving Forward.

It's commonplace to hear people at COG talk about the importance of regionalism. By working together, the thinking goes, we can achieve more — with greater efficiency — than if we duplicate our efforts unnecessarily. Our accomplishments over the past decades have proven that maxim correct.

Regionalism is experiencing a new urgency. Governments at every level, as well as community organizations, are looking for regional solutions to many of the country's most daunting problems. Many of these problems — climate change, income inequality, health disparities — are not solvable by focusing on the local level exclusively. By working and acting together, we can build one region ready to move forward and tackle the challenges of the 21<sup>st</sup> century.

To deal with such challenges, COG, all 21 of its member governments, and a growing number of business, community, and other organizations have endorsed *Region Forward*, a plan to build an accessible, sustainable, prosperous, and livable National Capital Region, thereby enabling our region's continued competitiveness with others in the United States and around the world.

**Region  
Forward** 

Find Region Forward online at [RegionForward.org](http://RegionForward.org) or search for it on Twitter and Facebook

## You Are Invited

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**Wednesday, December 8, 2010**  
11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Registration: 11:00 a.m.

Reception: 11:30 a.m.

Luncheon and Business Meeting: Noon

Please register by December 1:  
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### Grand Hyatt

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Washington, D.C.

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