COUNCILMEMBER ANITA BONDS, CHAIRPERSON COMMITTEE ON EXECUTIVE ADMINISTRATION AND LABOR

ANNOUNCES A PUBLIC ROUNDTABLE

on the matter of

Senior Food Delivery Services

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Thursday, June 1, 2023, at 11:00 AM John A. Wilson Building, Room 412 Via Zoom

On Thursday, June 1, 2023, Councilmember Anita Bonds will hold a public roundtable to discuss senior food delivery services provided by the Department of Aging and Community Living (DACL). The roundtable will be held on Thursday, June 1, 2023, at 11:00 AM in-person and virtually via Zoom.

The objective of this roundtable is to receive testimony from government and public witnesses regarding the senior nutrition services provided by the Department of Aging and Community Living. The roundtable will evaluate the performance of the food service providers, as well as the nutritional value, quality, and taste of the food delivered. In addition, it will examine the role Lead Agencies play in DACL's service delivery.

Persons who wish to testify are requested to either email the Committee at <u>ceal@dccouncil.gov</u> or telephone the Committee at (202) 724-8198 at least two business days before the hearing and provide their name, address, telephone number, email address, organizational affiliation, and title. Each witness will receive an individual Zoom invitation for the hearing in a separate e-mail. Witnesses are encouraged to submit an electronic version of their testimony to <u>ceal@dccouncil.gov</u>. Oral testimony will be limited to 5 minutes for those testifying on behalf of an organization and 3 minutes for those testifying on behalf of themselves.

All Councilmembers will receive an individual Zoom invitation for the hearing in a separate email. If a Councilmember does not have a separate link for each, please contact Amanda Chulick at <u>achulick@dccouncil.gov</u>.

The hearing can be viewed on the following platforms:

- YouTube (youtube.com/@EALCommittee/streams)
- DC Council's Website (<u>www.dccouncil.gov</u>)
- Office of Cable Television's Website (<u>www.entertainment.dc.gov</u>)

Witnesses who anticipate needing language interpretation or require sign language interpretation are encouraged to inform the Committee of the need as soon as possible but no later than five business days before the proceeding. The Committee will make every effort to fulfill timely requests, however requests received in less than five business days may not be fulfilled and alternatives may be offered.

If someone is unable to testify at the public hearing, written statements are encouraged and will be made a part of the official record. Written statements should be submitted to the Committee on Executive Administration and Labor, John A. Wilson Building, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Suite 116, Washington, D.C. 20004 or by email at <u>ceal@dccouncil.gov</u>. The record will close at 5:00 PM on Sunday, June 11, 2023.