



Richard M. Daley, Mayor



Rosemarie S. Andolino, Commissioner

CDA Web Alert

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Commissioner Andolino to receive 2010 Person of the Year Award by the Italian American Labor Council

Commissioner Rosemarie S. Andolino has been selected as the 2010 Person of the Year by the Italian American Labor Council. The Council has selected Andolino for her leadership and dedication to the success of the O'Hare Modernization Program as well as for her appointment to Commissioner of the Chicago Department of Aviation.

The Italian American Labor Council's annual dinner will be held on Friday, October 15, 2010 at Drury Lane, in Oak Brook Terrace.

The Italian American Labor Council was formed in 1966. The council's purpose is to help transition Italian Immigrants into the American workforce and provide valuable networking opportunities to its members.

For more information on the Italian American Labor Council, please visit www.chicagoialc.com.

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The Chicago Department of Aviation (CDA) is self-supporting, using no local or state tax dollars for operations or capital improvements at O'Hare and Midway International airports. Together, Chicago's airports generate more than \$45 billion in annual economic activity and create 540,000 jobs for the region. Please visit www.flychicago.com to learn more about the Chicago Department of Aviation.

The CDA continues to incorporate and expand sustainable initiatives for airport planning, operations and maintenance, concessions and tenants in accordance with the CDA Sustainable Airport Manual (SAM), released in August 2009. To view case studies, lessons learned and new technologies, and for more information on the SAM, please visit www.airportsgoinggreen.org.

The O'Hare Modernization Program (OMP), introduced by Mayor Richard M. Daley in June 2001, transforms O'Hare's airfield from an outdated system of intersecting runways into a modern parallel runway configuration. The program will reduce overall delays at the Airport by 79 percent, and bad weather delays by 95 percent. It will create 195,000 new jobs and \$18 billion in additional economic activity each year. Please visit www.oharemodernization.org to learn more about the OMP.

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