

Media Advisory

Comptroller Franchot to Deliver Food for Meals on Wheels in Takoma Park

*Thursday visits also include pharmacy and first gas station
to go all electric*

WHO: Comptroller Peter Franchot

WHAT: Comptroller Franchot on Thursday afternoon will visit several businesses in his backyard

He'll start at the Meals on Wheels Takoma Park/Silver Spring kitchen to present a proclamation to Executive Director Ruth Masterson, volunteers and staff. The nonprofit celebrated its 50th anniversary last year when it served nearly 50,000 meals to elderly and homebound residents. Afterwards, the Comptroller will deliver lunch to two local program recipients.

Next, the Comptroller will head to CVS Pharmacy, which serves many Takoma Park residents despite being located just steps over the District of Columbia line. There, he will present a proclamation to assistant store manager Juliana Fitzallen and pharmacy manager Tim Murphy.

Mr. Franchot then will head to RS Automotive Inc., which in 2019 became the first gas station in the country to fully replace its fuel pumps with electric charging stations. The business, owned by Depeswar Doley, opened in 1997 and hosts auto repair workshops for local residents to learn or freshen up their own skills.

WHEN: Thursday, April 14, 2022

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| WHERE: | 1:15 p.m. Meals on Wheels of Takoma Park/Silver | 2:15 p.m. CVS Pharmacy | 3 p.m. RS Automotive Inc. |
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