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O'HARE OPENS PHASE 2 OF NORTHEAST CARGO DEVELOPMENT

Chicago Mayor Rahm Emanuel joined the Chicago Department of Aviation (CDA), Aeroterm and cargo executives for the opening of the second phase of the \$220 million northeast cargo development at O'Hare Airport last week.



Mayor Rahm Emanuel (center) and CDA Commissioner Ginger Evans (to his left) cut a ribbon for the official opening of the new O'Hare cargo facility on August 17, along with representatives from Aeroterm and Chicago Aldermen Michael Zalewski and Nicholas Sposato.

Amid the announcement of record cargo activity at O'Hare, the development opens ahead of schedule and is in direct response to the strong demand for moving air cargo through Chicago to markets around the world.

In just under a year, the partial completion of the cargo project has already created approximately 600 permanent jobs, outpacing earlier projections it would create 1,200 jobs when the project is complete.

Air cargo volume is already up by 15 percent over last year, putting Chicago on pace to handle 1.8 million tons in 2017. This marks another record year for cargo at O'Hare - one of the nation's premier cargo airports.

REGISTER TODAY FOR CISCO'S ANNUAL GOLF OUTING - SEPT. 11th



CISCO's Annual Golf Outing will be held on Monday, September 11, 2017 at Bloomingdale Golf Club - 181 Glen Ellyn Road in Bloomingdale, IL.

Start gathering your foursomes for golf, fabulous barbecue luncheon, prize raffle, and more!

Each year your donations allow us to contribute a portion of proceeds to a local charity. This year's beneficiary will be *Gateway to Learning* - a special education and training center in Chicago that provides services for individuals with intellectual disabilities so they can reach their full potential.

To register and/or sponsor, click on this link: <http://cisco.org/wp-content/pdf/Golf-flyer17.pdf> or call CISCO at (630) 472-9411.

URBAN LEAGUE'S BACK TO SCHOOL FESTIVAL DRAWS BIG CROWD

CISCO took part in the Chicago Urban League's "Back To School" festival las Saturday, August 19. The event was also sponsored by The Painters & Drywall Finishers District Council #14.

Local 14 and the Carpenters had apprenticeship instructors on hand to talk to students about their trades and CISCO's Education-to-Careers Director Johnetta Ryan was on hand to discuss careers in the construction industry.

The family-friendly event also included school supply giveaways, raffles, games, food, vendors and voter registration.

IDOL POSTS 2017 PREVAILING WAGE RATES ON ITS WEBSITE

The Illinois Prevailing Wage Council indicated that the Illinois Department of Labor has posted the 2017 Prevailing Wage rates, which will be effective September 1, 2017. The ILPWC recommends that all building trades members check the following link: <https://www.illinois.gov/idol/Laws-Rules/CONMED/Pages/Rates.aspx> to ensure that your rates are correct. If they are not, please contact IDOL.

TOLLWAY EXPANDS P4G PROGRAM TO INCLUDE CONSTRUCTION SECTOR



The Illinois Tollway created its Partnering for Growth (P4G) Program

for Professional Services as a way to help firms owned by minorities, women and veterans gain on-the-job experience and learn new skills from more established firms.

The P4G Program offers mentor firms incentives to provide meaningful instruction, technical assistance and beneficial resources to diverse and veteran firms. These relationships create a larger pool of firms competing for contracts.

To learn more about this program, please contact the Tollway's Department of Diversity and Strategic Development by calling 630/241-6800, ext. 2349; via email: diversity@getipass.com; or through the Tollway's website: illinoistollway.com/doing-business.