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MDC'S CONTROLLER HONORED FOR EXCELLENCE IN FINANCIAL REPORTING

MDC's Carol A. Fitzgerald Receives National Award from the Government Finance Officers Association

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(HARTFORD, CT) Carol A. Fitzgerald, Controller at The Metropolitan District (MDC), was presented with a Certificate of Achievement for Excellence in Financial Reporting by the Government Finance Officers Association of the United States and Canada (GFOA) for her work in preparing the MDC's 2012 Comprehensive Annual Financial Report (CAFR).

The Certificate of Achievement is the highest form of recognition in the area of governmental accounting and financial reporting, and represents a significant accomplishment for the MDC, its management team, and in particular, Ms. Fitzgerald. The CAFR was judged by an impartial panel to meet the high standards of GFOA, including demonstrating a constructive "spirit of full disclosure" to clearly and effectively communicate the MDC's financial story and motivate potential users and user groups to read the CAFR.

"Carol's national recognition is well deserved and reflects the high standards of financial reporting at the MDC. On behalf of the entire MDC Board of Commissioners and Carol's fellow employees, we enthusiastically congratulate her on a job well done," stated MDC Chair William DiBella.

The GFOA is a nonprofit professional organization serving approximately 17,500 government finance professionals with offices in Chicago, IL and Washington, D.C.

About the MDC: *The MDC is a nonprofit municipal corporation chartered by the Connecticut General Assembly in 1929. The MDC provides water, sewer and household hazardous waste collection services to its member municipalities: Bloomfield, East Hartford, Hartford, Newington, Rocky Hill, West Hartford, Wethersfield and Windsor. In addition, under a series of special agreements, the District supplies treated water to portions of Glastonbury, South Windsor, Farmington, and East Granby.*

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