



Washington, DC Meal Pack for 9/11 Day

Join us in packing 9 million meals for the
September 11 National Day of Service & Remembrance ("9/11 Day")

Date: Thursday, September 11, 2025

Location: Walter E. Washington Convention Center

Address: 801 Allen Y. Lew Place NW, Washington, DC 20001

WHEN TO ARRIVE:

Please arrive **30 minutes** before your shift begins. All volunteers must check-in and pass through security screening.

- **Shift 1:** 9 AM – 11 AM
- **Shift 2:** 1 PM – 3 PM

METRO INFORMATION:

We **strongly recommend using public transportation** to commute to the Walter E. Washington Convention Center.

Directions to WEWCC via Metro:

- Take the **Metro's Yellow or Green Lines** to the **Convention Center Station at Mt. Vernon Square**.
- Use the **7th Street exit**, go two blocks and take a right on **Allen Y. Lew Place, NW** (Previously known as Mt. Vernon Place)
- The WEWCC is on the right, directly across from the Apple Store at Carnegie Library. Enter **ONLY** through the main **Grand Lobby**.

PARKING INFORMATION:

There are no paid parking spaces available at the WEWCC, but there are several lots around the convention center. Event participants are responsible for payment. Please view the provided map for possible parking options near the Walter E. Washington Convention Center. [WEWCC Parking Map](#)



*Please note: 9/11 Day does not manage parking arrangements. Companies can reimburse their employees for parking or arrange prepaid parking vouchers in some cities. If interested, email meredith.motiff@911day.org

WHERE TO GO ONCE YOU ARRIVE:

Enter the WEWCC **ONLY** through the main **Grand Lobby**

- Upon arrival, go to the top of the first set of stairs of the Grand Lobby and turn left toward **Concourse A**.
- Go to the end of the hallway to the escalator bank, down to **Concourse A** to enter the security screening area.
- All volunteers must pass through the security screening and bag search process in order to enter the **Hall A** show floor for Registration.

CHECK-IN DETAILS:

Please bring your ticket or have it ready to show on your phone for check-in. All volunteers must check in and pass through security screening.

Check-in tables will be alphabetical; via your last name. You will receive further instructions at registration.

WHAT TO BRING:

- **Ticket:** Please have your ticket ready for check-in, either printed or accessible on your phone. You can find your ticket in the confirmation email sent by **noreply@order.eventbrite.com**.
- **Bag Restrictions:** No large purses, backpacks, totes, and bags are allowed; **there are no storage facilities available**. You may bring a small bag/clutch (no larger than 5" x 7"), which can be placed under your packing table.
- **Food & Drink:** Food and beverages are **NOT** allowed in the meal packing area. You may bring a water bottle, but it must be consumed outside of this section. We will provide water dispensers throughout the area.

WHAT TO WEAR:

- Wear comfortable, casual clothing. We recommend wearing company-branded shirts.
- Hats are not allowed; you will be provided with a hair net.
- Closed-toe shoes are recommended.



- Shorts and tees are acceptable. The facility will be temperature controlled.
- Jewelry is not allowed while packing meals. This includes: earrings, watches, rings, necklaces, bracelets, pins, brooches, etc., medical alert bracelets are permitted.

WHAT TO EXPECT:

When you arrive for your shift:

- Check-in and use the handwashing or hand sanitizing stations provided.
- You will receive a hair net and/or beard net.
- You will be given disposable gloves at your assigned meal pack station.
- Your team, led by a Table Captain, will work together to fill, seal, count, and box hundreds of multi-serving pouches of nutritious dry meals. The meal packing will last approximately 90 minutes.

ACCESSIBILITY:

Volunteers will stand for the entire shift. If you have specific accessibility needs, please contact us in advance at registration@911day.org so we can make appropriate accommodations to ensure your participation is as comfortable as possible. Chairs will be available in the meal packing area if you need one during your shift.

VOLUNTEER AGE REQUIREMENT:

Our projects are family-friendly and inclusive. While volunteers of all ages are welcome, we recommend children be 10 years or older to fully participate. Anyone under 18 will need a parent or guardian to sign a waiver, either in advance or at check-in. Please note that all volunteers must register for the event.

HAVE MORE QUESTIONS:

If you have any questions or need help, please contact us at registration@911day.org.

Thank you for your dedication to this meaningful cause. With your help, we expect to pack approximately 350,000 meals to support those facing food insecurity in the Greater Washington DC community.

See you on 9/11!