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Going to the Inauguration? Tell us about it.

By GAYLE ANDERSON

(Jan. 9, 2009) Rumor has it that a number of Metro employees may be attending the inauguration ceremonies and celebrations in Washington D.C. on Jan. 20. We'd like to live vicariously by asking you to share your historic moment and prized photos with all Metro employees.



Click on image to check out the District of Columbia's 2009 Presidential Inauguration [website](#) for schedule of events, fun facts and helpful tips.

The 56th Presidential Inauguration will be held on January 20, 2009. A week of festivities will include the Presidential Swearing-in Ceremony, Inaugural Address, Inaugural Parade and numerous inaugural balls and galas honoring the new President of the United States.

This inauguration will be open to hundreds of thousands of people. Will you be among them? Send your moment and a photo to [myMetro.net](#) and we'll share your memories in a special report.

Check out the District of Columbia's 2009 Presidential Inauguration [website](#) for thorough details and helpful tips. Among them:

- The best way to get to the inaugural events from around the region will be by [Metro](#). However, it will be very crowded and there are likely to be long lines and delays. Arrive early and be patient. You should purchase your Metro fare in advance to save time.
- All parade and event attendees will be subject to a thorough security screening. Allow for additional time and be aware of prohibited items.
- Dress for the weather! January in Washington, DC can be very cold. It may a clear day in the 40s but be prepared for a cold and damp day. Umbrellas will not be allowed due to security concerns.

Check it out:

Getting around: [Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority](#)
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