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Subject: Opening of September 11 Memorial & Museum

Dear Colleague,

Oft times it may seem that the hard work and dedication of the men and women who work at the Port Authority of NY & NJ goes unrecognized.

Today is not that day. Former Mayor Michael Bloomberg and the Board of the National September 11 Memorial & Museum took out full page ads in several major newspapers including The New York Times and Wall Street Journal to “extend its deepest gratitude to the men and women of the Port Authority of NY & NJ who constructed the 9/11 Memorial Museum.” A copy of that ad is attached to this email.

The Port Authority has fulfilled yet another major commitment today with the opening of the 9/11 Museum, marking another new beginning at the WTC site. Most of the fences around the 9/11 Memorial Pools were taken down by the end of the day opening the plaza up to the public. Today, the preview period begins for the 9/11 Museum and on May 21 it will open to the public. Later this year, One WTC’s anchor tenant Conde Nast will begin its historic move downtown. None of the progress in building and securing the WTC site and at our projects and facilities throughout the region would be possible without all of your hard work and dedication, and your efforts do not go unnoticed. Thank you.

Pat and Deb