

Gavel Resources LLC, a Washington, D.C. based Government Relations firm, is proud to announce its representation of the United States Park Police Labor Committee (USPPFOP). “Representing this group of law enforcement and first responders is a great honor, as they have done so much to protect the Capitol and its Monuments,” said Richard Pombo, former Member of Congress and Partner at Gavel Resources.

USPPFOP is the officially recognized representative of the United States Park Police (USPP) Privates, Technicians, Investigators, and Detectives. Membership in the USPPFOP is voluntary.

The Park Police’s mission is to support and further the goals of the Department of the Interior and the National Park Service by providing quality law enforcement to safeguard lives, protect our national treasures and symbols of democracy, and preserve the natural and cultural resources entrusted to them.

The United States Park Police was created by President George Washington in 1791; the Force functions as a unit of the National Park Service with personnel stationed in the Washington, D.C., New York City, and San Francisco metropolitan areas.

In D.C. their service is a crucial part of protecting the millions of tourists who visit the national monuments and memorials. They are an important part of the Nation’s first line of defense against terrorism or threats of any kind. The many Americans who live and work in D.C. rely on their service as the Capitol is surrounded by National Parks covered by their jurisdiction.

Although it is not commonly known, they are the only civilian first responder aviation unit in the immediate area around the Capitol, as was seen in September 2013 during the tragic Navy Yard shooting.

Gavel Resources will work with the USPPFOP to ensure they have the resources required to continue their mission of protecting our Nation’s Capital to the standard that they have always maintained.

Richard Pombo is a partner at Gavel Resources, and is former Chairman of the Resources Committee. Gavel Resources is a leading government relations and strategic consulting firm. The team at Gavel Resources has a solid reputation of working effectively at the intersection of the legislative, regulatory and political arenas to provide the unique tailor-made solutions needed to achieve impactful results for their clients.

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