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Tony Franchimone Named as Delegate to NAPA DC Fly-In Forum

SAN DIEGO – Tony Franchimone of [Retirement Benefits Group](#) and LPL Registered Representative, has been selected as a delegate to the National Association of Plan Advisors' (NAPA) DC Fly-In Forum, an exclusive gathering of the nation's leading retirement plan advisors.

As a forum delegate, Franchimone will meet in Washington, D.C. to listen to and brief top congressional leaders about the importance and future of the nation's workplace retirement plans, and, as advocates for the employers and participants they work with, share how proposed laws and regulations might impact American workers' retirement security. Franchimone, a member of NAPA, is one of approximately 200 delegates to participate in the third annual NAPA DC Fly-in Forum July 21-22.

NAPA DC Fly-in Forum delegates will hear updates on federal regulations affecting the retirement plan industry from top congressional leaders, including Speaker of the House John Boehner (R-Ohio) and Sen. Jon Tester (D-Montana), who currently sits on the Senate Appropriations and Banking Committees. Discussions about the Labor Department's fiduciary proposal will include remarks from Deputy Assistant Secretary of Labor Judy Mares, as well as Tom Selman, Executive Vice President, Regulatory Policy and Legal Compliance Officer at FINRA.

The topic of Labor Department audits is on the agenda, as well as a special panel of ERISA litigators sharing their insights on the issues, lessons learned, and best practices emerging from the revenue-sharing litigation, including the U.S. Supreme Court's recent decision in *Tibble v. Edison International*.

On the second day of the forum, delegates will meet one-on-one with their respective congressional representatives on Capitol Hill to share insights from the experiences they have on a daily basis with business owners and plan participants.

In order to participate in the NAPA DC Fly-In Forum, delegates were required to be a NAPA member; to be responsible for more than \$100 million in plan assets, 10 or more plans and at least 2,000 participants; and to have at least five years of experience servicing retirement plans.

The National Association of Plan Advisors was created by and for retirement plan advisors. Membership is also open to other retirement industry professionals who support the interests of plan advisors. NAPA is an advocacy group exclusively focused on the issues that matter to retirement plan advisors. NAPA is part of the American Retirement Association. Based in the Washington, D.C. area, the American Retirement Association is a non-profit professional organization with two major goals: to educate all retirement plan and benefits professionals, and to create a framework of policy that gives every working American the ability to have a comfortable retirement.

More information about NAPA is available at www.napa-net.org.

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