



**DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE  
HEADQUARTERS 11TH WING (AFDW)  
JOINT BASE ANDREWS, MARYLAND 20762**

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**MEMORANDUM FOR JOINT BASE ANDREWS PERSONNEL**

**FROM: 11 MSG/CC**

**SUBJECT: Authorized Use of Freedom Hall Dining Facility**

1. The Freedom Hall Dining Facility is a critical element of the Joint Base Andrews mission, capability and quality of life. In view of that, I am authorizing the following personnel, beyond Essential Station Messing (ESM) for unmarried enlisted members residing in our dorms and enlisted members on BAS, to eat at the Freedom Hall Dining Facility in accordance with AFI 34-239, *Food Service Management Program*, as described below.

a. Officers are authorized to eat at the dining facility (DFAC) under the following conditions:

(1) Squadron commanders and civilian equivalents and above may eat at the DFAC in order to monitor the quality of food and service.

(2) Officers assigned to the 11th Force Support Squadron may eat at the DFAC periodically in order to monitor the quality of food and service.

(3) Officers are authorized to eat at the DFAC during the midnight meal while on duty.

(4) Chaplains while conducting official business are authorized to eat at the DFAC.

(5) Officer candidates, cadets, midshipmen or ROTC/NROTC/AFROTC students in training status are authorized to eat at the DFAC while on official business at JB Andrews.

b. DoD civilians and Federal Civilian Police Officers are authorized to eat at the DFAC under the following conditions:

(1) DoD civilians are authorized to eat at the DFAC on federal holidays, Easter and the Air Force Birthday when the installation commander permits.

(2) DoD civilians are authorized to eat at the DFAC during the midnight meal while on duty.

(3) Federal civilian police officers and civilian fire fighters are authorized to eat at the DFAC while on duty.

c. Family members and guests are authorized to eat at the DFAC under the following conditions:

(1) Enlisted members on meal card may invite one guest and immediate family members (e.g. mother, father, sister/brother). All guests and family members must be accompanied by the sponsoring meal card holder and pay the standard rate (cost of food plus surcharge).

(2) Participants in the quarterly birthday meal may invite one guest for the birthday meal, free of charge.

(3) Family members of deployed service members are authorized to eat at the DFAC when participating in publicized sponsored programs.

d. Military retirees are authorized to eat at the DFAC under the following conditions:

(1) Military retirees and immediate family members staying at the Presidential Inn are authorized to eat at the DFAC for breakfast and dinner, providing they can show proof of being a lodging guest.

(2) Military retirees are authorized to eat at the DFAC on federal holidays, Easter and the Air Force Birthday when the installation commander permits and will pay the standard rate.

e. During periods of extreme weather, contingencies or other emergency situations, officers, DoD civilians, and contract personnel conducting business on base are authorized to eat at the DFAC for all meals.

2. All authorized users and guests must provide current and valid identification when eating at the DFAC. If you have any questions concerning this memorandum, please contact the Food Services Officer, Mr. Honre Batie, via email at [honre.b.batie.civ@mail.mil](mailto:honre.b.batie.civ@mail.mil), COMM: 301-981-5303, or DSN: 858-5303.



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