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Lab 1270 Recognized as OCTFME's September 2016 Location of the Month

Edens' Union Market District facility offers a unique film and media production location

Washington, DC – The DC Office of Cable Television, Film, Music and Entertainment recognizes the Lab 1270 as the September 2016 Location of the Month.

Lab 1270, located at 1270 5th Street NE in the heart of the Union Market District is a unique space offering an authentic reclaimed warehouse atmosphere. It has been used as a retail plus concept shop, a space where national retailers and members of the DC creative community combine forces to form a lively retail, experience, and work space.

Located on 5th Street catty-corner to Union Market, the space offers marketgoers various opportunities to support established and emerging retailers and artists. For the artists and small business owners, it is an opportunity to cross-fertilize best practices in running and launching their businesses as they take their brand to the next level.

Local creative economy contributors such as No Kings Collective, A Creative DC, Made in DC, Craft Kombucha, Dunn Lewis MC, S3 Active, South Block Juice, Thursday Boots, and Time off DC have all utilized the space innovatively. The entire market area, inclusive of the exterior façade offers a unique gritty urban experience and a local horror movie production was also shot on nearby 4th Street.



An on-site facility manager is available to answer any questions about the space, its features, and any use or filming restrictions

To learn more about Lab 1270 and to view photos, please visit the <u>Location</u> of the <u>Month</u> feature on the OCTFME website. If you are interested in using Lab 1270 as a filming location, please contact us at <u>film@dc.gov</u>.

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The "Location of the Month" initiative is part of OCTFME's mission to market and support District locales as media production locations, and to bring attention to the wide range of cinematically compelling locations that are available to film and television productions.

Do you have a business or location you would like to have featured as OCTFME's "Location of the Month"? If so, please forward your inquiry to *film@dc.gov*.

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About OCTFME

The District of Columbia Office of Cable Television, Film, Music & Entertainment (OCTFME) is responsible for implementing, managing, and administering programs, initiatives, and services that support media industry economic activity, growth, and employment in the District of Columbia. Washington, DC's instantly recognizable landmarks, diverse neighborhoods, cultural amenities, and first-class accommodations are just some of the many features that make the nation's capital a venue of choice for media production. For more information, contact the Office of Cable Television, Film, Music & Entertainment at (202) 727-6608, visit us on the web at http://film.dc.gov, join the DC Film community on http://www.facebook.com/EntertainDC, or follow us on http://twitter.com/Entertain_DC.



