

Laura O'Neill of OOIDA

Laura O'Neill is the Director/Counsel of Government Affairs for the Owner-Operator Independent Drivers Association (OOIDA). OOIDA is a national trade association representing the interests of small business trucking professionals. The organization is headquartered in the Kansas City, Missouri area, but they also maintain a Washington, DC office in the Capitol Riverfront. Laura and her staff focus on advocating for small business truckers with Congress and departments such as the U.S. Department of Transportation.



OOIDA moved to their current location almost two years ago from the previous office on the Senate side of the US Capitol building. Along with the many other attributes of the Riverfront they liked the close proximity to the House of Representatives as well as the U.S. Department of Transportation. Laura said she chose the Capitol Riverfront, “because it is a beautiful part of the city with a diverse population that offers affordability and easy access to many federal buildings we rely upon for our industry.”

Laura's favorite parts of the Capitol Riverfront include the close accessibility to a variety of modes of transportation, as well as the close proximity to the National's Park and the blossoming dining and entertainment options. Laura also said that "Justin's Cafe is fantastic! We need more places like it." In the future she would like to see the neighborhood continue to grow and prosper with more options for food and entertainment that will bring more people into the area.