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CONGRESSIONAL DINNER

EVENT DATE: WEDNESDAY JANUARY 24

RUNDOWN:

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9:00-9:45pm

CALL-IN PROGRAM

guest: Chuck Conconi  
"Personalities" Columnist  
Washington Post

9:45-10:30pm

DINNER PROGRAM

MC: Benjamin Shore, Pres. WPCF

Howard Baker  
Former Sen. (R-TN)  
(presents award)

Dan Morgan  
Washington Post  
(receives award)

David Broder, Washington Post  
introducer

SPEAKERS:

Rep. Claudine Schneider (R-RI)  
Rep. Barbara Boxer (D-Calif.)  
Rep. Constance Morella (R-MD)  
Rep. Patricia Schroeder (D-Colorado)

10:30-11:00pm

INTERVIEW/CALL-IN

guests:

Rep. Constance Morella (R-MD)  
Fmr. Rep. Geraldine Ferraro (D-NY)

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