



Meritage Hospitality to Present at Sidoti's Micro-Cap Virtual Investor Conference

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GRAND RAPIDS, Michigan, Friday, January 16, 2026. Meritage Hospitality Group Inc. (OTCQX: MHGU), one of the nation's premier franchise operators, today reported Robert Schermer, Jr., CEO, will present and host one-on-one meetings with investors at Sidoti's Micro-Cap Virtual Investor Conference, taking place on January 21-22, 2026.

The presentation will begin at 10:00am ET on January 22, 2026 and can be accessed live here: https://sidoti.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_X3TGnXTITrKEMI4gHfGeHg Meritage will also host virtual one-on-ones with investors on Wednesday and Thursday, January 21-22, 2026. To register for the presentation or one-on-ones, visit www.sidoti.com/events. Registration is free and you do not need to be a Sidoti client.

About Sidoti Events, LLC ("Events") and Sidoti & Company, LLC ("Sidoti")

In 2023, Sidoti & Company, LLC, [Sidoti & Company, LLC](#) formed an affiliate company, Sidoti Events, LLC in order to focus exclusively on its rapidly growing conference business and to more directly serve the needs of presenters and attendees. The relationship allows Events to draw on the over 25 years of experience Sidoti has as a premier provider of independent securities research focused specifically on small and microcap companies and the institutions that invest in their securities, with most of its coverage in the \$200 million-\$5 billion market cap range. Sidoti's coverage universe comprises approximately 150 equities, of which almost 70 percent participate in the firm's rapidly growing Company Sponsored Research ("CSR") and Sidoti Lighthouse Equity Research ("Lighthouse") programs. Events is a leading provider of corporate access through the many investor conferences it hosts each year. By virtue of its direct ties to Sidoti, Events benefits from Sidoti's small- and microcap-focused nationwide sales force, which has connections with over 2,500 institutional relationships in North America. This enables Events to provide multiple forums for meaningful interaction for small and microcap issuers and investors specifically interested in companies in the sector.



About the Company:

Meritage Hospitality Group is one of the nation's premier restaurant operators, currently with 365 restaurants in operation located in Arkansas, Connecticut, Florida, Georgia, Indiana, Massachusetts, Michigan, Missouri, Mississippi, North Carolina, Ohio, Oklahoma, Tennessee, Texas and Virginia. Meritage is headquartered in Grand Rapids, Michigan, operating with a workforce of over 11,000 employees. At fiscal year-end 2025, the Company had approximately total weighted average fully diluted common shares outstanding of 6,681,000.

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