

Number of Golden Triangle Restaurants Up 7% in One Year

32 dining spots opened in one year, while **15 closed** (five due to building renovation).



New eateries replaced **half** of these closures within 1 year.



As of **Sept. 1st**, there were **252 restaurants and bars** in the Golden Triangle BID, with **5 more** opening by the end of 2018.



This totals a **net increase of 7.3%** in eating & drinking places **through Sept 1st** (9.5% projected by the end of 2018).

Sources: Golden Triangle BID internal research, Yelp, DC ABRA, Esri, US Bureau of Labor Statistics.

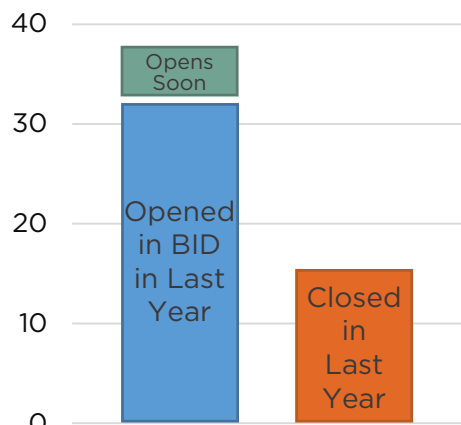


Legend

- Yellow circle: Closed due to Renovation or Redevelopment
- Orange circle: Closed (Other Reason)
- Blue circle: Opened in Last Year
- Green circle: Opening by End of 2018



The area around 19th and L St NW is a dense, well-established restaurant cluster. Newcomers like Pisco y Nazca (above) and Little Sesame draw crowds alongside longtime favorites like The Greek Deli and Nooshi.



Nationwide, the net number of restaurants and drinking places increased by about 3% from 2017 to 2018, less than half the rate of increase in the Golden Triangle.