



Alaska Mechanical Contractors Association, Inc.

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Website: www.amcaanc.com

Local news:

1. The next membership and associates meeting will be November 12, 5.30 P.M. at the Coast International Inn. **IT IS IMPOTTANT THAT CNTRACTORS HAVE REPRESENTATIVES AT THE MEETING. IT COULD BE WIN/WIN !!**
2. The Administrators Continuing Education seminars Plumbing and Mechanical are scheduled respectively for Tuesday November 5 and Wednesday November 6. Reminders have been send; **DON'T FORGET.**
3. The next membership meeting is scheduled for December 10, 5.30 P.M. at the Glacier Brew House.
4. The State Convention is scheduled for January 26 – 30, 2020 at the Marriott Courtyard King Kamehameha Kona Beach Resort. Registration and booking information is on our website: www.amcaanc.com. **It is late, but certainly not too late to register.**

National news:

MCAA news

1. The Electrical Arc Flash Safety training webcast for mechanical contractors is on November 14; 7.00 – 9.00 or 10.00 – 12.00 E.S.T.
2. The Industry Improvement Funds Conference is 12/4-6 in Longboat Key, FL.
3. On January 19-24 the Advanced IPM Class 16 meets in Austin, TX.
4. The Safety Directors Conference is January 21-23 in San Antonio, TX.
5. The MCAA Technology Conference where you can learn to work more efficiently and smarter is January 29-31 in San Diego, CA.
6. Registration for the MCAA National Conference, March 15-19/2020 in Maui is now open.

SMACNA news

1. Angie Simon is SMACNA's first female president. MCAA and WIMI are proud of her accomplishments and all she did in support of women in the industry.
2. December 8-10 the Council of Chapters Representatives meets in La Quinta CA.
3. The Partners in Progress Conference in Caesar's Palace, NV. is Febr. 25-26.
4. March 1-5 is the Business Managers University in Tempe, AZ.

A.G.C. News

1. The Anchorage A.G.C. holds the 2019 Annual Conference in the Captain Cook Hotel on November 6-10.

Local events, Training, and Publications

1. Training.com presents numerous webinars in October; most at 10.00 A.M. P.T. and some at 12.00 P.M.: 11/6: Crafting Appropriate Policies and Procedures for Managing Employee Leave; How to Monitor/Investigate Leave and Minimize Abuse; 11/8: Elements of Effective Coaching; 11/11: The Top Ten Excel Functions Everyone Should Know; 11/14: Creating a Drama Free Workplace; 11/19: Marijuana in the Workplace; 11/20 Using VLOOKUP – Match and Index; 11/21: 2 Hr. Virtual Seminar on Leave Abuse under FMLA, ADA and Workers Comp.; 11/21: Emotional Intelligence for Effective Working Relationships; 11/25: Critical Thinking and Creative Problem Solving for Better Decision making.
2. The Local ASHRAE program is Friday 11/22. It is a full day of trade show and training in the BP Energy Center. 9.00 A.M. – 5.00 P.M. Information at www.ashraealaska.com. Don't miss that one.
3. The 2020 National ASHRAE show and conference is in Orlando FL, February 3-5-2020.
4. Other local events: 11/ 3-9: Alaska Miners Association Conference in the Dena'ina Center; 11/ 8: Alaska Veteran Business Forum, BP Energy Center; 11/ 20-21: 40th Annual Alaska Resources Conference, Dena'ina Center; 11/ 21-23: Pacific Marine Expo, Centurylink Field Event Center, Seattle WA.

We recommend doing business with our associate members; they are alphabetically:

Aaron P & H.; Alaska Industrial Hardware Inc., Almex Alaska LLC, Alaska Roteq Corporation, Behrends Mechanical Inc., Brenntag Pacific Inc. Delta P Pump & Equipment; Denali Industrial Supply Inc., DXP/Alaska Pump, Fergusson Enterprises Inc., Frontier Plumbing & Supply, Gordon & Assoc. Inc., Holladay-Parks Inc., Hollabaugh Brothers & Assoc., James P. Sheldon Co. Inc., Keller Supply Co., MBA Consulting Engineers, Mechanical Contractors of Fairbanks Inc.; Mechanical Sales Inc., Mechanical Solutions Inc., Mechanical Solutions N.W., Pac. West Sales Inc., N.R.C. Alaska, Paramount Supply Co., Parker Smith & Feek, Plumbers and Steamfitters local 367; Proctor Sales, Puget Sound Pipe & Supply, RepCo. Northwest, Schmolck Mechanical Contractors Inc., Sheet Metal Workers local 23; Stinebaugh & Co., Suntoya Corporation, Trane Co., Vertiv Co. Victaulic Inc.