



Associated Construction Contractors of New Jersey

MONTHLY UPDATE

November 2023

In Case You Missed It



ACCNJ staff, along with Ed Mironski, Apprentice Coordinator at the Ironworkers local 11, presented a \$500 Educational Grant check to Windsor Prep High School. Windsor Prep was one of 10 recipients of a CICD \$500 Grant. Schools were randomly selected after attending the May 2023 Career Day event. ACCNJ thanks them for participating.

We look forward to CICD 2024!



The Barringer High School Carpentry students had the opportunity to visit the Route 23 Mazda Dealership project.

A big thank you to Joseph A. Natoli Construction for hosting, along with Bel-Con Construction Services, Inc., EDA Contractors, Inc., and the Eastern Atlantic States Regional Council of Carpenters for showcasing the career opportunities to these future apprentices!



Labor

Access the bulletins listed below in the members-only section at accnj.org

Thanksgiving Day Holiday Provisions

In Bulletin 74-2023, we provided Active Members with holiday provisions for Thanksgiving Day, Thursday, November 23, 2023.

Operating Engineers Temporary Layoff

In Bulletin 76-2023, we reminded Active Members Operating Engineers, Local No. 825's temporary layoff provision is suspended from December 1 through April 15. This provision extends through April 30 for paving operations.

Tilesetters Wage & Fringe Benefits

In Bulletin 78-2023, we distributed to Active Members information on December 4, 2023 Wage & Fringe Benefits for Tile, Marble & Terrazzo BAC Local 7 (North Jersey Only).

Education & Workforce Development

Summer Internship Program -- Contractor Registration / Career Fair

As a reminder, in Bulletin 69-2023, we invited Active Members to join us for the CIAP Career Fair, scheduled for January 10, 2024. It will be held in-person at Forsgate Country Club, Monroe Twp., New Jersey. For more information, access the bulletin in the members-only section at accnj.org.

2024 NJ Future City Competition Needs Your Help!

NJ Future City is a hands-on cross-curricular educational program bringing STEM to life for students in grades 6 through 8. With more than 30 schools already participating in the event, they are actively seeking YOUR assistance! Whether you choose to mentor, judge, volunteer, or donate, your support is highly valued!

For more information on how to get involved, click [HERE](#) or contact Jean Hansen, Program Advisor at jean.g.hansen@gmail.com.

Tuition Reimbursement Program

In Bulletin 05-2023, we informed Active Members the ACCNJ Industry Advancement Trust (IAT) has approved the continuation of the Tuition Reimbursement Program for eligible, full-time employees of ACCNJ member firms that contribute to the IAT. The courses selected must be aimed at providing job-related knowledge and skills for construction personnel in either office or field operations. For details, access the bulletin in the members-only section at accnj.org.

Events

ACCNJ Annual Membership Meeting

In Bulletin 70-2023, we announced ACCNJ's Annual Membership Meeting will be held *TUESDAY, DECEMBER 5, 2023*, at a new location for us: the Nassau Inn, Princeton, NJ. It begins with cocktail hour at 5:00 p.m., followed by dinner and Association business at 6:00 p.m. At this meeting we will recognize ACCNJ Chair Eric Jensen for his leadership of the Association.

The evening's business will include voting on the 2024 Slate of Officers & Trustees. In Bulletin 75-2023, we distributed to Active Members the 2024

Proposed Slate of Officers and Trustees. Active Members in good standing may vote at this meeting.

For more information and to view the Proposed Slate, access the bulletins in the members-only section at accnj.org.

ACCNJ Time Management Workshop

ACCNJ is pleased to offer a new series of half-day workshops, beginning with the Time Management and Organizational Skills Workshop, taught by Audrey Halpern. The workshop will be Friday, February 9, 2024, at the ACCNJ Offices in Edison, NJ. [CLICK HERE](#) for more information and to register.

Communications

Friday Feature Films

In Bulletin 77-2023, we announced a new benefit to Associate members who would like the opportunity to promote their products and/or services to the membership: **FRIDAY FEATURE FILMS!** To learn more about this opportunity, access the bulletin in members-only section at accnj.org.

Advertising Opportunities in Spring Issue of *New Jersey Construction*

In Bulletin 79-2023, we informed members ACCNJ will publish the Spring 2024 issue of *New Jersey Construction* in March 2024. We hope you will support it with your advertising. The publication reaches our entire membership, plus 2,800 federal, state and local government officials, owners, other construction industry professionals and our labor partners. For more information, access the bulletin in the members only section at accnj.org.

Member News

November Member Mondays

ACCNJ features members on our [Facebook](#) page and [LinkedIn](#) on Mondays. Check out this month's Member Mondays, featuring [Garden State Precast](#), [Molba Construction](#), and [Riggs Distler](#).

Hot Topics

Follow along with ACCNJ's [Facebook](#) page and [LinkedIn](#) page for real-time Hot Topics. November's Hot Topics included:

- \$16B Gateway Program Construction Finally Underway
- Construction Employment Rises In 40 States & D.C. From October 2022 To October 2023, While 22 States Increased Headcount Last Month
- N.J. Taxpayers To Save Millions On Gateway Tunnel Thanks To Federal Grants, Booker Says
- Construction Sector Adds 23,000 Jobs In October As Unemployment Rate Falls To 4.0 Percent; Record Job Openings Point To Need For More Workers

