

CEA Honors 30 General Contractors for Safety Excellence



The Construction Employers' Association recently recognized more than 30 member companies for safety excellence at the 20th Annual CEA Membership Meeting held in Concord last month.

The annual CEA Safety Recognition Program Award is presented to construction contractors who demonstrate an outstanding commitment to safety.

Member firms are evaluated on several criteria, including a total incident rate 25 percent below the industry average, a lost workday incident rate 25 percent below the industry average, an experience modification rate below 1.0, a flat or negative experience modification trend over the past four years and demonstration of maintaining an active safety training program.

Recipients of the 2006 CEA Safety Recognition Award were: Acme Construction Co., Inc. of Modesto; Ad-In, Inc. of Fremont; Alten Construction, Inc. of Richmond; BN Builders, Inc. of San Mateo; C. Overaa & Co. of Richmond; Cahill Contractors, Inc. of San Francisco; Charles Pankow Builders, Ltd. of Oakland; Clark Construction

Group – California, LP of Oakland; Clark Pacific of West Sacramento;

Devcon Construction, Inc. of Milpitas; Dolan Concrete Construction of San Jose; Dome Construction Corp. of San Francisco; DPR Construction, Inc. of Redwood City; Hallmark Construction, Inc. of Santa Clara; Hathaway Dinwiddie Construction Co. of San Francisco; Herrero Contractors, Inc. of San Francisco; Howard S. Wright Construction Co. of Emeryville; Hunt Construction Group, Inc. of San Francisco; James R. Griffin, Inc. of Fremont; Lathrop Construction Associates, Inc. of Benicia;

Mascon, Inc. of Sacramento; McCarthy Building Cos, Inc. of San Francisco; McClone Construction Co. of Shingle Springs; Meade Construction Group, Inc. of San Jose; Nibbi Bros., Inc. of San Francisco; Oliver & Co., Inc. of Richmond; Peck & Hiller Co. of Hayward; Performance Mechanical, Inc. of Pittsburg; Plant Construction Co., L.P. of San Francisco; Roebbelen Contracting, Inc. of El Dorado Hills; Rudolph and Sletten, Inc. of Redwood City;

SC Builders, Inc. of Sunnyvale; S.J.

Amoroso Construction Co., Inc. of Redwood Shores; Skanska USA Building, Inc. of Oakland; Swinerton Builders of San Francisco; TBI Construction & Construction Management of San Jose; Vance Brown, Inc. of Palo Alto; and Webcor Builders of San Mateo.

In addition to recognizing member firms for their commitment to workplace safety, CEA sponsors quarterly forums to provide educational and networking opportunities for safety officers and jobsite personnel.

"Promoting jobsite safety through education and training is a priority for CEA and we congratulate all 2006 CEA Safety Award recipients," says Dana Lahargoue, corporate safety director for Roebbelen Contracting, Inc. and chairperson of the CEA Safety Committee.

CEA represents union commercial building contractors in collective bargaining, labor relations and legislative advocacy. It is the only organization whose sole purpose is to protect and promote the interests of the unionized commercial building construction industry in Northern California.