



The AGC of North Dakota is the unified voice of the construction industry promoting quality, integrity, and commitment to completing projects successfully and safely.

Chapter News

November 9, 2018

Spec Committee Meeting – Call for Issues

The first AGC-NDDOT Spec Committee meeting for 2019 has been scheduled for the second week in January. If you have an issue you would like addressed, please complete an [Issues Submittal form](#) and email it to Carey at the AGC by December 7, 2018. If possible, please plan to attend the meeting to introduce your issue. If you have any questions, contact Spec Committee Chair Ted Billadeau by [email](#) or give Carey a call at 701-720-9778.

NDSCS Looking for Industry Partners

In an effort to increase the number and quality of graduates, NDSCS Wahpeton is asking for industry involvement in several new, and renewed, programs:

Job Shadow/Mentor – This program connects students with professionals in the construction industry for conversation, a tour, maybe even some hands-on experience. The length of the job shadow is up to the participating company and can last from an hour or two to a years-long mentorship.

Student Sponsorship – A student is considered “sponsored” when a company recruits or is matched with a prospective or current NDSCS student who shows potential and interest as a future employee. Participating companies would form a contractual agreement with the student regarding expectations and incentives. The incentives offered are left to the company’s discretion, but can include tuition reimbursement, signing bonuses, tool purchasing agreements, guaranteed internships and co-op experiences.

Supervised Occupational Experience (SOE) – Students will gain college credits for two paid SOEs while working for contractors. The first SOE will be during the summer between the students’ first and second year of college, and the second will be six weeks during the fall semester of their second year. Companies will be asked to evaluate the students’ progress based on a set of criteria.

For more information or if you would like to participate in any of the programs, please email [Carey](#).

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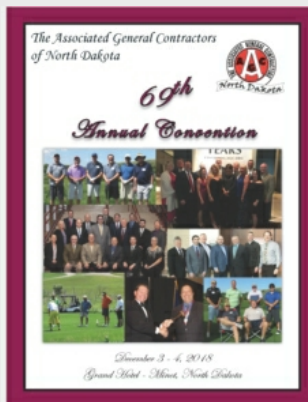
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Registration is Open!

AGC of ND 69th Annual Convention registration and sponsorships are available. Come join the fun December 3-4, 2018 in Minot, ND at the Grand Hotel.

[Registration & Details](#)

8,962
 Training Hours YTD
 Provided by AGC of ND

Jack's winter training calendar is starting to fill up! If you have any specific training needs [email](#) him as soon as possible to get on the list. A complete list of classes will be available soon.

Highway Patrol Lists Holiday Closings

The North Dakota Highway Patrol has issued a list of the Holiday Closings for the Permit Office for 2019. [Click Here](#)

NDDOT Vision Zero Infrastructure Awards

The NDDOT is accepting nominations for Vision Zero Infrastructure Awards. These awards are "new" this year and are intended to be an annual event to recognize those people, groups, organizations, programs, and projects that improve infrastructure safety across the state of ND for a safer and better quality of life within our communities. Awards will be given in three categories – [Individual](#), [Program](#), and [Project](#). The deadline for submitting a nomination is **December 21, 2018**.

Dates to Remember

[November 29](#): Directory updates due to Stacey

[December 3-4](#): AGC of ND Annual Convention - Minot, ND

[January 25-27](#): AGC of ND Winter Outing/Recessed Board Meeting - Chandler, AZ

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Bid Lettings

ND-DOT	MN-DOT	MDT	SD-DOT	WY-DOT
February 8, 2019	November 16, 2018	November 15, 2018	November 21, 2018	December 5, 2018
March 8, 2019	December 18, 2018	December 13, 2018	December 12, 2018	January 10, 2019
April 12, 2019	January 25, 2019	January 24, 2019	January 16, 2019	February 14, 2019
May 10, 2019	February 22, 2019	February 7, 2019	January 23, 2019	March 14, 2019
October 11, 2019	March 22, 2019	February 21, 2019	February 6, 2019	April 11, 2019
November 8, 2019	April 26, 2019	March 14, 2019	February 20, 2019	May 9, 2019

Member News

Want to see your news here? [Send Carey your news!](#)

National News

AGC/ Coalition Seek HOS Exemption in FMCSA Meeting

AGC organized a meeting with the Administrator of the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration (FMCSA) and the agency's top management team to discuss the need for a construction industry exemption from hours of service (HOS) restrictions. A coalition of 13 construction industry groups are working cooperatively on the exemption request and were all represented at the meeting. [Read More](#)

AGC and Sage Begin Surveying Members for Annual Outlook

Each year around this time, AGC asks you – our members – to predict what next year will be like for your business. AGC has partnered with Sage to prepare questions that focus on expectations for market performance, hiring, labor market conditions, etc. Please take a moment to complete the [survey here](#).

2019 AGC Annual Convention Registration Now Open

Join leading contractors from across the country for the 2019 AGC of America Annual Convention happening April 1-4, 2019 in Denver. The AGC Convention is where successful general and specialty contractors develop the business intelligence, industry insights and key connections to help their companies thrive. [Register here](#)

[For a complete list of AGC of America events Click Here](#)

AGC WebEd/Video Conferences

Pass-Through Subcontractor Claims & Disputes: Avoid Losing a Two-Front War

This webinar on November 29th will reveal critical subcontract language and specific approaches for project documentation that avoid an unwinnable war on pass-through claims. Attendees will learn key strategies to avoid battling the owner and the subcontractor on the same issue at the same time, including the specific challenges of pass-thru claims on federal, state and local government contracts. [Continue Reading](#)

Training/ Education Opportunities

Erosion & Sediment Control Classes

December 11-12, 2018 – Holiday Inn Fargo - [Register](#)

January 15-16, 2019 – Ramada Hotel Bismarck - [Register](#)

January 22-23, 2019 – Ramada Hotel Bismarck - [Register](#)

February 12-13, 2019 – Ramada Hotel Bismarck - [Register](#)

February 19-20, 2019 – Ramada Hotel Bismarck - [Register](#)

March 12-13, 2019 – Holiday Inn Fargo - [Register](#)

March 19-20, 2019 – Ramada Hotel Bismarck - [Register](#)

April 2-3, 2019 – Ramada Hotel Bismarck - [Register](#)

Professional Crane Operators Certification Classes

January 15-18, 2019 – Delta by Marriott Fargo – [Register Today](#)

January 29-February 1, 2019 – Minot

Rigger Level 1/Signalperson Qualification Classes

February 11-12, 2019 - AGC Office Bismarck

February 13-14, 2019 - Minot

February 25-26, 2019 - Grand Forks

February 27-28, 2019 - Delta by Marriott Fargo

Crane Training for Owners, Project Managers, Superintendents

March 26-27, 2019 – AGC Office Bismarck

March 28-29, 2019 – Fargo

Construction Project Manager Course

December 9-14 in Dallas, TX

An interactive program that explores the critical areas of project management that seasoned project managers tackle daily.

[Register Today](#)

Member Benefits

The following offers are some of the membership benefits in the AGC of North Dakota. Check them out and start getting the advantages now.

[AGC of America Member Discounts](#)

[National Purchasing Partners – AGC of North Dakota](#)

[General Project Advertisements - View and list project opportunities](#)

[AGC Career Center - Find a Job, Post a Resume or Job Opening](#)



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