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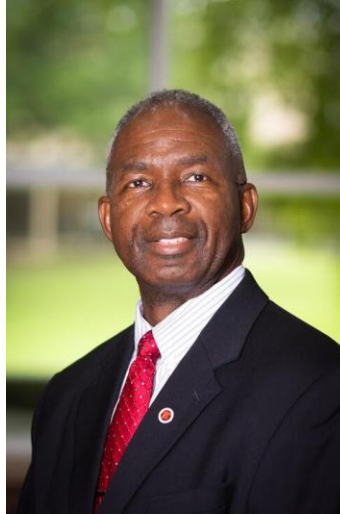
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NECA Names Lt. Gen. Ronald L. Bailey, USMC (Ret.), As Vice President of Industry Development

The National Electrical Contractors Association (NECA) is pleased to announce the appointment of Retired Lt. Gen. Ronald L. Bailey, USMC, as Vice President of Industry Development.

Bailey will be working on creating executive training programs, expanding the scope of workforce development, implementing diversity strategies, creating partnerships with institutions of higher learning, and leading the charge on recruitment programs that bring new,

skilled workers into the industry. This will include a focus on recruiting ex-military personnel to NECA member companies and various Chapter positions.

Lt. Gen. Bailey has had a long and distinguished military career, beginning as a Second Lieutenant, USMC, in 1977. During his impressive career, Bailey oversaw the Marine Corps Recruiting Command and he served as commanding general of the First Marine Division as commanding general of the Third Marine Expeditionary Brigade. He was also a Military National Fellow at the Council on Foreign Relations. After many decades of military service, in June 2013, Bailey was promoted to Lieutenant General as was assigned to Headquarters Marine Corps as Deputy Commandant for Plans, Policies and Operations, a role he held until his retirement from the United States Marine Corps after 41 years of service in 2017. In 2018, Lt. Gen. Bailey became Vice President for External Affairs at Austin Peay State University, his alma mater. He is a member of the Board of Directors of the Travis Manion Foundation, which develops programs and training opportunities for

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veterans and their families. He also serves as Chair-Elect, 1st Vice Chair, of the Clarksville Chamber of Commerce.

NECA Chief Executive Officer David Long said, "I have known Gen. Bailey for nearly 10 years and have had the honor of working with him on a wide variety of business and community initiatives. I am thrilled he is bringing his invaluable experience as a three-star general from the battlefield to the boardroom to help take NECA's Industry Development efforts to the next level. He has a proven record in developing performance-driven teams, and I know he will help us meet and exceed the needs of NECA."



NECA CONVENTION UPDATE

It's not too late to take advantage of the offer for members to attend the 2020 NECA virtual convention!!

Registration for the NECA 2020 Live opened August 3, 2020. The Board of Directors has voted to fund 5 registrations for each local member firm to attend the

virtual convention at the Early Bird Registration rate so contact Jerri Champlin at 831-236-1393 or jlchamplin@gmail.com right away to get registered. The first 1,500 people to register will receive a swag bag by mail....so don't delay!!

Visit www.necaconvention.org or www.necanet.org to stay in the know on all NECA 2020 Live updates.



WINE AND WISDOM

We are pleased to announce that we will be hosting a great event in May 2021! Our chapter, along with the East Central CA Chapter (Fresno) and the Kern County Chapter (Bakersfield) will host Wine and Wisdom! This event will be held at the beautiful Allegretto Resort and Spa in Paso Robles.

We will begin with an education course that you have chosen. "Managing Field Productivity" will be led by leading subject expert, Dr. Awad Hana.

We also have a host of VIP's that plan to join us for industry updates and roundtables.

There's plenty of other activities planned! A golf tournament at Hunter Ranch, chapter dinners, a field trip to Sensorio Field of Light Show in the hills of Paso Robles, cooking demonstrations and much more! There might even be a zip-line adventure for those that are interested!

You won't want to miss this event!! Mark your calendars now for May 6-9, 2021.



NEWS RELEASE

DIR POSTS ELECTRONIC PAYROLL REPORTING REQUIREMENTS FOR PUBLIC WORKS PROJECTS THAT USE READY-MIX CONCRETE

The Department of Industrial Relations (DIR) is advising companies that use ready-mix concrete for public works projects of changes to the applicable payroll reporting requirements under the prevailing wage laws. The changes apply to public works contracts that were advertised for bid or awarded on or after July 1, 2016.

Effective September 1, 2020, ready-mix concrete companies will be required to submit payroll online to DIR using its [electronic certified payroll reporting system](#). Please note that this requirement applies only to the certified payroll records required by section 1776(a) of the Labor Code. The separate written time records certified by ready-mix drivers do not need to be uploaded into the electronic certified payroll report system and are only required to be submitted to the Labor Commissioner's Office upon request.

[Assembly Bill 219](#) governs concrete delivery on public works projects and became effective on July 1, 2016. The amendments added new [section 1720.9](#) to the Labor Code, which provides:

- A company hauling or delivering ready-mix concrete for a public works contract shall:
 - Register as a public works contractor.
 - Submit a certified copy of the payroll records required by subdivision (a) of Section 1776 to the party that engaged the company and to the general contractor within five working days after the employee has been paid, accompanied by a written time record that shall be certified by each driver for the performance of job duties.

- Nothing in section 1720.9 shall cause any company to be treated as a contractor or subcontractor for any purpose other than the application of this chapter of the Labor Code.

Assembly Bill 219 does not apply to public works contracts that were advertised for bid or awarded prior to July 1, 2016.

DIR's [AB 219 Fact Sheet](#) and [FAQs](#) contain more information on the requirements for ready-mix concrete work on public works projects.



MILWAUKEE APPRENTICE OF THE MONTH

The Apprentice of the Month program is sponsored by Milwaukee Tools. The goal is to encourage apprentice participation and reward a high performing student for achieving outstanding results both in the classroom and on the job. The program will

resume with the announcement of the September 2020 Apprentice of the Month. Stay tuned to see who will be highlighted!



UPCOMING CLASSES OFFERED THROUGH THE JATC

ALL IN-PERSON JW CLASSES ARE CURRENTLY SUSPENDED DUE TO THE SHELTER IN PLACE ORDER! HOWEVER...ONLINE CLASSES ARE AVAILABLE. PLEASE HAVE THOSE INTERESTED CONTACT STACY AT THE JATC OFFICE AT STACY@TRICOUNTYJATC.ORG TO OBTAIN DETAILS.

CPR/FIRST AID

Due to health and safety concerns during the COVID-19 pandemic, we will not be holding a physical, onsite CPR / First Aid course at the training center. The JATC, however, has come up with an alternative solution should you be in need of renewing your certification, through the American Red Cross.

For details to obtain the right class to qualify for reimbursement, please

contact Stacy at Stacy@tricountyjatc.org

SIGNIFICANT CHANGES TO THE NEC

Online classes have resumed for the Significant Changes to the NEC. Instructor David Martinez has started up these informative classes. Those interested in attending must register in advance in order to get a Zoom invitation. Please contact Stacy at Stacy@tricountyjatc.org for more information.

APPRENTICE APPLICATION INFORMATION SUSPENDED APPLICATIONS FOR NOW

The Tri-County Electrical JATC generally accepts

applications on a year-round basis; however, due to the recent Shelter In Place orders, we are not accepting applications at the office. Online applications are now available and can be completed but not turned in until further notice. For more information regarding the process, please click in the following link:

JATC INFORMATION

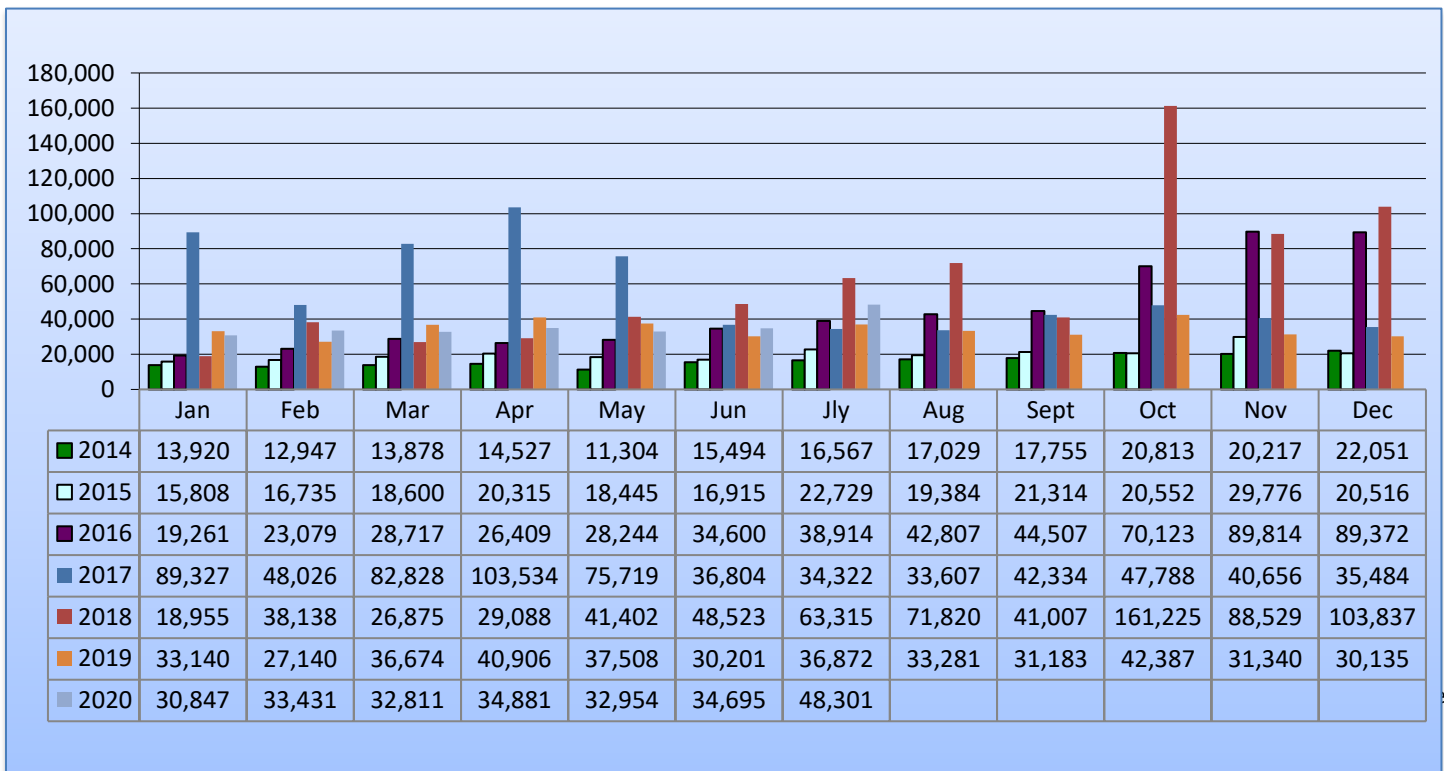
Online classes apprenticeship school year have begun!



AVAILABILITY LIST UPDATE

On the Inside Out-of-Work List, there are 3 on Book 3, 13 on Book 2, 7 on Book 3 and 3 on Book 4. There is 1 on Book 1, 0 on Book 2, 1 on Book 3 and 0 on Book 4 for Sound & Comm. There are 0 on CW Book 1 and 0 on CW Book 2. There are no Inside apprentice available for work at this time, however, new apprentices are being started from the availability list. Should you need an apprentice, be sure to contact Stacy at Stacy@tricountyjatc.org.

INSIDE MONTHLY HOURS REPORT





**WE WILL KEEP YOU POSTED AS TO THE STATUS OF THESE MEETINGS
AS WE BECOME AWARE.**

October 3-6, 2020

Virtual!!

NECA Convention and Trade Show
Chicago, IL

October 21-22, 2020

The Bob Golf Tournament (ECCT)
The Grand Del Mar
San Diego, CA

December 4, 2020

Chapter Christmas Party
Chaminade Resort
By invitation only

April 12-15, 2021

NECA Now
Denver, CO

May 6-9, 2021

Wisdom and Wine
Education Course & Retreat
Managing Field Productivity
Allegretto Resort
Paso Robles, CA
Watch for details!