

JOINT APPRENTICESHIP TRAINING CENTER

Local #88 J.A.T.C., Las Vegas, Nevada, has always been very active in it's recruitment for apprentices. Besides the usual job fairs, presentations, trade shows, and newspaper ads; Local #88 J.A.T.C. has also advertised on movie theater screens, radio stations, television commercials, and produced a video on the Union Sheet Metal Industry in Southern Nevada. However, the J.A.T.C. is in the sheet metal training business not advertising and marketing. Recently the J.A.T.C. hired a marketing firm to help decide where and how to best spend its advertising dollars. One suggestion the firm had was to vinyl wrap the J.A.T.C. vehicles so they may be used as rolling billboards. The vehicles not only attract applicants but give a professional appearance as well.



Submitted by Dan Rose,
Training Coordinator

HAPPY BIRTHDAY IN OCTOBER TO:



Mike DeJohn
Lloyd's Refrigeration

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Oct. 7 - 12, 2006
SMACNA National Conference
Phoenix, AZ



Wed. - Oct. 18, 2006
Board of Directors Meeting
11:30 am
SMACNA Board Room



Sat. - Oct. 28, 2006
SMWIA Local Union #88 Golf Tournament
7:30 am
Palm Valley Golf Club



Tues. - Oct. 31, 2006
Halloween / Nevada Day



Thurs. - Dec. 7, 2006
SMACNA Membership Meeting & Holiday Get Together
4:00pm - 8:00pm
Big Dog's Tavern



SMACNA Duct Talk

Duct Talk is issued twelve times a year. If you have an idea for an article, please call the SMACNA of Southern Nevada office at (702) 384-1894. We want to hear from you! Deadline for submitting articles is the 25th of each month.

Executive Committee

- President - **Kim Gregory**
- Vice President - **Angelo Iannucci**
- Secretary/Treasurer - **Steve Kimmel**
- Executive Director - **Judy Nagle**
- Newsletter Editor - **Kelly Kealey**



DUCT TALK

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PROJECT FORMS

SMACNA of Southern Nevada and SMWIA Local Union #88, in a joint effort, send out project forms at the end of each month to all Signatory Contractors. Completing these forms provides important information regarding projects being done by your company. It is also a contractual responsibility per Article XVIII, Section 2, of the Addendum to the Standard Form of Union Agreement. This article states that any contractor awarded sheet metal work on a commercial building in excess of 9000 square feet, shall immediately notify SMACNA of Southern Nevada and SMWIA Local #88. The forms are provided and sent each month as a convenience for your company to complete.

The area of Southern Nevada is growing at an accelerated rate and new projects are being developed every day. Project forms are required in order for SMACNA and Local #88 to keep track of which jobs each contractor is currently working on. At the present time we are having difficulty getting contractors to complete these forms. We only have a few companies who are consistently meeting this contractual obligation each month. In trying to correct this difficulty, we are requesting that you assign a key employee from your company to complete these forms when they are received.

The Project Form itself is sent the last week of each month with a cover letter stating which month is to be reported. Usually the request is for the previous month. The insert inside this issue of *Duct Talk* shows a sample of the cover letter and the Project Form. Each month when your key employee receives this form, they will complete a sheet for each project you have been awarded for the designated month. Once the forms are completed, they will then fax them to SMACNA of Southern Nevada at 384-2631 and we will forward them to SMWIA Local Union #88. If we do not receive your forms in a timely manner we will be following up with a phone call as a reminder for you to complete and submit your forms.



If you have any questions please contact Kelly at the SMACNA office - 384-1894.



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SOUTHWEST AIR CONDITIONING

Since 1966, Southwest Air Conditioning, Inc has been effectively solving the unique heating and cooling demands of Southern Nevada with a continued goal to provide the best construction technology coupled with the highest level of quality and coordination possible. In their ongoing efforts to improve the company's operations and services to the Las Vegas Valley, they have expanded into different aspects of the construction industry including but not limited to Commercial HVAC, Hydronic Piping, Plumbing, Commercial Kitchen, Residential, Light Commercial, Architectural Metals, Water treatment, and Commercial and Residential Service. Each customer is given the assurance of a corporation that is dependable and versatile as Southwest Air Conditioning, Inc is *"more than an air conditioning company."* Along with the trade versatility, Southwest Air is diversified in the projects they have completed including casinos, schools, federal and public work projects, restaurants, timeshares, theaters/ cinemas, various tenant improvements, and numerous design builds. For example, Southwest Air has completed thousands of homes in Del Webb and is currently working on Desert Cove home sites while also completing work on The Cannery additions. With a crew ranging from 100 employees to as high as 300 during booming workloads Southwest never fails to complete the job to the customers satisfaction. They boast the largest residential light commercial division in the Local Union #88. A substantial amount of work contracted by Southwest Air is in direct competition with non-union contractors in keeping with a goal of continuing to increase the union involvement in the residential light commercial aspect of construction in the valley. These pictures showcase some of Southwest Air's continued success in the sheet metal industry.



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PROJECT FORM

Per article XVIII, Section 2 of the Addendum to the Standard Form of Union Agreement, any contractor awarded sheet metal work on a commercial building in excess of 9000 square feet must notify SMWIA Local #88 and SMACNA of Southern Nevada.

Seven Hills Post Office (HVAC & metal roofing) with Jaynes as a general contractor
3055 St. Rose Pkwy



NAME:

COMPANY:

DATE:

PROJECT NAME:

PROJECT LOCATION:

SQUARE FOOTAGE:

DESCRIPTION OF WORK:
 (HVAC, Architectural, etc.)

GENERAL CONTRACTOR:



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August 31, 2006

TO: All Signatory Contractors
FROM: Judy Nagle, Executive Director
SUBJECT: **PROJECT FORMS**

IMPORTANT MEMO!!!!

The **project form** attached, per Article XVIII, Section 2, of the Addendum to the Standard Form of Union Agreement, should be submitted for any projects **over 9,000 square feet, awarded during the month of August, 2006**

*Please fax all forms to **SMACNA at 384 - 2631**. We will then forward a copy to Local #88. This procedure is conducted by this office on a monthly basis.*

Thank you for your cooperation!!

