



Membership Report – Summer 2009

The CMAA So. Cal. Membership Team hopes you are all keeping ahead during this economic downturn. Our membership team has been working hard and we are happy to say that membership is still strong. We want to thank all of our sponsors and members for your continued commitment to CMAA.

Our membership team consists of volunteers. Natasha DeBenon, of Hill International, has been serving as the chairwoman. Joining her are four additional volunteers: Claudia Hill, of Seville Construction Services, Randy Nadalo and Ashley McInerney of Aerotek, and Rick Meade of HNTB. I want to thank everyone on my team for all their time and efforts to keep our membership strong. Thanks team!

Three goals were set for the 2008/2009 year. These goals are:

- 1) Retain membership at current level (766)
- 2) Continue to improve communication regarding membership issues (and/or sending out reminders)
- 3) Continue outreach to non-members

Task Assignments: We had our first committee meeting in November to go over these goals. We also discussed ideas about membership outreach. Another meeting was held in December and tasks were assigned. In January with follow-up in February and March. We regrouped in April and had a team meeting to discuss where we were and decide on our new assignments. These tasks included assignments to morning educational seminars, assigned firms to follow up with companies that had open spots available, and follow-up on terminated/expired memberships. So May & June have been busy. We have set a team meeting during the week of July 20 to review our progress and status of tasks.

Congratulations! In early March, we reported nearly 890 members. However, we were aware that at the end of March, the 90 day grace period given for everyone to renew would be expired and membership terminations would take affect. Our Report in April showed 86 terminated memberships. This brought us down to 804, but we are still above our goal of 766. Our team didn't give up and our hard work after the April, May and June meetings paid off. We are proud to announce, once again, that we have not only maintained our 766 membership level, we are now 841 members strong! Congratulations team and thank you to our members for stepping up to the plate and renewing. We are still working on a couple of firms to bring on board—this includes LAN Engineering and Clark Construction and we are hoping to see Orange County Sanitation District move to an Owner Organization status.

A Reminder: Please don't forget to renew your memberships. If your renewals are past due, you may get an email from one of our committee team members, so renew now. We thank all of you who have renewed who continue to support CMAA. Your support demonstrates commitment and has allowed our Southern California chapter to continue growing, even in these tough economic times. Our local chapter continues to promote CMAA and reach-out to potential new members. We will be exhibiting at the California Construction Expo (Calconexpo) downtown Los Angeles in August, 2009. So if you are there, stop by to say Hi!

Refer a Friend Program: Don't forget about our "Refer a Friend" program that will go until September 30, 2009. More details can be found at the CMAA national website.

Kind Regards,

The Membership Committee:

Natasha DeBenon – Hill International – Committee Chair-Responsible for Non Student & Attorney Representative members

Claudia Hill – Seville Construction Services – Volunteer – Responsible for CM Representative members

Randy Nadalo – Aerotek – Volunteer- Responsible for Owners Representative members

Ashley McInerney – Aerotek – Volunteer- Responsible for Engineer/Architect Representative members

Rick Meade HNTB – Volunteer – Responsible for Other-Student & Contractors Representative members.

Welcome to our new members that have recently joined and thank you to our renewing Southern California Chapter members.

New Members: March 1 – June 12, 2009

First Name	Last Name	Title	Firm
Vic	Adamo	Associate Principal	Development Industries, Inc.
Monique	Adams	Student	Westwood College
Mario	Alvarenga	Student	Cal Poly Pomona
Michael	Aminian		CM Practitioner
Derrick	Amos	Student	Westwood College
Cary	Baker		Baker Design & Construction Management, Inc.
Robert	Ball	Sr. Project Manager	PB
Dhurba	Bhattacharyay	Project Manager	Parsons
Gregory	Blasic	Program Manager	Parsons
Jeffrey	Boysen		Primus Business Solutions
Landen	Buckley	Proposal Assistant	Lim and Nascimento Engineering Corporation
Tom	Buckman		Jacobs
Ed	Cadena	Vice President	The Greenridge Group, Inc.
Diego	Cardoso	Executive Officer	LACMTA
John	Carlin	CEO/President	Global Business Solutions, Inc.
Vincent	Coffeen	Director, Design Management	LAUSD
Kenneth	Cordeiro		Spirit Construction, Inc.
Caryn	Cowin	Project Manager	Bovis Lend Lease
Ann	Cutner	Principal	IMA Design Group, Inc.
Jeff	Davies	Senior Vice President	Professional Services Industries, Inc.
Prashant	Desai		CM Practitioner
Lauren	Doyel		Fugro West, Inc.
Brooke	Duncan	Project Manager 1	BRJ & Associates, LLC
Ken	Dunne	Project Engineering Manager	Washington Division of URS
Theodore	Dye	Project Administrator	Hill International, Inc.
Moty	Eisenberg	Project Executive	Bovis Lend Lease
Ivan	Garcia	Student	Cal Poly Pomona
Mehran	Ghaemi	Student	California State University
Paul	Giovanneti	Principal in Charge/VP	Bovis Lend Lease
Jerry	Givens	Senior Vice President	PB
Lori	Guidry	President	Development Industries, Inc.
Hilton	Hayes		Rossetti Architects
Mohamed	Hegab	Student	California State University, Northridge

First Name	Last Name	Title	Firm
Shani	Howard	Construction Manager	Parsons
Jaimie	Irvine	Student	University of Southern California
Roger	Johnson	Deputy Executive Director	Los Angeles World Airports
Jerry	Jones	Senior Project Manager	Bovis Lend Lease
David	Kent	Student	University of Southern California
Chris	Klassen	Project Manager	Klassen Corporation
Christopher	Knowland		Knowland Construction Services
Ruth	Lehmann	Program Manager	Kleinfelder, Inc.
Alison	Lind	Student	Cal Poly Pomona
Bryce	Little	Vice President	PB
Lisa	Maurath	Manager of Projects	Jacobs
Wessam	Mekhael		Professional Service Industries, Inc.
Jill	Meyer	Student	University of Southern California
Mohammad	Monshizadeh	Student	University of Southern California
Steve	Morrill	Team Leader Environmental Services	CTL Environmental Services
Zafer	Mudar	Sr. Supervising Engineer	PB
Teresa	Parra	Project Development	Owen Group, Inc.
Tri	Pham	Student	Cal Poly Pomona
Daniel	Phelps	Attorney	Kamine Collings & Phelps, P.C.
Chris	Prentice	Project Manager II	Bovis Lend Lease
Richard	Puczkowski	Project Executive	Bovis Lend Lease
Mark	Quiroz	Student	Cal Poly Pomona
Armando	Ramos		Global Business Solutions, Inc.
Samara	Rice	Student	University of Southern California
Marcos	Sanchez	Student	Cal Poly Pomona
Stan	Shahan	Manager Construction Services	RRM Design Group
David	Shire	Project Manager	Bovis Lend Lease
Rachel	Skiba	Business Development Manager	Owen Group, Inc.
Frederick	Smith	Acting Deputy Chief Facilities Executive	LAUSD
Steve	Stacy	Superintendent	Lundgren Management Corp.
Abraham	Thomassian	OAR/Project Manager	Gateway Science & Engineering, Inc.
Trent	Thompson	Student	Cal Poly Pomona
Eric	Todd	Student	California State University
Michael	Van Over		Salaber Associates, Inc.
Michael	Vega		LAUSD
Angela	Woodward	Associate	IMA Design Group, Inc.
Steven	Yip	Project Manager	Bovis Lend Lease
Jeffrey	Zimmermann	Sr. Construction Manager	CH2M Hill

