

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION
ASSOCIATE

Company Name

Address

City

State Zip

Telephone

Email

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President

Direct mail to the following people

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Description of services

Geographical area of operation

Recommended By

Applicant Signature

AREAS OF SUCCESS

The association has experienced considerable success recently by focusing its energies on specific areas of industry need. This is usually accomplished through the work of one of UTCA's committees. Following is a list of some specific successes:

- revised Local Public Contracts Law in the following manner:
 - 2% retainage of contracts of \$100,000 or more.
 - bid bonds may be used in place of certified checks.
 - bonds in lieu of cash retainage.
 - arbitration/mediation required in contracts.
 - value engineering in contracts.
- made "No Damage For Delay" contract clauses null and void in State and local construction contracts.
- promoted state legislation that established a ten-year statute of limitation for public construction
- worked with N.J. DEP in developing hazardous waste cleanup specifications.
- developed cooperative efforts with home-builders, industrial developers and consulting engineers.
- schedules annual convention and seminar as a forum for the exchange of business and educational information.
- assembled an executive staff to assist members in areas of permitting, agency coordination, construction funding and dissemination of information.
- organized a bargaining group to provide labor relations services.
- publishes the only New Jersey magazine dedicated to heavy, highway and utility construction.
- initiated state legislation to require asphalt and fuel escalation clauses governed by Local Public Contracts Law.

There is more to be done through strength in numbers. We need your support in order to continue our record of success.

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BACKGROUND

Founded originally as the Utility Contractors Association, the Utility and Transportation Contractors Association of New Jersey was formed in 1965 by a group of concerned contractors interested in the welfare and continued development of the construction industry. Since then, the association has grown to include contractors involved in all areas of heavy, highway, utility, marine and hazardous waste remediation construction. UTCA of New Jersey focuses its energies toward strengthening liaison with awarding agencies, owners, engineering groups, government officials and legislative bodies, while maintaining a healthy construction industry.

UTCA/N.J. is affiliated with one national association, based in Washington, DC., the American Road and Transportation Builders Association (ARTBA) and is a member of the Clean Water Construction Coalition. This relationship provides our association with representation at the federal level and assists in the communication of national information to our members. Our association representatives often participate in programs at the national level.

OBJECTIVES

- To preserve the common interests of the construction industry of this state;
- To assist in efforts to expedite the continuous flow of construction;
- To promote improved relations among contractors, governmental agencies, municipalities, labor and engineering groups;
- To protect association members, through available legal and other remedies, against unwarranted attacks which are designed to prevent them from performing work as efficiently and economically as possible;
- To coordinate the dissemination of information relative to the business needs of the construction industry;
- To represent the common interests of contractors at hearings, meetings and conferences held by legislative and other administrative bodies;
- To promote ethical practices in construction and with the general public.

RECENT ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Since its formation, UTCA/N.J. has successfully challenged unfair bidding practices, legislation detrimental to construction and encroachments on work traditionally carried out by employees of association members. The association has fostered a number of legislative measures that have improved conditions for contractors in such areas as retainage, bidding procedures, changed conditions management of projects and statute of limitations.

UTCA/N.J. sponsors meetings and forums with professional engineers, governmental representatives and others regarding construction industry needs. In an effort to expand its message, the association publishes and circulates its own magazine throughout the metropolitan area and produces an annual Industry Directory and monthly newsletter for member use.

The association is represented on the Construction Industry Advancement Program (CIAP) and members share in the benefits accrued by that industry program. Cooperation is also extended to a number of industry groups throughout the area. Recent activities have focused on improving contract documents and expanding advantageous retainage provisions, while supporting efforts to increase construction funding. UTCA/N.J. monitors legislative and regulatory matters in Trenton as well as Washington, DC.

MEMBERSHIP

The association enrolls member firms in the following categories—

Contractor member: any individual, partnership, joint venture, or corporation actively engaged in construction.

Subcontractor member: any individual, firm or corporation that operates as a subcontractor.
Associate member: any individual, firm or corporation not active as a contractor or subcontractor, but interested in the welfare of the industry, and the association.

Affiliate member: firms that are wholly-owned affiliates or subsidiaries of contractor member firms.

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