



# **NECA ALASKA CHAPTER**

## NEWS FROM THE CHAPTER

### Upcoming Meetings & Events

The next Board of Directors meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, October 11, 2023, at 11:30am in the Chapter Conference Room in Anchorage.

The next Board of Directors & Membership meeting is scheduled for Saturday, December 2, 2023, at the Sheraton Anchorage Hotel's Yukon Room in Anchorage. The Board will meet at 11:00am with the Membership meeting following at 11:30am.

The Annual Holiday Party is scheduled for Saturday, December 2, 2023, at the Sheraton Anchorage Hotel's Summit Room in Anchorage. Festivities will be from 6pm to 12am.

There is a room block under National Electrical Contractors for the night. Please email [HollyHerr@RemingtonHotels.com](mailto:HollyHerr@RemingtonHotels.com) or [AustinMcLain@remingtonhotels.com](mailto:AustinMcLain@remingtonhotels.com) before 11/15/23 to make a reservation in our room block.

Please RSVP for meetings as soon as possible so we can get an accurate head count for catering purposes.

### AK NECA Office Closure

The Chapter office will be closed September 28<sup>th</sup> – October 3<sup>rd</sup> so the staff may attend the annual NECA Convention in Philadelphia. Larry and Michelle will both be checking our email as we can.

### Contract Negotiations

After Several negotiations meetings, the Outside Electrical Construction Agreement concluded negotiations in agreement and the ratification process is currently underway. Significant Changes have been sent out to employers. If you need the Significant Changes document, please contact the Chapter and we can get it to you. Stay tuned for more information as it becomes available.

Thank you again to all that participated in the surveys, as well as those participating on the negotiation team.

**2022-2023 CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

09/29/23-10/02/23  
NECA Convention &  
Trade Show in  
Philadelphia, PA  
11/23/23  
Thanksgiving Day

10/11/23  
Board of Directors Only  
Meeting  
  
12/02/23  
Annual Board of  
Directors & Membership  
Meeting and Holiday  
Party in Anchorage

11/11/23  
Veteran's Day  
  
12/25/23  
Christmas Day

11/15/23  
Board of Directors Only  
Meeting  
  
01/01/24  
New Year's Day



## NECA This Week

News From the Voice of the Electrical Construction Industry



**Contribute to NECPAC to Win!**

### Donate to NECPAC for a Chance to Win

Anyone who makes an online donation, using the authorization code **NECPAC**, between September 1st and October 2nd will be automatically entered in the NECPAC sweepstakes to win great prizes!

With the upcoming elections, we need your support and involvement now more than ever. Make sure we have a seat at the table by supporting NECPAC.

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#### GOVERNMENT AFFAIRS UPDATE

- September 30 Government Funding Deadline Looming
- NECA Government Affairs at the NECA Convention
- Chairman's Challenge: Kansas City Chapter Meets with Rep. Mark Alford

### Government Affairs Update

Congress is running out of time to find ways to fund the government for Fiscal Year 2024 before the September 30th deadline. The House and Senate are still far apart on an annual funding bill and are now turning to a Continuing Resolution (CR) as a temporary measure until both chambers can decide on a final package.

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## Registration Now Open for the 2024 MEP Innovation Conference

Once again, NECA, MCAA, and SMACNA have partnered together to host the 2024 MEP Innovation Conference. Immerse yourself in educational sessions, collaborative roundtable discussions, and hands-on exhibitor demonstrations that spotlight cutting-edge technologies that can improve NECA contractor productivity and profitability. **Get \$200 OFF your registration with promo code N3CAV!PM3P**  
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## September Safety Minute

Watch September's Safety Minute, sponsored by NECA & Intec, to get the latest updates including OSHA's new heat standard, the winners of the Beat the Heat contest, revised PPE standard and more!

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Safety Professionals

## Defining the Value of Certifications: A Discussion on SMS Webinar

BCSP's Safety Management Specialist (SMS) brings recognition to safety, health, and environmental professionals with 10+ years of know-how and the management skills required for a business' safe operation. Join Wes Wheeler, NECA's Executive Director of Safety, and the rest of the panel to learn what motivated them

to pursue their certifications and how achieving the SMS has elevated their careers.

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### UPCOMING VIRTUAL CLASSROOMS AND WEBINARS

10/18/23

12:00PM – 3:00PM ET

**Virtual Classroom:**

**Process Driven**

**Profitability**

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09/14/23

8:00AM – 10:00AM ET

**Virtual Classroom:**

**Electrical Contractor**

**Essentials: Business and**

**Field Operations**

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### 2023 NECAPAC

After launching the new NECAPAC website in 2022, National NECA is strongly encouraging online personal donations. As a reminder, donations can be made at [necapac.necanet.org](https://necapac.necanet.org) with the authorization code NECAPAC. If you have never made an online contribution, please contact Hadlea Bender at [Hadlea.Bender@necanet.org](mailto:Hadlea.Bender@necanet.org) or 240-800-5004 for assistance in creating an online NECAPAC profile. Only personal contributions can be made online. Corporate contributions can be made with the Operational Fund Contribution form. You may also contact the Chapter and we can assist.

