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## Alaska Chapter News

### June Board of Directors and Membership Meeting in Fairbanks

The Chapter's June Board of Directors and Membership Meeting will be held in Fairbanks on June 8, 2016 at the Wedgewood Resort in the Gazebo Room. The Board of Directors meeting will begin at 4:30pm and the Membership meeting will begin at 5:30pm with dinner following. You will need to call in your reservation to be included in our room block. See attached flyer for details.

## Meetings & Events

### NECA Opens Registration for 2016 EMI

NECA's Executive Management Institute (EMI) is an intensive, three-and-a-half day learning experience designed to enhance the leadership skills of current and up-and-coming executives and managers. Designed for senior executives in the electrical contracting industry, this program provides state-of-the-art management concepts and analytical tools that build on existing knowledge of electrical contracting businesses and the industry to increase the value and effectiveness of electrical contracting firms.

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## Publications & Resources

### Upcoming Webinar Provides Overview of NEIS Review and Publishing Process

NECA and ELECTRICAL CONTRACTOR magazine along with industry sponsors Arlington Industries, Leviton and Southwire, will be hosting a webinar titled *National Electrical Installation Standards—Standards as High as Your Own* on Thursday, May 19 at 11 am EDT, it will last 60 minutes.

## Events

05/11/16  
**Board of Directors / Membership Meeting in Anchorage**  
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05/30/16  
**Memorial Day**

06/08/16  
**Board of Directors / Membership Meeting in Fairbanks**

07/04/16  
**Independence Day**

07/13/16  
**Board of Directors / Membership Meeting in Anchorage**

08/10/16  
**Board of Directors / Membership/Veteran Member/Guest/Spouse Meeting in Anchorage**

08/11/16  
**NECA Open at Anchorage Golf Course**

09/05/16  
**Labor Day**

The webinar provides attendees with a high-level look at NECA's NEIS program. Attendees will receive a complimentary PDF copy of *NECA 408 Standard for Installing and Maintaining Busways*.

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## Digital Resource Guides Based on Popular NECA Safety Publications Released

A series of digital resource guides based on 5 existing popular NECA Safety publications have been released in the NECA Store. The guides contain additional exclusive materials not provided with the original publication purchase.

### The Guides Include:

- NECA PPE Selector Guide (Index #: 5024-15RK)
- NECA Guide to NFPA 70E Employer (Contractor) Responsibilities (Index #: 5125-15RK)
- NECA Supervisors Guide to Jobsite Safety Training (Index #: 5125-15RK)
- NFPA 70E Guide to Lockout/Tagout (Index #: 5400-15RK)
- NFPA Guide to Decision-Making, Energized vs. De-Energized (Index #: 5340-15RK)

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**Safety**

## DOL Announces Final Rule for Workers Exposed to Silica

The U.S. Department of Labor's Occupational Safety and Health Administration has announced a final rule to improve protections for workers exposed to respirable silica dust. The rule is intended to curb lung cancer, silicosis, chronic obstructive pulmonary disease and kidney disease in America's workers by limiting their exposure to respirable crystalline silica.

NECA will review the new final rule on silica, which was announced on March 24<sup>th</sup>, and provide an overview of the impacts to our members and contractors in the near future.

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09/14/16

**Board of Directors /  
Membership Meeting in  
Anchorage**

10/07-10/16

**2016 NECA Convention  
& Trade Show  
Boston, MA**

10/20/16 Date TBD

**Board of Directors /  
Membership Meeting in  
Anchorage**

11/09/16

**Board of Directors /  
Membership Meeting in  
Anchorage**

11/11/16

**Veteran's Day**

11/24/16

**Thanksgiving Day**

12/03/16

**Annual Board of  
Directors / Membership  
Meeting & Holiday  
Party in Anchorage**

12/25/16

**Christmas Day**

## DOL Publishes Final Rule Update Requirements for Eye and Face Protection

OSHA has published a final rule that updates requirements for personal protective equipment for workers in general industry, shipyards, longshoring, marine terminals and construction. The final rule reflects current national consensus standards, and it ensures that workers can use up-to-date eye and face protection. OSHA's final rule becomes effective on April 25, 2016.

NECA will review the new final rule and provide an overview of the impacts to our members and contractors in the near future.

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## eSafetyLine Toolbox Talks

Each month, the special safety site available through NECA's website addresses a specific topic and offers downloadable materials to enable you to provide related weekly toolbox safety talks to employees.

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# Fountainhead Hotels

Fairbanks' Premier Hotel Group

"Your First Choice in the Last Frontier"

TO: Alaska National Electrical Contractors Association Board Meeting Attendees

FR: Wedgewood Resort  
212 Wedgewood Drive  
Fairbanks, Alaska 99701

DT: April 26, 2016

Dear Attendees,

Wedgewood Resort would like to offer you a special room rate for the upcoming Alaska National Electrical Contractors Association Board Meeting. This rate will be available from **June 8, 2016 to June 9, 2016. Please keep in mind June can be busy in Fairbanks, Alaska to guarantee reservations please book by May 8, 2016.** Below is a little information about our hotel:

The **Wedgewood Resort** is an all suite hotel that offers one and two bedroom suites. The one-bedroom suite includes a full kitchen, dining area, living room, balcony, bedroom with 2 double beds, walk-in closet, full bathroom and cable T.V. The two-bedroom suites have the same layout as a one-bedroom suite with an extra bedroom with 1 double bed in the room. The Wedgewood Resort also has laundry facilities and free wireless internet available to the guests.

Check in time is 4:00 p.m. and check out time is 11:00 a.m.

Following is some specific information regarding the Alaska National Electrical Contractors Association group rates. Please be sure to use the following information when booking your reservations.

## **Group Code: NECA616**

### **Wedgewood Resort**

One Bedroom Suite Rate: \$154.00 single/double occupancy plus \$10.00 for each additional guest. (Maximum occupancy 4 guest)

**\* All rates are subject to 8% bed tax. Rates are not available to reservations booked online \***

**\*\* Cancellation policy: Reservations must be cancelled 24 hours prior to arrival to avoid any penalty\*\***

Sincerely,  
Wedgewood Resort  
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907 456 3642 (local)

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