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TO: AGC San Diego Chapter Members
FROM: Eddie Sprecco, Chief Executive Officer
RE: **2016 SAN DIEGO AGC COMMITTEE SELECTIONS**

Committee appointments will be made by **Jon Cloud**, *J. Cloud, Inc.*
2016 AGC San Diego Chapter President



The San Diego AGC is a committee driven association and relies on committees to act as the creative arm for the industry. **Members in all membership categories are encouraged to participate on AGC Committees.** Participating on an AGC committee allows members the opportunity to give strong direction to the industry and to develop their skills and abilities. The construction industry needs volunteers that will continue to direct the industry in a positive manner. Serving on an AGC committee is an excellent way to achieve this goal.

Get involved... the more you put into AGC, the more you'll get back!

Please return the forms for each committee
you and/or your staff would like to serve.
Fax to the AGC office at (858) 558-8444 or email form(s) to: marcy@agcsd.org

Thank you in advance for your interest and participation!



2016 AFFILIATE MEMBERS COUNCIL

CHAIR: Matthew Karver, Gallina, LLP

STAFF: [Rae Krushensky](#)

MEETS: 4 times per year

JOB DESCRIPTION:

The Council is comprised of members from Affiliate firms. (*Affiliate members shall include members who are engaged principally in the manufacture or sale of materials, equipment, or services to contractors.*) The Council meets four times per year and presents the Board with policy recommendations and the AGC committees with program recommendations that meet the specific needs of the Affiliate Members and AGC Members.

Specific responsibilities include the Annual Affiliate's Mixer, and the Affiliate Day Golf Tournament, which supports AGC's fundraising efforts for the Education Scholarship Program. The Affiliates also participate and support other meetings and events, as well as presents the Annual AGC Member Awards for *Excellence in Marketing*, *Good Business Award*, *Affiliate Member of the Year*, *Affiliate Company of the Year* and *Rookie of the Year*.

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2016 AIRPORT AUTHORITY LIAISON COMMITTEE

CHAIR: Brad Kirsch, *Sundt Construction, Inc.*

STAFF LIAISON: [Brad Barnum](#)

MEETS: 4 times per year

JOB DESCRIPTION:

This committee meets with the San Diego County Regional Airport Authority to discuss issues of importance between the construction industry and Airport officials. This committee has the responsibility to make sure industry and Airport concerns are addressed and communicated on a regular basis to the membership.

The committee's focus is in solving the day-to-day challenges faced on construction sites. Topics include but are not limited to, bidding practices; specification content; payment schedules; inspection methods, etc.

This committee is intended to include contractors, subcontractors, and material suppliers involved in working with the Airport.

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BUILD & SERVE CHARITABLE ALLIANCE COMMITTEE

CHAIRS: Co-Chair: Don Romo, *Erickson-Hall Construction Co.*
 Co-Chair: Tom Plumb, *Sound Crete Contractors, Inc.*

STAFF LIAISON: [Marcy Knopman](#)

MEETS: 6 times per year (every other month)

JOB DESCRIPTION:

The Build & Serve Committee provides AGC members an opportunity to “give back” to the community. This committee selects charitable projects and programs throughout San Diego County for AGC and its members to help “build” and “serve” the community.

The committee coordinates such projects as the AGC Annual Blood Drive, Warm Clothes Drive, Adopt-a-School, MCRD Bootcamp Challenge, partners with Make-A-Wish Foundation San Diego®, assists Annual Toy Drive, etc.

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CALTRANS/SANDAG LIAISON COMMITTEE

CHAIR: Jason Mordhorst, Hazard Construction

STAFF LIAISON: [Brad Barnum](#)

MEETS: 4 times per year

JOB DESCRIPTION:

This committee meets with Caltrans/SANDAG officials to discuss issues of importance between the construction industry and District 11 Caltrans officials. It has the responsibility to make sure industry and Caltrans/SANDAG concerns are addressed and communicated on a regular basis to the membership.

The committee also has the responsibility to coordinate with the San Diego AGC and the AGC of California committees that meets with Caltrans headquarters officials in Sacramento. The committee's focus is on solving day-to-day challenges faced on construction sites.

Topics will include, but are not limited to, bidding practices; specification content; payment schedules; inspection methods, etc. This committee is intended to include contractors, subcontractors, and material suppliers involved in working with Caltrans/SANDAG.

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2016 CITY LIAISON COMMITTEE

CHAIR: Norbert Schulz, J.R. Filanc Construction, Inc.

STAFF LIAISON: [Brad Barnum](#)

MEETS: 6 times per year

JOB DESCRIPTION:

This committee meets with the City of San Diego, and periodically with other cities in San Diego County to discuss issues of importance between the construction industry and City officials. This committee has the responsibility to make sure industry and City concerns are addressed and communicated on a regular basis to the membership.

The committee's focus is in solving the day-to-day challenges faced on construction sites. Topics will include, but are not limited to, bidding practices; specification content; payment schedules; inspection methods etc.

This committee is intended to include contractors, subcontractors, and material suppliers involved in working with the City.

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2016 CONSTRUCTION EDUCATION & TRAINING

CHAIRS: Kari Kyne, Kyne Construction, Inc.

STAFF LIAISON: [Glen Schaffer/Becca Schaffer](#)

MEETS: 4 times per year

JOB DESCRIPTION:

The committee provides ideas and general direction to the AGC Education department for construction education and safety training course development. AGC's Construction education and safety training courses are among the nation's finest construction educational programs – training thousands of construction industry professionals annually. Educational and Safety courses include popular construction topics, career-building programs, and life-saving safety techniques.

Educational topics include: Supervisory and Leadership training; Project Management and Project Engineering courses; Foreman and Superintendent training; Prevailing Wage seminars; Construction Quality Management; Building Information Modeling (BIM); LEAN Construction practices; Construction business courses; Construction Financial Management seminars; Stormwater Management courses; Construction Software training; and more.

Safety Training courses include: Hands-on training for Fall Protection, Scaffolding, Confined Space; Trenching and Excavating Safety; First Aid and First Responder; OSHA 10-Hour and 30-Hour programs; EM 385-1-1 Safety training; and more.

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CONSTRUCTION LEADERSHIP COUNCIL (CLC)

CHAIR: Geoff Acosta, *Granite Construction Company*

STAFF: [Jessica Kovack](#)

MEETS: 6-8 times a year (may include after-hour mixers/events)

JOB DESCRIPTION:

The CLC encourages a higher level of involvement in the AGC, creates and promotes industry innovations, fosters face-to face collaboration among early-to-mid-career professionals, addresses important industry issues and concerns, and provides crucial feedback to the AGC San Diego leadership, which will help to structure the AGC of the 21st century. The CLC is part of the nationwide AGC organization provides an open forum for these construction professionals to receive training, network, socialize with peers, and exchange ideas on special issues facing the industry.

The CLC offers young members the exposure to other professionals within the industry, provides opportunities to augment their education through relevant programs, and assists in developing strong leaders for the association and the industry as a whole. Companies benefit by gaining well-rounded and more professionals who gain additional perspectives from being exposed to industry leaders and peer groups.

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COUNTY OF SAN DIEGO LIAISON COMMITTEE

CHAIR: John Daley, Jr., Daley Corporation

STAFF LIAISON: [Brad Barnum](#)

MEETS: 3 times per year

JOB DESCRIPTION:

This committee meets with the County of San Diego to discuss issues of importance between the construction industry and County officials. This committee has the responsibility to make sure industry and the County's concerns are addressed and communicated on a regular basis to the membership.

The committee's focus is in solving the day-to-day challenges faced on construction sites. The County is represented by officials from the Public Works Dept. (engineering projects) and the County General Services (building projects). Topics include, but are not limited to, bidding practices; specification content; payment schedules; inspection methods, etc.

This committee is intended to include contractors, subcontractors, and material suppliers involved in working with the County of San Diego.

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2016 GOVERNMENT RELATIONS COMMITTEE

CHAIR: Eric Stenman, *Balfour Beatty Construction*

STAFF LIAISON: [Brad Barnum](#)

MEETS: 4-6 times per year

JOB DESCRIPTION:

The Government Relations Committee ensures that AGC of San Diego keeps a high profile position in the "political arena" at the local, regional, state and national levels. This will involve a continual analysis of all political efforts affecting the industry. The committee will annually develop legislative positions for distribution to the membership. It will work closely with our Legislative Advocate in Sacramento, and with the AGC of California and AGC of America on all statewide and federal legislative matters. The committee is also responsible for advocacy of adequate infrastructure investment.

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HUMAN RESOURCE PRACTICES COMMITTEE

CHAIR: Pam Legge, *BB&T John Burnham Insurance Services*

STAFF LIAISON: [Rae Krushensky](#)

MEETS: 4 times per year

JOB DESCRIPTION:

The committee serves as a resource for AGC members on employment and other human resource issues facing contractors. The committee aims to serve its members in three primary ways:

- 1) Creating and delivering services that educate and offer compliance assistance on human resources issues to the AGC membership at large.
- 2) Serving as a forum for human resources professionals in order to share information, solve problems, and network.
- 3) Promoting the human resources function as an integral business partner in creating and maintaining a successful organization.

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MEETINGS & EVENTS COMMITTEE

CHAIR: Rachael Gonzalez, West Coast Air Conditioning Co., Inc.

STAFF LIAISON: [Rae Krushensky](#)

MEETS: 4 times per year

JOB DESCRIPTION:

The Meetings & Events Committee oversees, plans, and assists in organizing all AGC meetings and events. The committee is responsible for ensuring that AGC meetings and events are relevant, well planned, organized, and meets the membership's needs.

Events include: *Spring Conference; Winter Conference; Membership Mixers; Spring Golf; EGCC Golf Classic; Baseball Bash; Day at the Races; Affiliate Day Golf; Fall Golf Classic, AGC Softball Classic; and Holiday Dinner Dance.* Committee members will be asked to actively participate in one or two of the above events, as well as attend the regularly scheduled general committee meetings.

* *Subcommittees in charge of specific events may meet more often prior to the event.*

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NAVFAC LIAISON COMMITTEE

CHAIR: George Rogers, RQ Construction, LLC

STAFF LIAISON: [Brad Barnum](#)

MEETS: 2 times per year (approx. April and Nov.)

JOB DESCRIPTION:

This committee meets on a regular basis with the Naval Facilities Engineering Command, Southwest Division (NAVFAC) to discuss issues of importance between the construction industry and Navy officials. This committee has the responsibility to develop a meaningful dialogue with Navy personnel on a variety of issues, including specifications; delivery systems; change order procedures; contracts etc. The committee's focus is in solving the day-to-day challenges faced on construction sites.

**Membership on this committee is restricted to member firms that are involved in the construction process with the Navy.*

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PUBLIC BUILDING LIAISON COMMITTEE

CHAIR: John Messick, *Sundt Construction*

STAFF LIAISON: [Brad Barnum](#)

MEETS: 5-6 times per year

JOB DESCRIPTION:

This committee is charged with the responsibility of maintaining an open line of communication with various public agencies involved in building construction. The committee addresses current issues through individual task forces that are critical to the relationship between contractors, subcontractors and the public agencies. Members of this committee may also volunteer for liaison committees established with UCSD, SDSU, Community Colleges, and certain school districts.

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2016 SAFETY COMMITTEE

CHAIRS: CHAIR: Brandy Fischer, *Harper Construction*
 VICE CHAIR: Pamela Mark, *A& D Companies*

STAFF LIAISON: [Vince Hundley](#)

MEETS: Monthly- First Wednesday of each month

JOB DESCRIPTION:

The committee is tasked with promoting safety as a core value in the construction industry and provides a network for professional growth and development opportunities to the committee members. Committee actions include monitoring, communicating, and understanding Federal OSHA, Cal OSHA, and NAVFAC/DOD policies and procedures; continually monitoring and reporting on updated safety information; and continually searching for new ways to promote the industry to upgrade safety consciousness and best practices.

The committee is also tasked with monitoring national, state, and local legislation that involves the construction industry.

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SAN DIEGO PORT DISTRICT

CHAIR: Abd "AJ" Jahshan, *PAL General Engineering*

STAFF LIAISON: [Brad Barnum](#)

MEETS: 3 times per year

JOB DESCRIPTION:

This committee meets with the San Diego Port District to discuss issues of importance between the construction industry and Port officials. This committee has the responsibility to make sure industry and Port concerns are addressed and communicated on a regular basis to the membership. The committee's focus is in solving the day-to-day challenges faced on construction sites. Topics include, but are not limited to, bidding practices; specification content; payment schedules; inspection methods, etc.

This committee is intended to include contractors, subcontractors, and material suppliers involved in working with the Port.

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SPECIALTY CONTRACTORS' COUNCIL

CHAIRS: Chair: Bob Bridges, *Sherwood Mechanical*
 Vice-Chair: Rob Thomson, *California Sheet Metal Works*

STAFF LIAISON: [Rae Krushensky](#)

MEETS: 6 times per year

JOB DESCRIPTION:

The Council is comprised of members from Contractor & Specialty Contractor firms. They present the Board with policy recommendations, and the AGC Committees with program recommendations that meet the specific needs of the Contractor/Specialty Contractor Member

The Specialty Council presents AGC Members Awards each year. They also organize and sponsor the *SDSU Aztec Football Tailgate*, which raises funds for the AGC scholarship program at SDSU, in addition, they host the *AGC Meet Your GC* luncheons, and other projects as needed.

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TECHNOLOGY TRENDS IN CONSTRUCTION COMMITTEE

CHAIR: Nathan Complin, *Erickson-Hall Construction*

STAFF: [Jessica Kovack](#)

MEETS: Every other month

JOB DESCRIPTION:

The committee is charged with the responsibility to identify, explore, and critique the new trends in which technology advancements will help make the construction industry operate on a more efficient and effective basis. In this capacity, the committee researches new and better means and methods that will help the industry now, and in the future.

The committee is charged with utilizing the information generated to develop training and educational programs that will allow members to view new technologies and to be trained in their usage.

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WATER AUTHORITY LIAISON COMMITTEE

CHAIR: Steve Fry, *Kiewit Infrastructure*

STAFF LIAISON: [Brad Barnum](#)

MEETS: 2 times per year

JOB DESCRIPTION:

This committee discusses issues of importance between the construction industry and Water Authority officials. This committee has the responsibility to make sure industry and Water Authority concerns are addressed and communicated on a regular basis to the membership. The committee's focus is in solving the day-to-day challenges faced on construction sites. Topics include, bidding practices, specification content, payment schedules, inspection methods, etc.

This committee is intended to include contractors, subcontractors, and material suppliers involved in working with the Water Authority.

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