

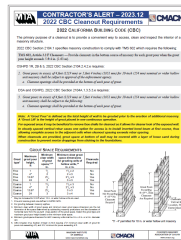


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MCAC 169th State Meeting and 2024/25 Board of Directors Installation Wrap-Up: Setting the Course for Growth

It was standing room only at the Mason Contractors Association of California (MCAC) 169th State Meeting and 2024/25 Board of Directors Installation January 23 at the World of Concrete in Las Vegas. *(Special thanks to those who surrendered your seats to make room!)*

Gratitude to Sponsors and Presenter:

I am confident we have our dynamic presenter to thank for the influx of guests in attendance. Thank you Damian Lang. MCAC also extends heartfelt thanks to our event sponsors (pictured below) whose support made this gathering possible.



Damian Lang's Inspirational Message:

[Damian Lang](#), CEO of eight companies, collectively valued at roughly a quarter of a billion dollars, author and speaker, delivered a powerful message, likening setting goals to utilizing a modern-day GPS. His words were impactful and emphasized the non-negotiable importance of direction, purpose, and adaptability. MCAC is poised to harness this inspiration as a guiding force for the association's growth in 2024.

Highlights and Achievements:

Several noteworthy highlights emerged during the meeting showcasing the power of collaborations. The Roadshows are bringing MCAC to a location near you and will feature exciting partnerships, including EZ Scaffold and Construction Robotics to kick things off.

Good of the Industry discussion set the stage for peers to be problem-solvers on issues like rewarding on-the-job safety and finding ways to encourage journeymen to take younger field crew under their wings and teach them.

In a moment of recognition, Carolyn Winegardner of Winegardner Masonry, Inc. was voted in as a MCAC Honorary Member. This action is a testament to her outstanding contributions and long-standing dedication to the masonry community.

Congratulations 2024/25 MCAC Board of Directors:

President, Dan Ricketts of GBC Concrete & Masonry Construction, Inc.

Vice President, Troy Brewer of Townsend & Schmidt Masonry

Treasurer, Armando Echeverria of Masonry Solutions

Secretary, Joshua Estrella of PTS Masonry, Inc.

Immediate Past President, Ken Tejada of R&R Masonry, Inc.

To learn more about the new MCAC board, visit their profiles on the MCAC website at <https://www.mca-ca.org/board-of-directors/>.

As we bid farewell to Las Vegas, MCAC is poised for a year of growth, collaboration, and success in 2024. We look forward to opportunities and achievements in the upcoming year under the guidance of the newly installed Board of Directors!



2024/25 MCAC President, Dan Ricketts, GBC Concrete & Masonry Construction, with MCAC Executive Director, Julie Trost



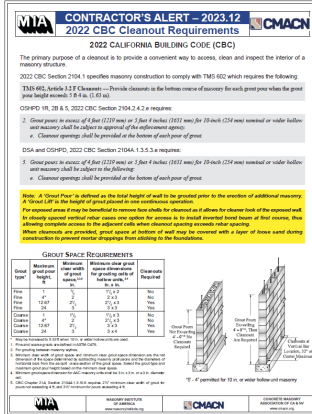
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Outgoing 2022/23 MCAC President, Ken Tejada, R&R Masonry, Inc., with MCAC Executive Director, Julie Trost

Contractor Alert: Cleanout Requirements

Thanks to our friends at the Masonry Institute of America (MIA) and the Concrete Masonry Association of California and Nevada (CMACN), we are pleased to provide two Contractor Alerts for Cleanout Requirements: One for the [California](#)



[Building Code \(CBC\)](#) and the other for the [International Building Code \(IBC\) code](#).

Reminder! Post Your Cal/OSHA 300A Log February 1 to April 30



California law requires employers to post the Cal/OSHA Form 300A Annual Summary of Work-Related Injuries and Illnesses from February 1 to April 30 of the year following the year covered by the form. That means your 2023 Form 300A should be posted February 1 through April 30.

Display it in a conspicuous area where notices to employees are customarily located. Make a copy of the form available to employees at each worksite and to employees that do not have a fixed establishment to which they report.

- Take it down upon conclusion of the required posting time.
- Keep it on file for five years following the year to which it applies.
- Provide a copy of the summary (Form 300A) or the log (Form 300) to current and former employees and their representatives upon request.
- COVID-19 fatalities or illnesses must be recorded like any other occupational illness.

Note: Even if there were no injuries during the covered year, the summary log must still be displayed.

Construction employers with more than 20 employees are also subject to federal online reporting requirements due by March 2nd each year. Electronic filing is done through the federal OSHA [Injury Tracking Application \(ITA\)](#).

Cal/OSHA has posted details on which employers are required to submit [electronic injury and illness reports](#) as well as other information online.

OSHA is hosting a webinar on electronically submitting workplace injury and illness data using the [Injury Tracking Application](#) on February 7 from 1–2 p.m. EST. [Registration is free](#) and Spanish translation will be available.

Read the [Cal/OSHA 300A Posting Reminder Notice](#).

See [Cal/OSHA's Record Keeping Overview](#).

[California Code of Regulations, Title 8, sections 14300 through 14300.48](#) outlines

definitions and requirements for recording work-related injuries, illnesses and fatalities

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“Diplomacy is the art of...Letting someone else get *your* way.” - David Frost

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