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**MCAC  
NEW MEMBERS**



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**Public Works Contractor  
Renewal Registration  
Opens May 1**

Beginning May 1, *currently registered* public works contractors may renew their Department of Industrial Relations (DIR) registration for the next fiscal year which begins July 1, 2016. Renew online using DIR's [online public works contractor registration system](#). Renewal is complete upon processing of payment. The renewal fee is \$300 and may be paid by credit card for the fastest processing (24 hours). Other forms of payment may be used but can delay processing for up to 8 weeks.

[Read More](#) - [Read DIR's Notice](#)

**BIM Guide for  
Masonry  
Contractors  
Available Now**



**BIM-M announces the availability of a new report titled "BIM Deliverables Guide for Masonry Contractors".**

Developed by mason contractors for mason contractors under the direction of BIM-M project consultant Fred Kinateder, the Guide addresses

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6 key issues every mason contractor needs to know:

1. Why BIM is important to the mason contractor
2. How to get started in BIM
3. What a BIM Execution Plan is and how to develop one
4. Examples of software being used by mason contractors to work in the BIM environment
5. Deliverables that provide a return on investment for contractors that are willing to invest the time and resources
6. Where to go for educational opportunities for modeling with the appropriate software.

The Guide is FREE! Download it from the [MCAC website](#) or visit [www.bimformasonry.org](http://www.bimformasonry.org) for more information on the BIM-M project.

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## MCAC "FEATURES" Members Doing Extraordinary Things

Have you noticed our **Featured Member this month, GBC Concrete and Masonry**? You might be wondering why GBC is featured. I am so happy you asked!

GBC's, Dan Ricketts, has been spreading the word about MCAC and, thanks to his active recruiting, at least, 2 new members have joined MCAC at his referral this year alone and more are in the pipeline.

**Last month we featured Masonry Institute of America (MIA)** because MIA's John Chrysler brought us 2 new memberships and generous chart-topping sponsorship's that landed one of his affiliate organizations on our [Top 5 Sponsors list of 2015](#).

**Thank you Dan and John! We could not do it without you.**

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## Concrete Haulers Must Pay Prevailing Wages Effective July 1, 2016 - AB 219 (Daly - D)

Ready-mix concrete haulers who remove refuse from a site are already entitled to receive [prevailing wages](#), and this law, [AB 219](#), extends the same entitlement to haulers who bring concrete to a public project site\_"Driver (on/off hauling to/from construction site) - Mixer Trucks." "Public works" is now defined to include the hauling and delivery of ready-mix concrete to carry out a public works contract, with respect to contracts

involving any state agency or any political subdivision of the state. What does this mean for haulers and mason contractors?

1. A written agreement stipulating compliance with Prevailing Wage Law between the hauler and the party engaging its services is required.
2. Haulers must provide certified payroll records to the hiring party and the general contractor within three (3) working days after the employee has been paid. A written time record certified by each driver shall accompany those certified payroll reports.
3. Ready-mix haulers and entities that deliver ready-mixed concrete to public works projects must be [registered as Public Works Contractors](#) with the Department of Industrial Relations (DIR).

**AB 219 requirements apply to contracts awarded on or after July 1, 2016.**

[DIR Fact Sheet](#)

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## **DIR Reminds Public Works Contractors Certified Payroll Reporting is Still Required**

**In an effort to clarify its [January 21, 2016 notice suspending eCPR enforcement](#), DIR has issued a [follow-up advisory](#) reminding public works contractors that Certified Payroll Reporting requirements have not changed and the eCPR system is still up and running...and contractors are encouraged to use it.**

The temporary suspension of the electronic Certified Payroll Report (eCPR) system enforcement was enacted in response to complaints about difficulties using the system. The suspension applies ONLY to enforcement of the requirement to use the eCPR system and does not apply to the requirements and obligations of public works contractors to keep certified payroll records and provide them to awarding bodies and other entities as may be contractually stipulated. So, while the eCPR system is "under construction," it was not shut down, and is available for use. Bottom line, you are not off-the-hook for certified payroll reporting but you have a reprieve from using the eCPR system until upgrades are completed -- estimated to be completed June 2016. [DIR Notice](#)

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## **Plan to Attend the MCAC 158th State Meeting in Monterey, CA September 23-24, 2016**

**Plans are underway for your 158th MCAC State Meeting** that will be held in Monterey, CA. Stay with us at the Monterey Plaza Hotel famous for it's location on Cannery Row with dramatic beach front views of the bay. Reservations are open by contacting the hotel directly. Click the following for hotel details. [Monterey Plaza Hotel](#)

Harbor View - \$329/night

Inland View - \$259/night

Toll-free reservation line (855) 421-0264

**Registration and sponsorship details to follow.**



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