

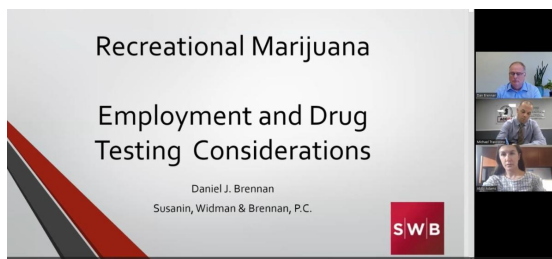


Associated Construction Contractors of New Jersey

# MONTHLY UPDATE

November 2022

## *In Case You Missed It*



On October 3, ACCNJ hosted a virtual webinar that analyzed NJ's Cannabis Regulatory Commission's new guidance and its impact on the construction industry. The webinar, presented by Associate Member, Susanin, Widman & Brennan, PC., is available at [accnj.org](https://accnj.org) on the Webinars and Presentations page.



On November 13, 2022, Kevin Andersen, a Carpenter Local 253 member, and his family tragically lost their house in a terrible fire. They escaped with only the clothes on their backs. Kevin suffered second-degree burns on both his arms while saving his mother. Kevin and his family need help rebuilding all they have lost.

We know the Union community is strong and will do what they can to assist Kevin and his family during this horrible time, and with a click of a button, you can help, too!

Let's come together and support the Andersen family to get back on their feet! [Click here to donate to the GoFundMe.](#)



## *Labor*

Access the bulletins listed below under November Bulletins in the members-only section at [accnj.org](https://accnj.org).

## Thanksgiving Day Holiday Provisions

In Bulletin 70-2022, we provided Active Members with holiday provisions for Thanksgiving Day, Thursday, November 24, 2022.

## Operating Engineers Local 825 Temporary Layoffs

In Bulletin 71-2022, we reminded Active Members the Operating Engineers, Local No. 825's TEMPORARY LAYOFF provision IS SUSPENDED from December 1 through April 15, if an employer shuts down a project due to weather-related conditions, provided all engineers are offered employment on the same jobs. This provision extends through April 30 for paving operations. Please refer to Bulletin 71-2022 for complete details.

## Tilesetters Wage & Fringe Benefits

In Bulletin 73-2022, we distributed to Active Members information on December 5, 2022, Wage & Fringe Benefit increases for Tile, Marble & Terrazzo BAC Local 7.

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## Safety

### November Safety Update

In ACCNJ's [November Safety Update](#) we covered the following:

- **Princeton University's Construction Wellbeing Initiative:**  
The [Construction Wellbeing Initiative](#) is collecting, analyzing, and compiling field-tested wellbeing interventions into a searchable online repository to help increase the physical and mental wellbeing of construction workers on jobsites. Access the [November Safety Alert](#) for links to submit wellbeing content and ideas for changing the construction industry's approach to craftworker wellbeing.
- **NACOSH Heat Injury & Illness Prevention Work Group Public Meeting:**  
The National Advisory Committee on Occupational Safety and Health (NACOSH) Heat Injury and Illness Prevention Work Group will [meet](#) on December 13, 2022, from 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m., ET, by WebEx. For details on the meeting and how to submit comments, access the [November Safety Alert](#).

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## Education & Workforce Development

### Tuition Reimbursement Program

As a reminder, in Bulletin 06-2022, we informed Active Members the ACCNJ Industry Advancement Trust (IAT) has approved the continuation of the Tuition Reimbursement Program for eligible, full-time employees of ACCNJ member firms that contribute to the IAT. The courses selected must be aimed at providing job-related knowledge and skills for construction personnel in either office or field operations. For details, access the bulletin under January Bulletins in the members-only section at [accnj.org](#).

### AGC/A Project Manager Course & Tuition Reimbursement

In Bulletin 72-2022, we notified Active Members AGC of America is offering

two different Project Manager Courses in the first quarter of 2023. The programs will include a virtual PMC and an in-person PMC, which will be held in Atlanta, GA. For more information, please access the bulletin under November Bulletins in the members-only section at [accnj.org](http://accnj.org).

### **Summer Internship Program -- Contractor Registration / Career Fair**

In Bulletin 62-2022, we invited Active Members to join us for the CIAP Career Fair, scheduled for January 11, 2023. It will be held in-person at Forsgate Country Club, Monroe Twp., New Jersey. In 2022, employers that participated in the internship program were able to provide 57 students with internship opportunities, and for that, we thank you. For more information, access the bulletin under October Bulletins in the members-only section at [accnj.org](http://accnj.org).

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## ***Advertising Opportunities***

### **Advertising Opportunities in Spring Issue of *New Jersey Construction***

In Bulletin 74-2022, we informed members ACCNJ will publish the Spring 2023 issue of *New Jersey Construction* in March 2023. We hope you will support it with your advertising. The publication reaches our entire membership, plus 2,800 federal, state and local government officials, owners, other construction industry professionals and our labor partners. For more information, access the bulletin under November Bulletins in the members only section at [accnj.org](http://accnj.org).

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## ***Member News***

### **November Member Mondays**

ACCNJ features members on our Facebook page and LinkedIn on Mondays. Check out this month's Member Mondays, featuring [Posillico Inc.](#), [Coastal Steel of NJ, LLC](#), and [Nordic Contracting Company, Inc.](#)

### **Bluebeam Revu for Beginners**

ACCNJ member ZenTek Consultants, a certified Bluebeam Partner, is offering an online course, "Bluebeam Revu for Beginners," for ACCNJ Active Members. This program is delivered in four, two-hour online sessions. A live instructor will explain the detailed functions and address questions as the class progresses. Access the [EVENT PAGE](#) for more information and to register.