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## **AGC of Michigan Recognizes Outstanding Safety Performance**

*Contractors recognized as industry leaders in employee, workplace safety*

**PLYMOUTH, Mich.** — The Associated General Contractors (AGC) of Michigan presented the 2019 Michigan Outstanding Safety Performance Awards during its Annual Meeting today in Plymouth. Fifty commercial construction organizations were recognized for their continued commitment to employee and workplace safety.

“AGC of Michigan is committed to empowering our members with the most comprehensive and up-to-date safety education and training programs,” said Damian P. Hill, president of AGC of Michigan. “We are proud to recognize members who go above and beyond to make construction sites in Michigan more safe for their employees, and thank them for their leadership in making safety a priority.”

The Outstanding Safety Performance Awards are based on lost work injury rates with zero being the best. Companies are grouped into divisions based on work hours generated during the award calendar year:

Division I: Under 50,000 work hours

Division II: Between 50,001- 100,000 work hours

Division III: Between 100,001-300,000 work hours

Division IV: Between 300,001-500,000 work hours

Division V: Over 500,000 work hours

The awards, categorized by general and specialty contractor, have three levels of achievement, gold, silver and bronze. The safety evaluation is based on their injury and illness rate calculated through the Cases with Days Away from Work (CDAW) incident rate. The Gold Award is given to firms with a zero injury and illness incident rate, Silver Award for firms with a rate of 1 or less, but more than zero; and Bronze Award for firms with a rate of 2 or less, but more than 1.

### **General Contractor Michigan Outstanding Safety Performance Award**

#### **Division I – Gold**

Cunningham Construction Company, Jackson

The Monahan Company, Eastpointe

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**Division II – Gold Award**

George McIntosh, Inc. Ferndale  
J.R. Heineman & Sons, Inc., Saginaw  
O'Brien Construction Company, Troy  
Pearson Construction Company, Benton Harbor

**Division III – Gold Award**

George W. Auch Company, Pontiac  
DeMaria Building Company, Novi  
E & L Construction Group, Inc., Flint  
McCarthy & Smith, Inc., Farmington Hills  
Miller-Davis Company, Kalamazoo  
Pumford Construction, Inc., Saginaw  
Woods Construction, Inc., Sterling Heights

**Division III – Bronze Award**

Moore Trospen Construction, Holt  
Schweitzer Inc., Battle Creek

**Division IV – Silver Award**

Clark Construction Company, Lansing

**Division IV – Bronze Award**

Grand River Construction, Inc., Hudsonville  
Spence Brothers, Saginaw

**Division V – Gold Award**

Commercial Contracting Corp, Auburn Hills  
Granger Construction Company, Lansing  
Ideal Contracting, LLC, Detroit  
Walbridge, Detroit

**Division V – Silver Award**

Aristeo Construction Company, Livonia  
Barton Malow Company, Southfield  
The Christman Company, Lansing  
Rockford Construction Company, Grand Rapids

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**Specialty Contractor****Michigan Outstanding Safety Performance Award****Division I – Gold Award**

Benkari LLC, Detroit  
Heritage and Company, Lake Orion  
Stenco Construction Company, LLC, Livonia

**Division II – Gold Award**

Cook-Jackson Company, Battle Creek  
Dobson Industrial Inc., Bay City

**Division III – Gold Award**

Aristeo Installation, Livonia  
Bacco Construction Company, Iron Mountain  
Douglas Steel Fabricating, Lansing  
Gunthorpe Plumbing & Heating, East Lansing  
Hardman Construction Inc., Ludington  
Lakeland Electrical Services, Comstock Park  
Schiffer Mason Contractors, Holt  
Smart Energy Insulation Group, Farmington Hills

**Division III – Bronze Award**

Davenport Masonry, Inc., Holt  
Superior Electric of Lansing, Lansing

**Division IV – Silver Award**

Dee Cramer, Inc., Holly

**Division V – Gold Award**

Fessler & Bowman, Inc., Flushing  
Limbach Inc., Pontiac

**Division V – Silver Award**

Christman Constructors, Lansing  
John E. Green Company, Highland Park  
Goyette Mechanical Company, Inc., Flint  
Mersino Dewatering Inc., Davison  
Newkirk Electric Associates, Inc., Muskegon  
RAM Construction Services, Livonia

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