

Quality Construction Alliance



Quality Construction Alliance Sponsoring Organizations

According to an independent research body:

□ **Industry Predominance:**

These construction specialty groups represent more than 25% of the total building construction industry volume in this country.

□ **Market Share:** Sponsoring specialties hold a market share of more than 60% of non-residential building construction.

□ **Industry Employment:**

Sponsoring trades employ more than 460,000 organized electricians, pipefitters, plumbers, painters and allied trades, steel erectors, masonry craft workers, sheet metal workers and other construction specialists. They include the leading specialty contracting firms in the nation.

□ **Investment in a Skilled Workforce:**

Contractors in the sponsoring organizations are leaders in training skilled workers in these highly technical fields. Over 127,000 apprentices are trained in classrooms and on-the-job every year as part of multi-year programs funded by sponsoring contractors in cooperation with their union partners. Over 250,000 skilled journeymen workers receive extended training in emerging technologies. Sponsoring contractors contribute over \$204 million *each year* to provide this training - entirely with their own funds.

What is the Quality Construction Alliance?

The *Quality Construction Alliance* is a coalition of five premier construction specialty contracting associations formed to create awareness among national, state and local leaders, as well as the general public, of the value of quality construction. The *Alliance* targets local, state and national public policy to assure that taxpayers receive full value for their construction dollar. "Quality Construction" stands for high quality work - meeting or exceeding specifications - produced on-time, on budget using a well-trained, efficient, highly-skilled workforce, and at a competitive price. Sponsoring organizations and their members are dedicated to bringing construction buyers this kind of quality construction.

Who participates in the "Quality Construction Alliance"?

The Quality Construction Alliance is sponsored by the five leading construction specialty trade associations, which, together, represent industries comprised of more than 22,000 contractors doing mechanical, electrical, sheet metal, plumbing, air conditioning, steel erection, trowel trades, painting and allied trades work, using well-trained and highly skilled workers from the organized building trades.

Contractors supporting the Quality Construction Alliance make a significant investment every day to bring this nation the highest quality, most cost effective construction, while providing for a safe, carefully-trained, highly-skilled, well-paid workforce. It all adds up to true *Quality Construction*.

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