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MCAA Safety Excellence Awards Honor MCAA Member Firms' Safety Excellence in 2009

ROCKVILLE, MD—The Mechanical Contractors Association of America, Inc. (MCAA) honored MCAA member firms that achieved the highest level of safety excellence in 2009. The award winners were announced at the MCAA Awards of Excellence Breakfast at the association's annual convention in San Francisco, California.

Representatives from each of the first place award-winning companies received an award plaque from MCAA President Lonnie Coleman, and other winners received recognition during the breakfast. Those who have shown an exemplary record for safety over the past year, as determined by a statistical survey conducted in January, are:

Category 1 – 100,000 Work Hours and Under

- **First place:** Quackenbush Co., Inc., Buffalo, NY. Richard Wagner, CFO, accepted the award.
- **Second place:** Quality Plumbing & Heating of Bunker Hill, Inc., Bunker Hill, IN
- **Third place:** Suttles Plumbing & Mechanical Corp., Chatsworth, CA

Category 2 – 100,000 to 250,000 Work Hours

- **First place:** Greiner Brothers, Inc., Indianapolis, IN. Chris Greiner, president, and Matt Thuer, PM/safety director, accepted the award.
- **Second place:** CFI Mechanical, Inc., Houston, TX

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- **Third place:** Durr Mechanical Construction, Inc., New York, NY

Category 3 – 250,000 to 400,000 Work Hours

- **First place:** University Marelich Mechanical, Anaheim, CA. Scott Baker, president/CEO, accepted the award.
- **Second place:** D.A. Dodd, Inc., Rolling Prairie, IN
- **Third place:** De-Cal Inc. Mechanical, Warren, MI

Category 4 – 400,000 to 1 Million Work Hours

- **First place:** Matrix Service Industrial Contractors, Inc., Eddystone, PA. Michael Dougherty, director of mechanical maintenance and turnaround, accepted the award.
- **Second place:** Performance Mechanical, Inc. – Pittsburg, CA
- **Third place:** Hussung Mechanical Contractors, Inc. – Louisville, KY

Category 5 – More than 1 Million Work Hours

- **First place:** Scheck Mechanical Corporation, Countryside, IL. CEO Richard Scheck and Vice President Chris Scheck accepted the award.
- **Second place:** Nooter Construction Company, Trevose, PA
- **Third place:** Cherne Contracting Corporation, Eden Prairie, MN

For more information about MCAA's Safety Excellence Awards or any of MCAA's safety programs or resources, please contact Pete Chaney at pchaney@mcaa.org.

The Mechanical Contractors Association of America, Inc. (MCAA) serves the unique needs of approximately 2,500 firms involved in heating, air conditioning, refrigeration, plumbing, piping, and mechanical service. We do this by providing our members with high-quality educational materials and programs to help them attain the highest level of managerial and technical expertise. MCAA includes the Mechanical Service Contractors of America, the Plumbing Contractors of America, the Manufacturer/Supplier Council, the Mechanical Contracting Education and Research Foundation and the National Certified Pipe Welding Bureau.