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Upcoming Events

Friday August 24

Board Meeting

(members welcome)

Hacienda Colorado – I-25 &

Colo. Blvd.

Safety Award Winners Honored at NUCA Annual Meeting



Congratulations to our first annual **NUCA Safety Award** winners! Awards were presented at our recent Annual Members meeting:

MWH Constructors, Inc.

Category: Over 50,000 Man Hours

Underground Infrastructure Technologies (UIT)

Category: Under 50,000 Man Hours

Pictured (l to r) Starann Stratton, Vice Chair NUCA Safety Committee, Diane Jones, VP Marketing, MWH Constructors, Jeff Rumer, President, UIT, and Dave Ruddy, Chair NUCA Safety Committee

Annual Membership Meeting

On June 29, the 2012-13 NUCA of Colorado Board of Directors were installed at the Annual Membership Meeting. Congratulations to the 2012-13 Board of Directors! Attendees were also updated on what is going on in the oil and gas industry both in Colorado and nationally by Travis Yee, Colorado Oil and Gas Association. Mike Roark, Moody Insurance also presented information on risk management transfer during tough economic times.

NUCA of Colorado Delegation to DC



Four members of NUCA of Colorado attended the Washington DC Summit in May. The Colorado delegation from NUCA went to the Capitol Hill in Washington DC on Wednesday, May 9th to lobby for support for Private Activity Bonds (PAB's) for water and infrastructure projects and to ask legislators to fund the transportation infrastructure bill to put our members back to work. The group met with all nine Colorado members of Congress or their key staff members to gain support. The

Sustainable Water Infrastructure Investment Act (H.R. 1802) has **90 bi-partisan** co-sponsors and only **one** from the state of Colorado - so contact your representatives and urge them to co-sponsor! Contact our Government Relations Chair, Jeff Rumer, for more information for how to get involved.

We are happy to report that Rep Coffman (R-6th District) has signed on as a co-sponsor for the PAB legislation - Thank you Rep Coffman!

Pictured: Thank you to Jeff Rumer (UIT), Diane Jones (MWH Constructors), Alex Kocher (Western Summit Constructors) and John Thompson (United Rentals Trench Safety) for taking the time to attend and lobby for us all!

Quick Links

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Join us for our next
Safety Lunch & Learn

Tuesday, August 28
12:00 noon

Click [here](#) for more info

[Nucacolorado.com](http://www.nucacolorado.com)

Competent Person Training Offered

180,000+ NUCA trained since 1991

The industry's foremost safety training in utility construction returns to Colorado!

Organized by your fellow safety professionals -- NUCA of Colorado's Safety, Compliance and Training Committee chaired by David Ruddy. Don't miss out on this training opportunity!

Who Should Attend:

Anyone who hasn't had NUCA excavation safety training in 2+ years: Contractors, Subcontractors, Superintendents, Project Managers, Foremen, Excavator/Backhoe/Trenching Operators, Supervisors, Safety Managers, Estimators, Company Owners, and New Employees Being Groomed for Competent Person. Send your entire crew

For more information or to register, click [here](#).

New Website – If you haven't checked out our new website, you need to see it – go to www.nucacolorado.com to view what upcoming events and training classes are taking place.