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Welcome to the 2016 CAI-NJ Annual Conference and Exposition, which is our chapters' largest educational event of the year. I would like to extend my appreciation to the Conference and Exposition Committee for all of their energy and time devoted to make this year's Conference & Expo such an overwhelming success.

This year's theme is "Marvel at the Opportunities with CAI-NJ." The educational session topics are on matters of current interest and I guarantee that you will learn something

"The educational session topics are on matters of current interest and I guarantee that you will learn something new..."

new and something to assist you in your community association business endeavors, be it as a board member, homeowner, community manager, or business partner. For the first time ever, the chapter will be giving away \$5,000 in cash prizes throughout the day. Everyone is eligible, but you must be present to win. Good Luck!

Please take the time to visit the exhibitor booths. For those who have attended our past conferences, this is an opportunity to reconnect with old friends and attend the educational seminars which include timely, pertinent and informative material. For any newcomers to this conference, this an excellent opportunity to make new contacts and meet future vendors for any upcoming projects within your community.

We will also be hosting a Pre-Conference Networking Reception at the Garden State Exhibit Center, the evening prior to the Conference & Expo. If you would like to come out and network with other members of our chapter in a relaxed and casual environment, this event will take place on Tuesday, October 25th from 6:30 pm - 8:30 pm, followed by the Live Band After Party from 8:30 pm to 10:30 pm. Both events are included in your registration and will take place on the tradeshow floor. It will be sponsored by Hill Wallack LLP.

I look forward to seeing old friends and meeting new ones at both events.

Lawrence N. Sauer, CPM, CMCA, PCAM
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LOOKING FORWARD

LARRY THOMAS, PCAM | CAI-NJ CHAPTER EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

The CAI-NJ Annual Conference and Expo is our flagship event of the year and we are especially excited about this year's show. The Conference and Expo Committee along with Angela Kavanaugh from my office have spent hours and hours planning out the day. This year's theme "Marvel at the Opportunities with CAI-NJ" is very aptly titled. With over 165 industry exhibitors and 3 membership educational seminars (plus a legislative update session), we are sure that you will find that the time spent attending was well worth the effort. I would like to proclaim October 26th as "CAI Community Association Day." I'm asking that all of our communities declare this day as an "all hands" community association awareness day. This means sending as many board members, committee members and staff as you can to the conference. As I stated in last month's article, there is something here for every type of CAI member, whether it be your resident leaders, management team or your maintenance crew. Our exhibitors cover every aspect of HOA and condo-specific areas and are available to speak and meet with all of our attendees and discuss any questions that they may have. At the present you may not be in the market for any of their services, but when the time and day come, you will be prepared to move forward and make an educated decision for your community.

Also, please plan on attending the seminars during your visit to the conference. This year we eliminated the keynote speaker to allow for more of our attendees to visit with our exhibitors and also, just as important, attend our seminars.

Our committees and board members discussed several topics and selected the subjects based on the current relevance and overall appeal to the majority of the membership groups. I am sure that you will walk away with a lot of information that will assist you in your role as a board member, manager or business partner.

Every CAI-NJ participant involved in the preparation and planning of this year's conference and expo has dedicated dozens of hours to ensure that this is the best industry event

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of the year. In addition to all of the expert exhibitors and presenters, we are providing breakfast and lunch to all attendees as well as \$1,000 cash giveaways to five lucky attendees (for a total of \$5,000)!

So, in closing, to again quote this year's conference theme "Marvel at the Opportunities with CAI-NJ," and be the best board member, community volunteer, association manager, service vendor or professional provider you can be and attend the CAI-NJ 2016 Annual Conference and Expo!!! ■

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LEGISLATIVE UPDATE



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I write this article in anticipation that it will appear in the Expo issue of *Community Trends*®. I know I will not have the opportunity to see each of you at the Expo but, as is the case every month, I appreciate the opportunity to reach out to you through this column.

The concept of an “expo,” short for “exposition,” is the theme of this column. By definition, an expo is a public exhibition or a collection of things for public display. An exposition also sometimes referred to an “explanation.” So, in context, this article introduces you to the public exhibition that the LAC will deliver to you at Expo.

My first goal is to acquaint you with the names and faces of the LAC that the Expo will bring to life at the Expo. Throughout the year and throughout the State, different groups of LAC members assembled, traveled the State, and presented legislative update programs which consistently received accolades. At the Expo, George Greatrex, Esq., Mike Pesce, PCAM, Tim Martin of MBI GluckShaw and I will be presenting a legislative update session discussing many of the issues which the LAC has dealt with over the past year. Key will be the Municipal Services Act, mortgage foreclosure reform, manager licensing/certification, and election reform. The repeated use of the word “reform” in developing these topics, and the agenda for action by the LAC in the coming year, stresses the need for new legislation to resolve ongoing problems in association operations. The LAC will continue to muster its resources and energy to achieve these objectives.

Expo also means to lay things out and explain. In this vein, the LAC has much to restate as its accomplishments this past year on behalf of CAI. At the same time, we acknowledge that much remains to be done. Our meetings sometimes feel like that Bill Murray comedy “Groundhog Day”, where we find ourselves in a time loop, repeating the same discussion and setting the same priorities month after month, again and again. But that’s not true.

When I began to mentally list some of the achievements (and achievements-in-progress) of the LAC, the list was lengthy. The LAC advocated that municipalities adopt ordinances compelling lenders to maintain the exterior of abandoned residential properties; drafted bills to allow common interest communities to petition the court to expedite the foreclosure of abandoned properties; with David Ramsey, Esq. leading the charge, engaged with the New Jersey Law Revision Commission to advance CAI’s interests and to prevent CAI’s interests from being overridden by other interest groups; critiqued and clarified multiple bills that were introduced purporting to bring transparency and fair dealing to association operations and elections; pursued (and will continue to pursue) manager certification as an alternative; concentrated on the specific aspects of the Municipal Services Act that are problematic; committed to amicus efforts, by the efforts of Gene Markin, Esq. and John Randy Sawyer, Esq. in *The Palisades at Fort Lee Condominium Association, Inc., v. 100 Old Palisade, LLC*, and Timothy P. Duggan, Esq. in *In re: Rones*; on a federal level, advocated against the challenges to the super-lien priority mounted by the Federal Housing Finance Agency, and federal legislation proposed to prohibit community associations from imposing a blanket prohibition on the installation of ham radio installations; disseminated to CAI’s membership information arising out of case law granting immunity under the Landowners’ Liability Act, and in the standardization of condominium project questionnaires by Fannie Mae and Freddie Mac; opposed proposed legislation which would have obligated managers to notify the next-of-kin upon a resident’s death; brought to the attention of CAI readers ordinances proposed in Jersey City intending to regulate service employees, well aware that similar ordinances might be introduced in other municipalities; reconciled and commented on bills intended to provide greater protections to community associations than currently

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granted under the Planned Real Estate Development Full Disclosure Act; and populated last month's LAC edition of Community Trends, thanks to the writings of seven of our members, making it a huge success.

As I end the above paragraph above, I have convinced myself that any similarities between Groundhog Day and membership on the LAC this past year are completely unfounded. I encourage you to review issues of *Community Trends*® from this past year for my discussion of some of the topics the LAC tackled this past year, or to seek out members of the LAC if you have personal concerns. Copies of my monthly Legislative Update are posted on CAI-NJ's website at www.cainj.org. The LAC is also proud that it has brought current its bill chart, which is now posted on CAI-NJ's website under the "Legislative" tab. Tremendous thanks to Audrey Wisotsky, Esq. for successfully (and patiently) leading the LAC through this major undertaking.

I close by saying that the LAC has accomplished much and I hope you agree. I also hope you join us in moving forward. ■

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As the Director of Membership & Marketing for the New Jersey chapter of Community Associations Institute I answer the question "What's in it for me?" on a daily basis as I explain the benefits of membership to prospective members. As the third largest chapter of CAI with 1,600 members in New Jersey we have a lot to offer our members from networking opportunities, education and legislative advocacy.

There are networking opportunities throughout the year specifically created with each type of member in mind. The annual Conference & Expo taking place on Wednesday, October 26, 2016 is great for networking with our Manager members and our Community Association Volunteer Leader members. Earlier this year the Business Partner committee recognized the need for vendor to vendor networking and held its first Business Partner Meet Up event. We also held our annual Beach Party event with 800 attendees.

Educational programs are also a big part of what we do here at CAI-NJ. We have recently added an educational course geared to our Business Partner members the Business Partner Essentials. CAI-NJ is the second chapter to offer this course in person. For our Manager Members that were seeking their CMCA designation we held a CMCA Exam Study Group: Coffee & Cram session to help them prepare for their test. This year we sold out our Board Leadership Development Workshop course for our member CAVLs.

Many members are unaware of the work that the CAI-NJ LAC does reviewing proposed legislation. One of

the issues that CAI-NJ weighed in on this year is foreclosure reform. Our efforts would provide relief for our homeowner members who are stuck with abandoned properties that are not being foreclosed. We continue to pursue manager certification in an effort to provide a level of professionalism for the Community Management industry.

As you can see there is something in everything CAI-NJ offers for our Manager, CAVL and Business Partner mem-

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bers. Providing networking opportunities, educational programs and legislative advocacy is critical to the success of the community association industry and CAI-NJ strives to provide our members programs and services that specifically address their needs. If you would like assistance determining "What's in it for you?" as a member or if you are considering membership, please feel free to reach out to me at (609) 588-0030 or laura@cainj.org. ■

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Information regarding nominations coming soon!

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A Message from Kevin Oliver

2016 CAI-NJ Conference & Expo Committee Chair



"Many thanks goes out to the CAI-NJ Board and all of the other committees who contributed in our effort."

The 2016 Conference and Expo is scheduled for Wednesday October 26th, 2016 and is expected to be a great one! After the success of last year's expo, it will continue to be held at the Garden State Exhibit Center in Somerset, New Jersey. We sold out all of the 167 booths by August this year and are expecting over 1,000 attendees! The committee has worked hard this year at listening to all the key stakeholder's ideas and concerns for this event. Many thanks goes out to the CAI-NJ Board and all of the other committees who contributed in our effort.

With our theme being "Marvel at the Opportunities with CAI-NJ" the show is designed to create an informative learning environment while having a fun filled experience for our CAI Members. We will have real superheroes on location this year to help answer questions for your Associations, including the Wounded Warriors Association, Police Officers, Firemen, Emergency Management Professionals and others. Besides the prizes provided by the vendors there is \$5,000.00 in cash prizes drawings throughout the day to be won by anyone attending the event. As always we will be providing breakfast and lunch to attendees.

If you have not registered for the event, it is not too late, but don't delay. Please visit www.cainj.org, *Community Trends*® magazine or call the CAI-NJ office at (609)588-0030 for your registration form. Walk-ins are always welcome.

Regards,
Kevin J. Oliver - President
G&C Electronics
2016 CAI-NJ Conference & Expo Committee Chair



THE 2016 CAI-NJ RECRUITER CLUB CHALLENGE... RECRUIT YOUR WAY TO A FREE TRIP TO LAS VEGAS!



Recruit at least five new CAI-NJ members and you qualify to win this year's CAI-NJ Recruiter Club Challenge. New members can be any combination of Business Partners, Managers, Community Association Volunteer Leaders, and Management Companies.

For contest details contact CAI-NJ:
609.588.0030 or membership@cainj.org

GRAND PRIZE:

A free trip* to the 2017 CAI National Conference in Las Vegas, NV

Second Place Prize: \$250 Visa Gift Card

Third Place Prize: \$100 Visa Gift Card



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Contest Rules:

1. To be eligible recruit at least 5 new members between December 1, 2015-November 30, 2016.
2. The member with the most new member recruits between December 1, 2015-November 30, 2016 will win.
3. Recruiters can only win 1 prize per year.
4. CAI-NJ may allow substitutions of prizes in certain circumstances.
5. Prize winners will be announced at the CAI-NJ Chapter Retreat in December 2016.
6. Winner(s) need not be present to win.
7. *The Grand Prize is a trip to the 2017 CAI National Conference in Las Vegas, NV. Includes airfare to Las Vegas, NV, from Newark, NJ, or Philadelphia, PA; two nights at conference hotel and conference registration.

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CA-PAC has a record of supporting candidates in a **BIPARTISAN** manner.

Already this year CA-PAC has sent CAI-NJ members to events for legislators supporting **ELECTION REFORM** such as, Senators Robert Gordon and Jeff Van Drew, supporters of foreclosure reform like, Assembly Speaker Vincent Prieto and Senator Ronald Rice, and supporters of municipal services reform like, Senator Jim Whelan.

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Participation Levels: (Please check one)

- Business Partner:** \$250.00-\$500.00
 Management Company: \$500.00
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 Community Associations: \$_____ (Suggested contribution of \$1 per unit)

Please make your CORPORATE or PERSONAL CHECK payable to CA-PAC. Return your completed contribution form along with your payment to: CA-PAC, 500 Harding Road, Freehold, NJ 07728

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For more information, contact Larry Thomas at larry@cainj.org or call 609.588.0030

2016 CAI-NJ ANNUAL EXPO SCHEDULE & PRESENTATIONS

Wednesday, October 26, 2016

**\$5,000
in Cash
Prizes!***

*Everyone is eligible but you
must be present to win!

This year the CAI-NJ Conference & Expo will be on Wednesday, October 26th at the Garden State Exhibit Center in Somerset. There will be educational seminars, created specifically for each of our member types. Attendees will also have the opportunity to visit with 167 professionals and learn about the latest trends in community association services and gather advice from the experts as well. It's an excellent opportunity to make new contacts and meet potential vendors for upcoming projects within your community.

10:00 AM – 11:30 AM

Complimentary breakfast buffet available in the food area

10:00 AM – 3:00 PM

Trade show floor open



Craig Huntington

11:00 AM – 11:45 AM

Community Association Volunteer Leader Educational Session Lecture Room

The One Hour Board Meeting and Beyond

This is your opportunity to get those long grueling meetings under control. Craig will demonstrate how using a timed agenda, setting up the room correctly and having an organized time for the homeowners to speak will help any board turn their monthly or quarterly meeting into a meeting homeowners will want to attend.

Presenter:

Craig Huntington - President of Alliance Association Bank, a division of Western Alliance Bank.

Craig is a well-respected and distinguished industry and motivational speaker. He has been presenting managerial, leadership and motivational presentations for the past 20 years and has developed a comprehensive collection of presentations on a wide range of subjects.

12:00 PM – 2:30 PM

Complimentary lunch buffet available in the food area



**This is a Special Event for Community
Board Members, Homeowners &
Community Property Managers.**

**Have all of YOUR questions
answered at this premier event!**



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12:00 PM – 12:45 PM

Manager's Educational Session

Lecture Room

Batman vs. Superman: The Struggle Regarding Ethics and Confidentiality for Board Members & Property Managers

In a world where association board members are faced with issues regarding ethics and confidentiality on a daily basis, who can you turn to in order to work through these complex problems? In this battle of good versus evil, you can't rely on the Man of Steel or the Dark Knight. This program will arm you with the necessary information and discuss the relevant law in order to help you properly navigate these thorny issues.

Presenters:



Jonathan Katz., Esq.

Jonathan Katz, Esq., - Hill Wallack LLP

Jonathan H. Katz, Esq. is an attorney and a partner in Hill Wallack LLP's Community Association Practice Group in Princeton, New Jersey. Jon concentrates his practice in the areas of community association law and litigation, representing condominium and homeowners associations throughout New Jersey.

Terry Kessler, Esq. - Hill Wallack LLP

Terry A. Kessler, Esq. is an attorney and a partner in Hill Wallack LLP's Community Association Practice Group in Princeton, New Jersey. She concentrates her practice in the area of community association law, representing condominium and homeowners associations throughout New Jersey.



Terry Kessler, Esq.



Denise Becker,
PCAM

Denise Becker, PCAM – Homestead Property Management, Inc., AAMC

Denise Becker is the Senior Vice President of Community Management at Homestead Management Services, Inc. in Hillsborough, New Jersey, responsible for community management, the oversight of community managers, new business development, and client relations and marketing.

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For One (1) Non-Member Community Board
Member/Homeowner

1:00 PM – 1:45 PM

Legislative Update Session

Lecture Room

Representatives from New Jersey chapter Legislative Action Committee (LAC),

will discuss legislative and regulatory issues affecting common interest communities in New Jersey. Topics include Municipal Services Act reform, Mortgage Foreclosure reform, Manager Licensing and Elections reform. Join us for this informative session to learn more about these important hot issues.



Christine Li, Esq.

Presenters:

Christine Li, Esq., CCAL – Partner, Greenbaum, Rowe, Smith & Davis LLP

Christine F. Li is a partner at Greenbaum, Rowe, Smith & Davis LLP, Woodbridge, New Jersey where she is a member of the Real Estate Department and Chair of the firm's Community Association and Planned Real Estate Practice Groups. Her community association practice includes general counseling, collections, and alternative dispute resolution. She is a Fellow in the College of Community Association Lawyers and the American College of Real Estate Lawyers, and a co-author of the treatise New Jersey Condominium and Community Association Law.

George Greatrex, Esq. – Shivers, Gosnay & Greatrex, LLC

George C. Greatrex Jr. is a partner in the law firm of Shivers, Gosnay & Greatrex, LLC in Cherry Hill, New Jersey where the majority of his practice is devoted to community association law in the areas of residential and commercial planned unit developments. Mr. Greatrex and his firm currently represent 150 such associations in Southern and Central New Jersey. Mr. Greatrex received his B.A. degree from Rutgers College in New Brunswick and his J.D. degree from Temple University School of Law in Philadelphia.



George Greatrex, Esq.



Tim Martin

Tim Martin – MBI GluckShaw

Timothy Martin is a Senior Associate with MBI GluckShaw out of Trenton, New Jersey. Mr. Martin focuses on legislative and regulatory affairs, consults on a number of healthcare issues including patient safety, access and quality of care, mental health and addiction treatment. Prior to becoming a full time government affairs agent, he interned in both the New Jersey General Assembly and the Urban League of Lancaster County, PA. Mr. Martin earned his B.S. from Millersville University.

Mike Pesce, PCAM - Associa-Community Management Corp.

Mike Pesce, PCAM is Branch President of Community Management Corp. an Associa company located in Clifton, New Jersey, a real estate management company focused on community associations, including condominiums, cooperatives, planned-unit developments and townhouses. Mr. Pesce previously practiced law and concentrated his practice in real estate litigation. Mr. Pesce received his B.A. from the University of Notre Dame and his J.D. from Rutgers University.



Mike Pesce, PCAM

2:00 PM – 2:45 PM

Business Partner Educational Session

Lecture Room

Be a Super Hero Vendor by Meeting Your Client's Expectations.

Paul will show business partners how to work effectively with management companies and understand the board management structure. Some of the key points that will be discussed are how to get your foot in the door and in front of managers and board members, how to retain your contracts and how to navigate conflicts and maintain good relationships.

Presenter:

Paul Santoriello, PCAM, CMCA, AMS - President Taylor Management Company, AAMC, AMO

Paul Santoriello oversees the entire organization and is actively involved in the management services division. Having been an accountant for a Big 8 accounting firm (Deloitte Haskins and Sells) for 3 years, he possesses a strong background in all areas of financial management. During his 21 years of property management experience he has developed a broad base of knowledge regarding management of the various community association structures. Paul holds a B.S. in Accounting from the University of Delaware.



Paul Santoriello,
PCAM, CMCA, AMS



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2016 CAI-NJ Annual Conference & Expo

**ATTENDEE
REGISTRATION FORM**

Wednesday, October 26, 2016

**Garden State Exhibit Center
50 Atrium Drive, Somerset, NJ 08873**



Please type or print company/association name in block letters exactly as it should appear on name badges.

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Check the box for the Educational Session(s) you plan on attending.

- 11:00 AM – 11:45 AM Community Association Volunteer Leader Educational Session
- 12:00 PM – 12:45 PM Manager's Educational Session
- 1:00 PM – 1:45 PM Legislative Update Session
- 2:00 PM – 2:45 PM Business Partner Educational Session

CONFERENCE FEES:

	CAI Members		Non-CAI Members	
	Pre-registration	On-site registration	Pre-registration	On-site registration
Homeowners, Unit Owners, Board Members	FREE	FREE	\$20.00	\$25.00
Business Partners	\$125.00	\$150.00	\$150.00	\$180.00
Individual Managers	\$75.00	\$100.00	\$100.00	\$130.00

Member Homeowners, Unit Owners, Board Members — FREE!
Pre-registration is recommended as tickets are limited.

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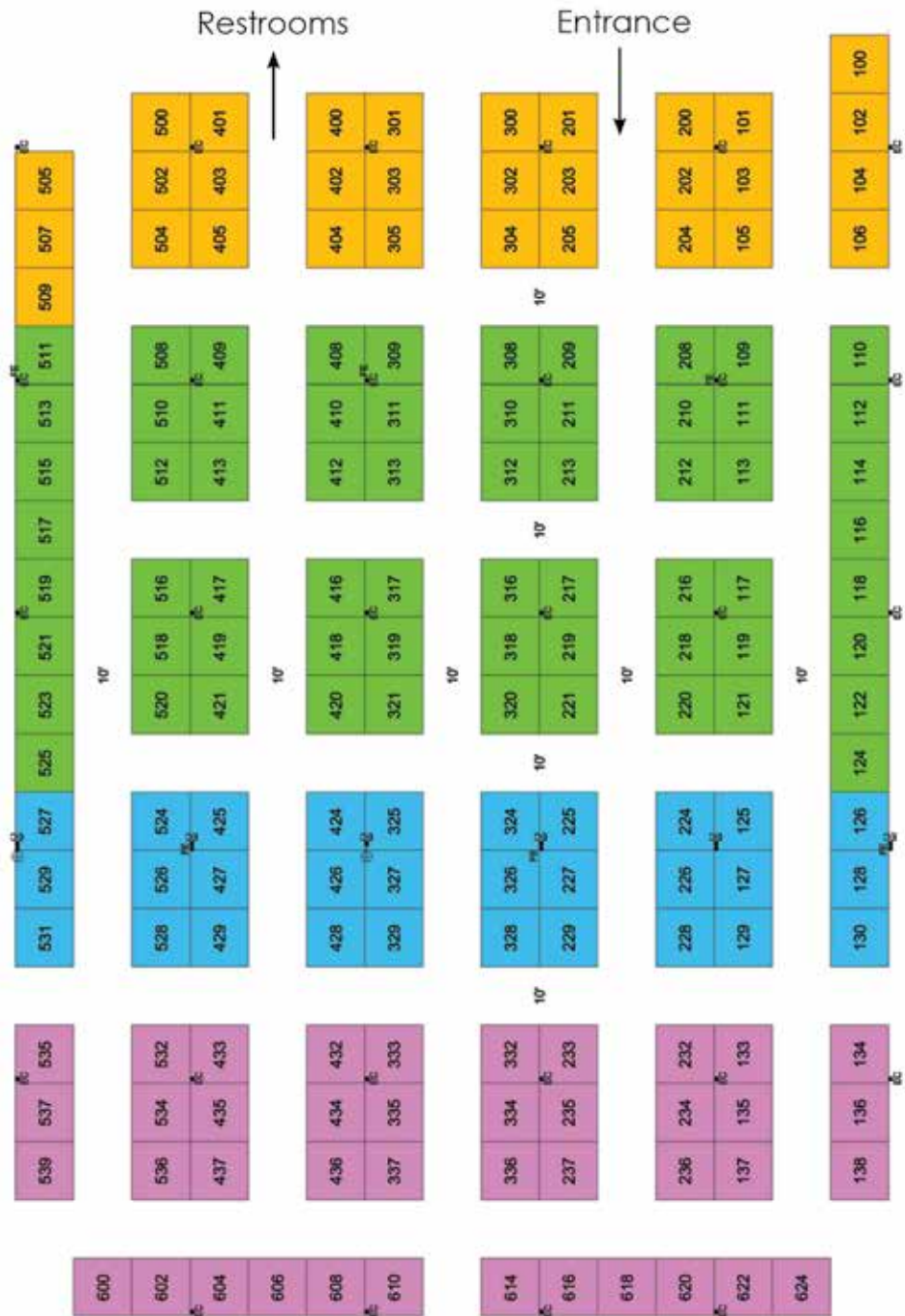


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- Prime Booths
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Accent Group.....	500	Energy Squared.....	136	Painting by Pearce, Inc.....	333
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Conference! Conference! Conference! A Guide to Getting the Most Out of the Experience!

By Elaine Warga-Murray, AMS, CMCA, PCAM, CEO,
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The summer ends and the "Conference Schedule" begins...Should managers fill in the dates and consider the event just another job requirement??? Heck no!! Conferences are important, educational, fun, and motivational!! Conferences are an opportunity to wake up your enthusiasm, pick up industry trends, network with business partners, new clients, and existing clients, and a way to see how you measure up. Approaching a conference can take many forms.

Conference break-out sessions: A day to spend in sessions just to hear others speak about industry issues or an opportunity to listen to what other professionals have to say about the challenges you face? Attending a program is a good way to understand how you stand in relation to others regarding a specific issue, circumstance or industry procedure. The point of break-out sessions is to expand your knowledge and understanding. Even if you don't agree with everything discussed or points of view expressed, it is important to expose the ways others approach the same challenges. Even if you think you've "heard it all before," hearing some repeated subjects can help solidify your confidence and may even offer a couple of innovative or different ways to accomplish the same goals. In addition, attending sessions is an interaction with other people and helps develop a collegial rapport.

Trade show exhibits: Definitely an opportunity to get free stuff! And in addition to picking up something to snack on or a cool beverage, it is a good way to get to know vendors. While walking around visiting exhibits, be sure to ask questions and expand your knowledge of how various vendors tackle similar tasks and challenges. Visiting the exhibit booths also is an effective way to solidify relationships and see how a vendor approaches their own business. It's a good idea to make a list or snap a photo of a vendor's booth to



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remind yourself of something you want to revisit or contact in the future. Taking photos of demonstrations, products and services for your digital resource directory is a great habit! Be sure to meet all of the vendor representatives and learn their different approaches and styles.

Networking: Meeting and "socializing" with other industry professionals, vendors and colleagues is not an opportunity to eat and drink too much!! It is a time to talk business in a relaxed atmosphere, discuss mutual goals, share information, and gather insights of what people have to offer and what you have to offer to them. It is a time to find out how you can help others and to identify the ways they can help you. Plus, it is an opportunity to make friends!!!! Sometimes you can learn just as much from a colleague at the bar as you can in an educational setting – if you ask the right questions!!! Networking is the key to success, the key to developing business

relationships, and the key to present yourself in the best light!!!

Handouts, promotional literature: Keeping track of information is always difficult when you simply throw everything into a bag and then plan to sort it out sometime next week! A better plan is to carry two light weight bags, one for materials you want to scan, file and utilize in the future (business cards included) and a second bag for items that can wait a week or so to be reviewed (free stuff should go in this bag, as a reward for going through the materials!)

Follow ups: People are going to contact you via phone or email, but some people should be contacted by you! Thank yous are also welcomed, so send thank yous to new contacts and people who shared something good with you. While there may be a sea of emails following any conference, a sincere thank you always stands out. Also, if you promised to get back to someone or share information with them, be sure do that quickly. If vendors and contacts send you an email, respond, even if it is to say that you don't have an immediate need and would like to speak to them in 2 months. Following up with contacts made at a conference solidify your professionals and solidify the rapport established in person.

So yes, a Conference is definitely a work function, but more than that, it is a career function. The CAI/NJ Conference is so much more than that, since CAI Committees go all out to make the experience relevant and fun. If you approach it the right way, you will benefit!!! ■



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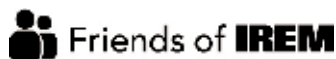


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The service policy allows each member-company a seat on three committees in a given year, with one company representative per committee. This policy does not apply to Community Association Managers. CAVL committee members may also serve on an additional committee.

While placement on committees is limited, the chapter will do its best to accommodate your request. Be sure to read the Committee Guidelines, Meeting Dates & Attendance Policy carefully each year prior to volunteering to serve. The guidelines are posted on the chapter's website at www.cainj.org.

We thank you for your time and service on the chapter's committees. Your input and participation are essential to carrying out the mission of the chapter.

Please contact the CAI-NJ Office with any questions at (609)588-0030 or info@cainj.org.

2017 Committee members must attend the CAI-NJ Annual Meeting and Chapter Retreat on Thursday, December 8, 2016, at the Cultural Center at Clearbrook Community Association, 1 Clearbrook Drive, Monroe Township, New Jersey 08831. Space on committees is limited, and your reply is not a guarantee that you will be selected for service. This form must be received in the CAI-NJ office by Friday, October 7, 2016. Committee assignments for 2017 will be made by Friday, October 14, 2016.

2017 COMMITTEE DESCRIPTIONS

NETWORKING EVENT

COMMITTEES:

- Plan & coordinate the 2017 CAI-NJ Networking Events
- Establish an event theme (if necessary)
- Secure event sponsorships & encourage attendance
- Available to help with the day-of-event activities, including shifts at registration
- Solicit door prizes (if necessary)

AWARDS DINNER:

- **Attendance requirement: minimum of 2 of 3 regularly scheduled meetings.**
- **2016 Meeting Dates: Dec. 14**
- **2017 Meeting Dates: (Wednesdays) Jan. 12, Feb. 9**

BEACH PARTY:

- **Attendance requirement: minimum of 2 of 3 regularly scheduled meetings. Meets at 10:30 am.**
- **2017 Meeting Dates: (Thursdays) April 20, June 15, July 27**

GOLF OUTING:

- **Attendance requirement: minimum of 2 of 3 regularly scheduled meetings. Meets at 2:00 pm.**
- **2017 Meeting Dates: (Fridays) Feb. 17, April 7, May 12**

SPRING BREAK:

- **Attendance requirement: minimum of 2 of 3 regularly scheduled meetings.**
- **2017 Meeting Dates: (Thursdays) Jan. 19, Feb. 16, March 16**

COMMITTEES:

BUSINESS PARTNER COMMITTEE:

- Plan and coordinate programs & services to enhance Business Partner experience
- Plan and coordinate at least one Business Partners seminar/event per year
- Review submitted proposals for Business Partner educational track of the chapter's annual Conference & Expo
- Ensure chapter is creating value with program & service offerings to Business Partner members
- Evaluate current chapter programs & benefits for Business Partners
- Provide content for the chapter's electronic newsletter
- **Attendance requirement: minimum of 4 of 6 regularly scheduled meetings.**
- **2017 Meeting Dates: (Wednesdays) Jan. 18, Feb. 15, March 15, April 19, May 17, June 19**

COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION VOLUNTEER LEADER (CAVL) COMMITTEE:

- Membership is limited to CAVL members of the chapter
- Plan and coordinate at least one CAVL seminar/event per year
- Plan and coordinate at least one CAVL roundtable per year
- Review submitted proposal for the CAVL educational track of chapter's annual Conference & Expo
- Increase CAVL membership attendance at chapter's Conference & Expo
- Support chapter new member orientation program
- Ensure the chapter is creating value with their program
- Engage CAVL members with the chapter and CAI National
- Explore new ideas/benefits for CAVL members
- Provide content for the chapter's electronic newsletter
- **Attendance requirement: minimum of 3 of 4 regularly scheduled meetings. Meets at 11:00 am.**
- **2017 Meeting Dates: (Thursdays) Jan. 12, March 23, May 18, August 17**

CONFERENCE & EXPO COMMITTEE:

- Work to enhance exhibitor & attendee participation
- Increase attendance & gather sponsorships for event
- Recommend to CAI-NJ Board of Directors the Conference & Expo theme & logo
- Work closely with Business Partner, Managers & CAVL committees to develop education sessions
- Recommend to CAI-NJ Board of Directors possible speakers for each education session
- Committee members will serve as moderators of these programs
- Logistical planning & execution for conference day activities
- **Attendance requirement: minimum of 7 of 10 regularly scheduled meetings**
- **2017 Meeting Dates: (Thursdays) Jan. 5, Feb 2, March 9, April 6, May 11, June 1, July 6, Aug. 3, Sept. 7, Oct. 12**

EDITORIAL COMMITTEE:

- Coordinates the publication of Community Trends[®]
- Solicits qualified authors to submit articles
- Review & edit articles submitted for publication
- Submit one original work for publication during the calendar year
- Facilitate the chapter's annual Shoot the Cover Contest
- **Attendance requirement: minimum of 4 of 6 in person and 4 of 6 conference calls (cc)**
- **2016 Meeting Dates: (Tuesdays) Jan. 3, Feb. 7 cc, March 7, April 4 cc, May 2, June 6 cc, June 28, Aug. 1 cc, Sept. 5, Oct. 3 cc, Nov. 7, Dec. 5 cc**

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MANAGERS COMMITTEE:

- Must be a CAI-NJ Manager or a Management Company member
- Advance & promote professional community management through education, certification, recruitment, information sharing & best practices
- Develop a managers-only program on a timely issue selected by the committee
- Review submitted proposals for Manager Education track at chapter's Conference & Expo
- Write articles for Community Trends® for the monthly "Management Trends" section
- Solicit individual community managers & management companies to join CAI-NJ
- Recommend 2018 Professional Managers Development Program (PMDP) courses in New Jersey
- Explore new benefits and services for Manager members
- Provide content for the chapter's electronic newsletter
- **Attendance requirement: minimum of 4 of 6 regularly scheduled meetings**
- **2017 Meeting Dates: (Wednesdays) Jan. 11, Feb. 8, March 8, April 5, May 10, July 12**

MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE:

- Responsible for the recruitment of new members & retention of current members through outreach
- Develop & implement strategies for welcoming new members
- Conduct monthly outreach to new members & report feedback to CAI-NJ staff
- Conduct monthly outreach to current members that will be expiring to encourage them to renew & report feedback to CAI-NJ staff
- Provide two membership leads per meeting & assist CAI-NJ staff with follow up when necessary
- Conduct outreach to recently expired members to encourage them to rejoin CAI-NJ & report feedback to CAI-NJ staff
- Develop & implement systems and programs for membership recruitment and retention
- **Attendance requirement: minimum of 9 of 12 regularly scheduled meetings**
- **2017 Meeting Dates: (Thursdays) Jan. 19, Feb. 16, March 16, April 20, May 18, June 15, July 20, Aug. 17, Sept. 14, Oct. 19, Nov. 16, Dec. 14**

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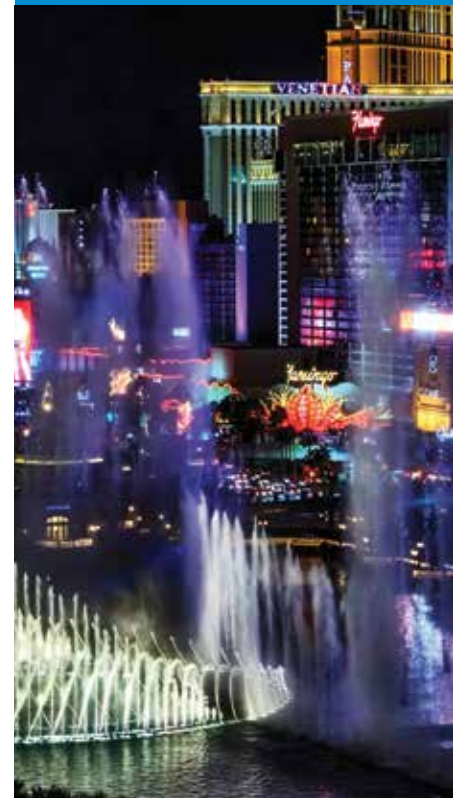


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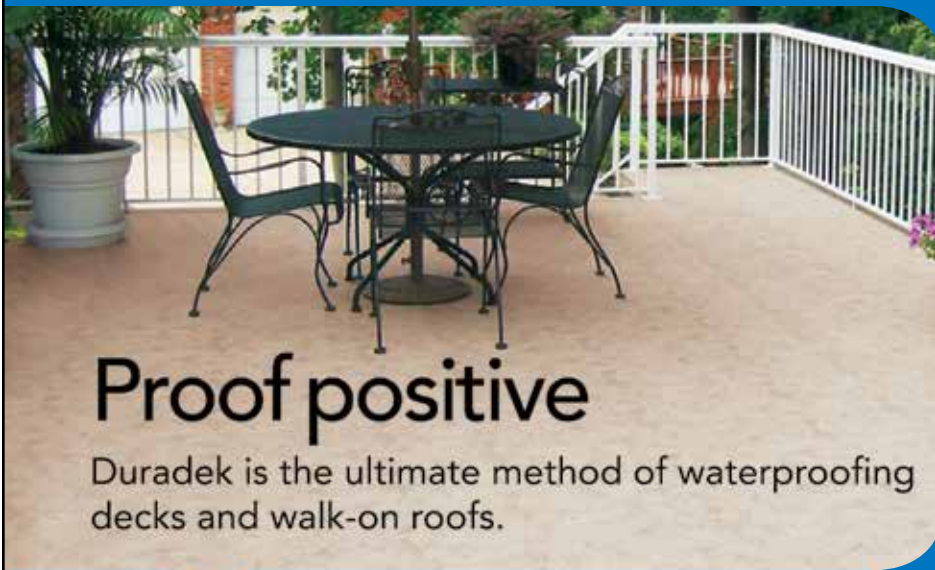


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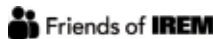
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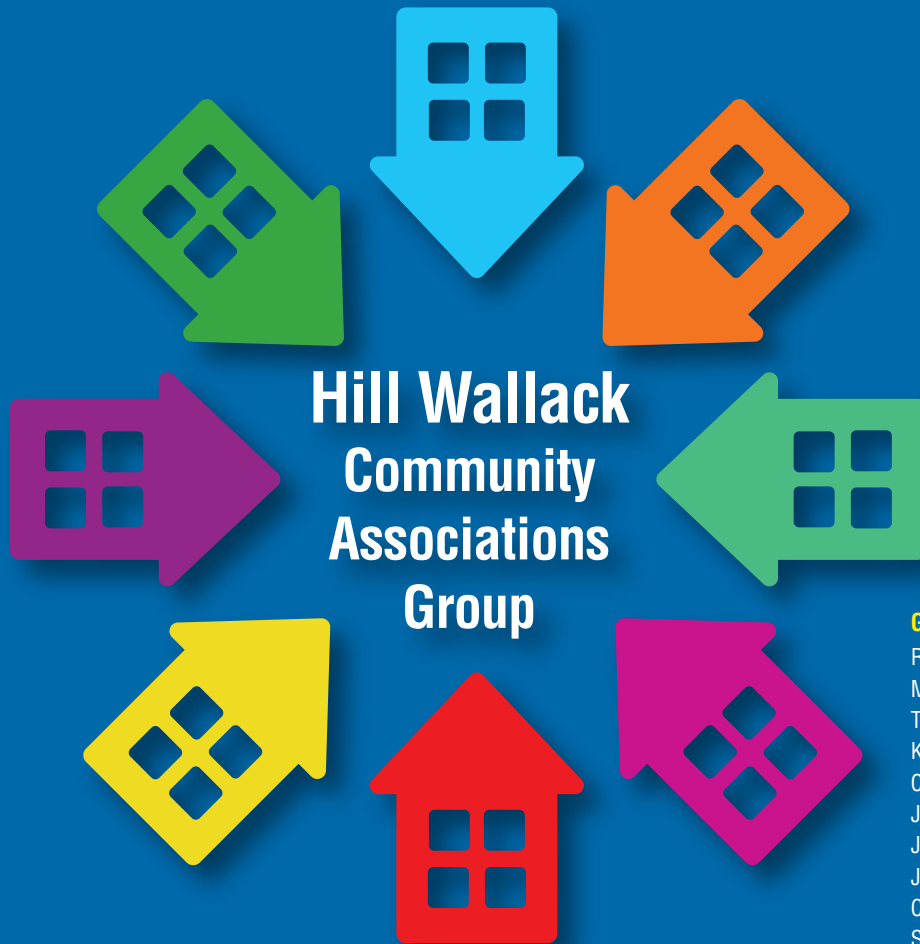
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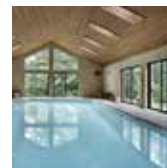


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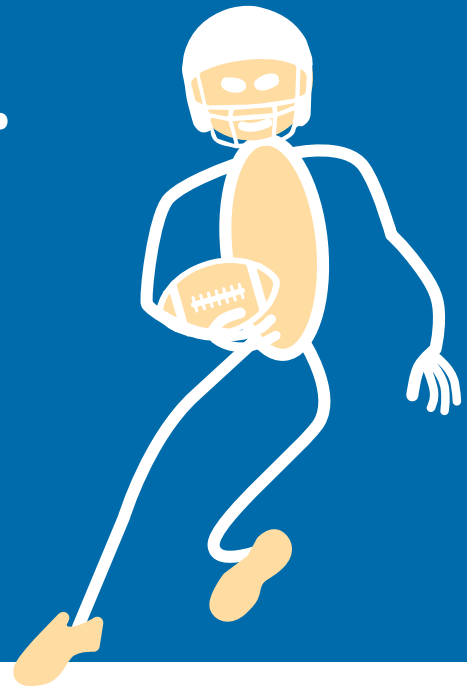


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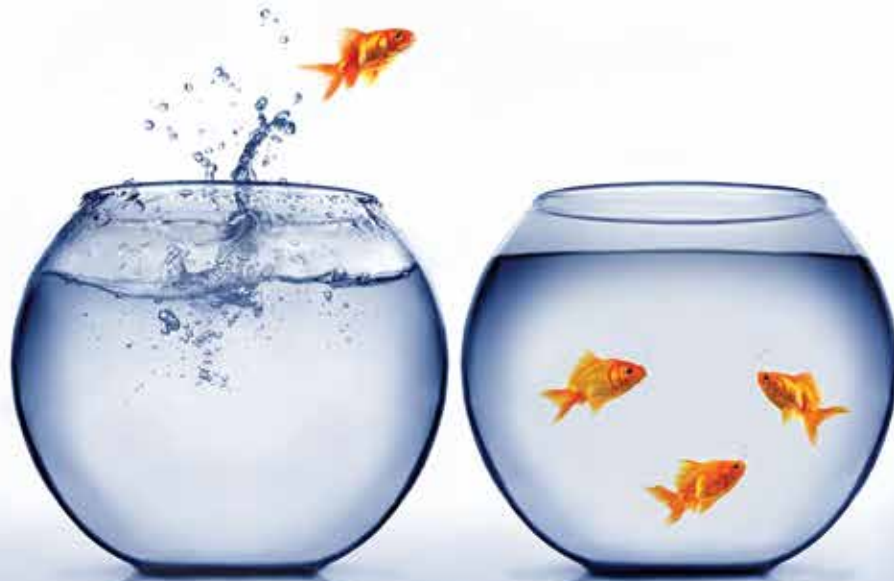
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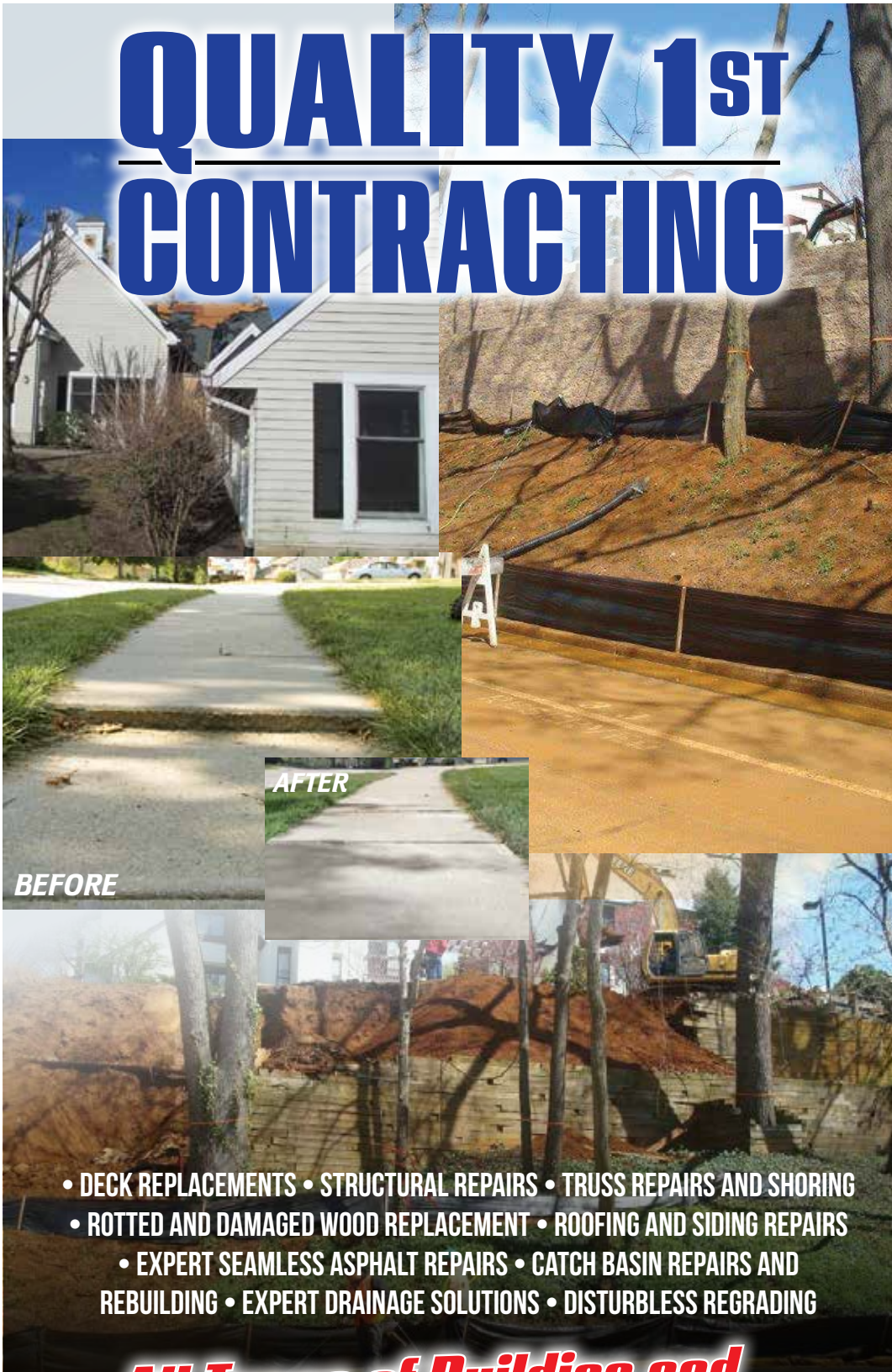
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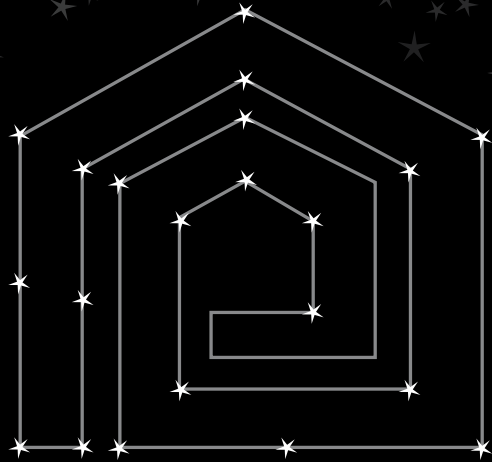












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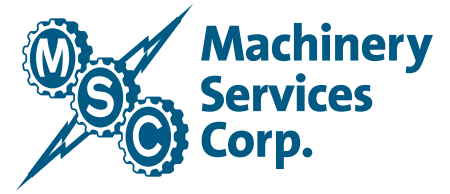
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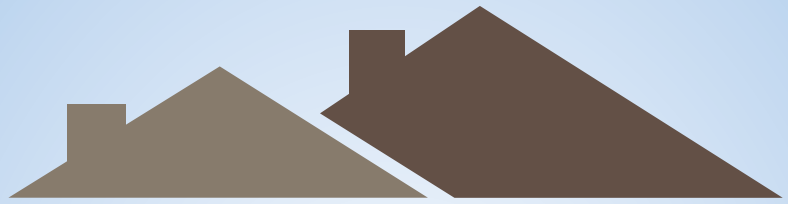
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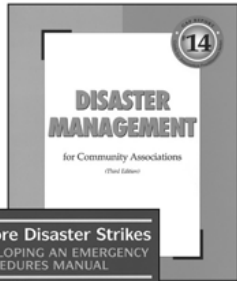
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