

## **Why Join a Construction Association?**

No matter whether you are in the industrial, commercial or institutional (ICI) sector, road building sector or residential sector there is a construction association for you. Not only do associations lobby for industry improvements, which you benefit from whether or not you are a member, they also supply a level of support that cannot be found elsewhere.

For those in the ICI sector you become a member of both the Construction Association of New Brunswick and the Canadian Construction Association by joining one of the following associations:

- The Moncton Northeast Construction Association
- The Saint John Construction Information Centre
- The Fredericton Northwest Construction Association
- The Electrical Contractors Association of NB
- The Mechanical Contractors Association of NB
- The New Brunswick Roofing Contractors Association

In total the member associations have some 600 member contractors and suppliers benefiting from their services and products.

New construction firms get the greatest benefits by joining an association. They can save themselves hours of work and countless mistakes by accessing the many support materials available at the associations. These include items like standard contract documents and guidelines for everything from construction insurance to waste management. All of these documents have been reviewed by legal experts and have become industry standards.

The construction association's most valuable asset to contractors is their information system and their ability to access the plans and specifications for most government work and a number of private projects. The associations notify their members of the projects out for tender, who was awarded which job and when the tenders on future projects are closing. This is done on a weekly bases and faxed to members.

The Saint John, Moncton and Fredericton associations also offer one of the most advanced and user friendly electronic plansrooms in all of Canada. No longer do their members have to travel to the association to view the plans and specifications in order to prepare their quotes, they simply go on-line. For those who still prefer the hardcopy these are available for viewing at the associations on a 24/7 basis. The associations also offer the large format printing required to produce blue prints of all sizes, so if you wish to take a copy with you it is no problem.

The networking opportunities are another asset of the associations, whether it's a golf tournament, curling bonspiel, quarterly dinner or another special event. The contractors you meet at these events can help you immeasurably. Not only may

they future partners on projects, but they may also plan a significant role in mentoring you through that initial critical period faced by all start up companies.

Finally, the associations play a role in providing learning opportunities through seminars, dinner speakers, conferences and most importantly the Gold Seal Certification program. The Gold Seal program is the only one in Canada designed specifically to acknowledge the skills, experience and training of construction management. It actually began in New Brunswick, was adopted nationally by the Canadian Construction Association and is now considered an industry standard. In fact, the provincial department of Supply & Services uses Gold Seal as a qualifier for those firms wishing to work on their larger projects.

If you have wondered about joining an association, now is a great time to explore the benefits. Most associations have special introductory packages or fall rates which will soon come into effect. For some new members the discount programs including hotel, car rental and insurance can save them the cost of a membership.



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**Fee Structure, Full Dues:**

Contractors (Generals and Trade) Manufacturing and Supply (Firms that Manufacture or Supply) ..... \$1000.00  
 Associate (architectural, Consulting Engineering, Insurance, Banks. That doesn't include plans room benefits) ..... \$425.00

NOTE: HST is not included in the above fees and must therefore be added accordingly.

Dues will be rated as follows for FIRST TIME members ONLY who have not belonged to either MNECA or Saint John. (Does not include Associate membership)

√If you join after June 2011. .... We will prorate the remaining months.

Name of Firm: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Type of Business: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_  
 President: \_\_\_\_\_ Established: \_\_\_\_\_

Applying for membership under section: General Contractor \_\_\_\_\_  
 Trade Contractor \_\_\_\_\_  
 Manufacturing and/or Supply \_\_\_\_\_  
 Associate \_\_\_\_\_

I (we hereby apply for membership with the Fredericton Northwest Construction Association with all rights and privileges thereto, and if accepted to confirm to the constitution of said Association, and to the Bylaws enacted or to be enacted, for the Governance of its members

**PROJECT NEWS**

Membership in the Fredericton Northwest Construction Association allows your firm to receive ONE COPY of the weekly bulletin containing a comprehensive list of contracts out for tender in the Atlantic Provinces.

Attached is a cheque for \$ \_\_\_\_\_ covering dues for the current year as per the above schedule.

Signed \_\_\_\_\_ Dated \_\_\_\_\_

**SUBJECT TO APPROVAL OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS 5-7 BUSINESS DAYS!**

# FREDERICTON NORTHWEST CONSTRUCTION ASSOCIATION MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

## BUSINESS CONTACT INFORMATION

Contact Name & Title:

Company name:

Phone:

Fax:

E-mail:

Registered company address:

City:

Prov:

Pos. Code:

Date business commenced:

Sole proprietorship:

Partnership:

Corporation:

Other:

## BUSINESS AND CREDIT INFORMATION

Primary business address:

City:

Prov:

Pos. Code:

How long at current address?

Telephone:

Fax:

E-mail:

Bank name:

Bank address:

Phone:

City:

Prov:

Pos. Code:

## BUSINESS/TRADE REFERENCES

Company name:

Address:

City:

Prov:

Pos. Code:

Phone:

Fax:

E-mail:

Type of account:

Company name:

Address:

City:

Prov:

Pos. Code:

Phone:

Fax:

E-mail:

Type of account:

Company name:

Address:

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Phone:

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Type of account:

## AGREEMENT

1. All invoices are to be paid 30 days from the date of the invoice or a 2%/mth charge will apply.
2. Claims arising from invoices must be made within seven working days.
3. By submitting this application, you authorize FNWCA to make inquiries into the banking and business/trade references that you have supplied.

## SIGNATURES

Title:

Title:

Date:

Date:



**Construction Association of New Brunswick  
Directory Classifications**

Please complete the following form and return to your local association. This information is required to keep our membership database up to date and will be used for your firm's listing in the annual CANB Directory.

Company Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Company Representative: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_ Tel# \_\_\_\_\_ Fax# \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Website: \_\_\_\_\_

Listed below are several broad classification into which members firms can be categorized. Please put an X beside the appropriate classifications which best describe your firm. It is important that you be listed correctly in the directory.

- A Air Conditioning - and Refrigeration
- AB Air Balancing and Controls
- C Carpentry, Cabinets and Furniture
- CF Concrete and Formwork
- DC Data Cabling and Communications
- E Electrical
- F Flooring
- FL Fencing and Landscaping
- G General Contractors and Project Managers
- GD Glazing and Door
- GI Gas Installation
- I Insulation and Asbestos Removal
- MS Masonry
- OT Other
- P Painting, Plastering, Drywall and Stucco
- PH Plumbing, Heating
- PI Process Piping
- R Roofing
- RB Roadbuilding, Demolition, Excavation and Paving
- RT Roof Trusses
- S Supplier and/or Manufacturer
- SC Speciality Contractors
- SP Sprinkler, Fire Proofing and Alarm
- SS Structural Steel, Fabricators and Welding
- V Ventilation
- W Waste Disposal Services
- WS Water and Sewer

Please check only the one that applies to your company.

\_\_\_\_\_ Associate      \_\_\_\_\_ Trades      \_\_\_\_\_ General      \_\_\_\_\_ Supplier