



Underground Contractors Association of Mid Florida

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UCA Mid Florida - At A Glance

Founded in 1978 as the Mid Florida Utility Contractors Association (Mid Florida UCA), we are a chapter of the **National Utility Contractors Association (NUCA)**, and the **Underground Contractors Association of Florida (UCAF)**. The chapter's mission is to promote the underground utility industry, increase the awareness of constantly changing rules and regulations and to promote safety in the workplace. Our goal is to provide a unified voice for heavy construction contractors. *We feel that together we can and will make a difference in the underground construction and roadbuilding industry.*

Just a Few of Our Membership Services

- Liaison with governmental agencies on a local, state and federal level.
- Keep abreast of changes and developments in the utility and transportation construction industry, and inform the membership of such changes and new developments.
- Assist members with Safety Programs and discounted Training Classes.
- Conduct informational and educational general membership meetings.
- Annual scholarships available for UCA Mid Florida and NUCA members.
- Free Safety video library.

Some of Our Recent Accomplishments and Goals

- Joined with UCA of South Florida, and Central Florida UTCA to form a state association – the **Underground Contractors Association of Florida**. This association focuses on providing effective representation for our members on a state-wide level. UCAF's Legislative Committee has been working to build valuable relationships with local, state and federal elected officials and educate them on our industry issues.
- Provided contractor members **Free Damage Claims Avoidance** consulting through NUCA.
- Continue to provide Competent Person Training, Confined Space Entry, Flagger, CPR/First Aid, and other Continuing **Education and Safety** courses as needed.
- Our association joined in a coalition to strenuously and successfully **Fight Amendment 4** (Hometown Democracy) an anti-growth amendment.
- Kept members informed on critical legislative issues affecting the industry such as the Stimulus Plan, Health Care Reform and the proposed Card Check legislation.
- Represent our local chapter at all UCA of Florida and NUCA meetings and events.
- Each year chapter members and staff travel to **Tallahassee** to meet with our Representatives and Senators to promote issues and legislation important to our industry – such as the Prompt Pay Bill, Competitive Bid law, and preservation of the State Transportation Trust Fund.
- Joined as partner members of other state construction associations including the ABC and FTBA.

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A Few More Accomplishments and Goals

- **Lobbied in Washington D.C.** for the reauthorization of the Clean Water Act which would provide funding to repair and rehabilitate water and wastewater facilities across the country. In 2010 we visited our legislators to promote Water Infrastructure Investment, Immigration Reform, Card Check Legislation, and Re-Authorization of the Clean Water Act.
- **In 2010 our chapter awarded \$7,000.00 in scholarships** to deserving children of UCA members, including graduating high school students and current college students.
- Popular **social events** including the Spring and Fall Golf Tournaments, Auction & Barbecue, Scholarship Night, and Holiday Party.
- Excellent **networking opportunities** for members.

UCA Mid Florida Membership Dues

Contractor Members: A Contractor Member is a person, partnership, joint venture, or corporation, actively engaged in the construction and/or rehabilitation of utility systems or roadways. Contractor Members are local, state and national members. Dues for Contractors are based on a tiered level:

<i>Less than \$2,000,000</i>	\$1050.00	<i>\$5,000,000 to \$10,000,000</i>	\$2025.00
<i>\$2,000,000 to \$5,000,000</i>	\$1775.00	<i>Over \$10,000,000</i>	\$2275.00

Associate Members: A person or company involved in the construction industry as a supplier of equipment, materials or services to the underground utility and roadbuilding contractors.

UCA Mid Florida Chapter Dues **\$ 350.00**

** Optional - *Dues for a UCA Mid Florida/NUCA Associate Member – based on a tiered level:*

<i>Less than \$2,000,000</i>	\$925.00	<i>Over \$10,000,000</i>	\$1325.00
<i>\$2,000,000 to \$10,000,000</i>	\$1125.00	<i>Multi-Chapter Member</i>	\$625.00

Sustaining Members: A company or person not directly related to the construction industry that supplies services or products to the underground utility industry. **\$ 400.00**

Company: _____

Main Contact Name/Title: _____

Address: _____

Phone/Fax: _____

E-mail/Website: _____

Recommended By: _____

Check Enclosed - or - **Send an Invoice**

Thank you for your support of UCA of Mid Florida!!

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