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**Chesapeake Shores
Chapter**

Merit Shop Contractors Recognized for Project Excellence & Safety

Annapolis, MD - The Chesapeake Shores Chapter of Associated Builders and Contractors (ABC) honored winners of our annual Excellence in Construction & Safety Awards on September 20th at The Hotel at Arundel Preserve in Hanover, MD.

The Excellence in Construction Awards recognizes outstanding construction projects completed by ABC Chesapeake Shores' member firms. The awards competition serves to raise the level of construction standards throughout the industry by recognizing the workmanship of those who contribute and by showcasing the results of their dedication.

The projects submitted in this year's awards competition consisted of specialty contracting and general contracting categories varying from electrical and mechanical to commercial, excavation/site work, historical restoration, residential, and more. Each submission was carefully assessed by a team of volunteer judges using rigorous criteria. Scores produced by the evaluations determined the projects Excellence or Merit status.

In addition, the awards banquet featured several top awards that the volunteer judges gave to companies that deserved a higher level of recognition. The prestigious Project of the Year was awarded to two outstanding companies – Gilbane Building Company won Project of the Year under \$100 Million for their work on Howard Community College Science Engineering & Technology Building and Allan Myers was awarded Project of the Year over \$100 Million for the Maryland 404 Dualization Design Build. Along with Project of the Year, ABC Chesapeake Shores honored Scaffold Resource, LLC with Specialty Contractor of the Year for the extreme complexity, uniqueness, attention to detail, and ingenuity on the HUD Building as well as the continued demonstration and implementation of safety on the jobsite.

The evening also honored Safety Award recipients for their participation in the Safety Training Evaluation Process (STEP) and Chapter Safety competition. These programs showcase companies within ABC that lead the industry in workplace safety by adhering to strict safety programming to ensure a cohesive safety culture.

See full list of all Excellence in Construction and Safety award winners below.

Photographs from the awards banquet are available courtesy of KRR Photography, Ltd. Please contact Amy Thomas, Event and Marketing Manager, ABC Chesapeake Shores at 410-267-0347 or athomas@abc-chesapeake.org.

2018 Excellence in Construction Award Winners

Category Name	Award	Company Name	Project Title
Electrical Commercial \$2 to \$10 Million	Excellence Award	Nickle Electrical Companies	West Salisbury Elementary School
	Merit Award	Colonial Electric Co., Inc.	Brightview Annapolis
	Merit Award	Bausum & Duckett Electric, LLC	The Wharf Parcel 5 Hilton Canopy Hyatt Place
Mechanical Commercial \$2 to \$10 Million	Excellence Award	Shapiro & Duncan Mechanical, Inc.	United States Holocaust Museum Collections & Conservation Center
Other Specialty Construction Less than \$10 Million	Excellence Award	Scaffold Resource LLC	HUD Building
	Merit Award	Scaffold Resource LLC	Thurgood Marshall Federal Judiciary Building
Commercial Less than \$5 Million	Excellence Award	BuilderGuru Contracting, Inc.	Starbucks: 122 Main Street
Commercial \$5 to \$10 Million	Excellence Award	Willow Construction, LLC	Bayside Health & Aquatic Club
Excavation/Site work	Excellence Award	Reliable Contracting Co., Inc.	Maryland Live! Hotel & Roadway Site Work
Healthcare \$10 to \$25 Million	Excellence Award	Gilbane Building Company	Frederick Memorial Hospital James M. Stockman Cancer Institute
Healthcare \$25 to \$100 Million	Excellence Award	Harkins Builders, Inc.	Brightview Annapolis
Historical Restoration/Renovation Less than \$25 Million	Excellence Award	Shapiro & Duncan Mechanical, Inc.	Carnegie Institution of Science
Industrial \$25 to \$100 Million	Excellence Award	Coakley & Williams Construction, Inc.	Pepco Waterfront Substation
Institutional Less than \$5 Million	Excellence Award	Willow Construction, LLC	Temple B'Nai Israel
	Merit Award	Willow Construction, LLC	Berlin Police Department
Institutional \$10 to \$25 Million	Excellence Award	Spring Contracting Group	First Baptist Church of Glenarden Family Life Center
	Merit Award	Coakley & Williams Construction, Inc.	Prince George's Community College Culinary Arts Center
Institutional \$25 to \$100 Million	Excellence Award	Gilbane Building Company	Howard Community College Science, Engineering & Technology Building
	Merit Award	Coakley & Williams Construction, Inc.	The Gerald L. Boarman Discovery Center at Bullis School
Mega Projects All Projects Over \$100 Million	Excellence Award	Allan Myers	Maryland 404 Dualization Design Build
Other Construction Less than \$2 Million	Excellence Award	Reliable Contracting Co., Inc.	Annapolis Solar Park
Other Construction \$2 to \$100 Million	Excellence Award	Dissen & Juhn Company	Design/Build for Marina Replacement & Dredging
Renovation \$4 to 10 Million	Excellence Award	Harkins Builders, Inc.	Greenwood Village
Residential Multi Family	Excellence Award	Harkins Builders, Inc.	Homes on Johnsons Pond
Residential Single-family	Merit Award	W.M. Davis, Inc.	Singletree

Project of the Year over \$100 Million: Allan Myers; MD 404 Dualization Design Build

Project of the Year under \$100 Million: Gilbane Building Company; Howard Community College Science Engineering & Technology Building

Specialty Contractor of the Year: Scaffold Resource, LLC; HUD Building

Members Using Members: Reliable Contracting Co., Inc.; Maryland Live! Hotel & Roadway Site Work

Judges Citation: Shapiro & Duncan Mechanical, Inc.; Carnegie Institute of Science

Judges Citation: Reliable Contracting Co., Inc.; Annapolis Solar Park

**2018 Safety Award Winners
Safety Training Evaluation Process (STEP)**

Diamond	CIANBRO Gilbane Building Company Harkins Builders, Inc. Nickle Electrical Companies
Platinum	Allan Myers Annapolis Exteriors DW Masonry Delaware Elevator Ferguson Trenching Co., Inc. Scaffold Resource LLC
Gold	ADEX Electrical Bartley Corporation BGC/Gardiner & Gardiner Coakley & Williams Construction, Inc. FTC Aggregate Supply Reliable Contracting Co., Inc. Spring Contracting Wohlsen Construction
Silver	Bausum & Duckett Electric LLC Chaney Enterprises CMI General Contractors Inc. Coastal Heating & Air Conditioning Co., Inc. Colonial Electric Co., Inc David A. Bramble, Inc. L.R. Willson & Sons, Inc. Lywood Electric, Inc. Rommel Construction, LLC Shapiro & Duncan SMI Services Willow Construction LLC

Chapter Safety

<u>Specialty Trade</u> 320,000-499,99 man hours 80,000-159,999 man hours 40,000-79,999 man hours 0-39,999 man hours	Scaffold Resource LLC Bausum & Duckett Electric LLC Coastal Heating & Air Conditioning Co., Inc. Nickle Electrical Companies
<u>General Contractor</u> 500,000 or more man hours 160,000-319,000 man hours	Wohlsen Construction Coakley & Williams Construction, Inc.

Associated Builders and Contractors (ABC) is a national construction industry trade association representing nearly 21,000 chapter members. Founded on the merit shop philosophy, ABC and its 70 chapters help members develop people, win work and deliver that work safely, ethically, profitably and for the betterment of the communities in which ABC and its members work. ABC's membership represents all specialties within the U.S. construction industry and is comprised primarily of firms that perform work in the industrial and commercial sectors.

The Chesapeake Shores Chapter of ABC represents over 200 members within Anne Arundel County, Southern Maryland, and Eastern Shores of Maryland territories. For more information, visit our website at www.abc-chesapeake.org. Follow us on social media: Facebook @ABC Chesapeake Shores, Instagram @abcchesapeakeshores, Twitter @ABCChesapeake, LinkedIn @ABC Chesapeake Shores Chapter.