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104<sup>th</sup> Annual State Convention

# AGC of Iowa

January 14<sup>th</sup> & 15<sup>th</sup>, 2026

Holiday Inn Airport  
6111 Fleur Drive, Des Moines

# President's Message



To All Attendees:

Welcome to the 104<sup>th</sup> Annual AGC of Iowa Convention. Congratulations on making the right decision to attend this marquee event and I want to personally thank you for your involvement in our great industry.

This convention and the opportunities presented will help you and your business achieve more. In an era of more texting and social media, AGC presents this opportunity for members to get together in person. Our industry has many challenges in finding qualified workers, aggressive environmental and workplace regulations, and a changing membership demographic. There are many topics presented at this convention designed to help and inspire you.

The popular AGC of Iowa PAC Auction will once again be a highlight of the convention. AGC's success at the statehouse starts here with the PAC Auction. Please plan on attending the event for the benefit of this industry.

I, along with incoming President Kraig Kriegel, would like to welcome you to the 104<sup>th</sup> gathering of our industry. You have chosen to attend the premier event that AGC of Iowa works on all year. Have a great time!

Sincerely,  
Mark Freier  
Godbersen-Smith Construction Company  
2025 AGC of Iowa President

## Wednesday, January 14, 2026

**9:00 - 10:30 a.m. Board of Directors Meeting**

**11:00 - 1:50 p.m. Opening Welcome Luncheon & Recognition of Safety Excellence Awards**

*Lunch Sponsored by BITCO Insurance Companies and United Fire Group*

*Safety Excellence Awards Sponsored by Arthur J. Gallagher Risk Management Services, Inc.*



**"The No Fair Trust Methodology"-  
Lt. Jason O. Harris** *Speaker Sponsored  
by US Equipment Sales and Rental*

Lt. Col. (Ret.) Jason O. Harris is a decorated U.S. Air Force combat pilot, leadership advisor, and creator of the No Fail Trust® methodology. As a fourth-generation military member, Jason served (continuously) on

active duty and as a member of the Airforce Reserve Command from 2001-2023. With over 25 years of military and commercial aviation experience, including more than 2,000 combat hours and 470 combat sorties around the globe, Jason has led high-performing teams in the most demanding environments.

As a former Squadron Commander and U.S. Air Force Academy instructor, he developed a deep understanding of how trust, accountability, and empowerment drive mission success. Jason delivers dynamic keynotes and training programs that help organizations build cultures of commitment and resilience. His No Fail Trust® framework has been embraced by Fortune 500 companies such as Ford, Cisco, Lockheed Martin, and Caterpillar, equipping leaders to navigate uncertainty and lead with confidence.

**2:00 - 2:30 p.m. Division Breakout Sessions:**

Asphalt Associate PCC Paving Structures  
Specialty Surfacing Grading & Underground Utilities

**2:30 - 2:45 p.m. Resolutions Committee**

**2:45 - 3:30 p.m. Committee Meetings:**

PAC Committee  
Education & Workforce Development Comm.  
Environmental Committee  
Membership Committee  
Specifications Committee

**3:45 - 4:45 p.m. The 104<sup>th</sup> Annual  
Membership/Business Meeting**

**5:00 - 6:00 p.m. Hospitality Rooms Open**

**5:15 - 6:00 p.m. Board of Directors Photo and  
Individual Board Photos**

**6:00 p.m. Bar Open - Foyer**

**6:30 - 8:30 p.m. President's Banquet**

*Hall of Fame Induction Ceremony Sponsored by Altorfer Inc. and Ziegler CAT.*

*President's Banquet/Passing of the Gavel Sponsored by Bankers Trust; Boomerang Corp.; Construction Materials, Inc.; Flagger Pros USA; Godbersen-Smith Construction; Herberger Construction Co., Inc.; Murphy Tractor & Equipment Co, Inc.; Northland CDL; RTL Equipment, Inc; Star Equipment, Ltd. and Whitfield & Eddy Law*

*Evening Production Sponsored by Logan Contractors Supply, Inc. and Truck Center Companies*

*President's Banquet Bar Sponsored by L.G. Everist, Inc. and Tractics, Inc.*

**8:30 p.m. - Midnight**

**Hospitality Rooms Open**

**Thursday, January 15, 2026**

**8:30 - 9:45 a.m. Past Presidents/Leadership  
Academy Alumni, Students  
Breakfast & Member Recognition  
Awards Breakfast**

*Sponsored by Lube Tech & Partners*

All members welcome. This is a time to celebrate with your fellow members. Milestone business and membership anniversaries will be recognized, and members who have proven to be outstanding corporate citizens will be presented AGC Iowa's highest corporate recognition, the Bravo Award. Don't miss it.

*Breakfast Sponsored by McAninch, Inc.*

**AGC Iowa New Membership Contest Drawing**

*Prize donated by Jim Hawk Truck Trailers, Inc./Hawk Equipment*

**9:45-10:15 a.m. Morning Break**

**10:15-11:15 a.m. – Breakout Seminar – “Changes in college athletics and the Iowa Hawkeyes from the perspective of Iowa AD Beth Goetz” – Beth Goetz**



Beth Goetz has served as the Director of Athletics at the University of Iowa since January 2024, after fulfilling five months as the UI's interim director. She joined the Iowa athletics staff as Deputy Director of Athletics and Chief Operating Officer from 2022-2024. Prior to her time at University of Iowa, Goetz has worked in athletic leadership positions at Ball State University, University of Connecticut, University of Minnesota, Butler University and University of Missouri-St. Louis.

During her college career Goetz was an accomplished Division I student-athlete, playing soccer at Clemson University. She earned All-America recognition at Brevard College (N.C.), where she was inducted into the college's Hall of Fame in 2017. Goetz earned an associate of arts degree from Brevard in 1994 and a Bachelor of Arts degree from Clemson in 1996. She earned her master's degree from the University of Missouri-St. Louis in 2000. Under her leadership, several teams and student-athletes have enjoyed athletics and academic success. Goetz will give an overview of college athletics and the Hawkeyes.

**Please visit our Exhibit Booths in the Ballroom Foyer**

*Booth exhibitors are: CSSI (Construction Safety Specialists – MBI); Coleman Moore, Foundry Distilling Co.; Jim Hawk Truck, Inc./Hawk Equipment; Kustom Truck & Tire; Lube-Tech; Midwest Peterbilt Group; and RW Engineering & Surveying*

**10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. Spouse Activity**

Join us for an unforgettable Spouse Day!

We have an exciting lineup of activities planned this year, starting with a hands-on workshop where you'll create your very own custom wooden charcuterie board. Once your masterpiece is complete, enjoy a special presentation from Delania Halter of Dirt Haven Acres, who will share expert tips and creative ideas for designing a fun, memorable charcuterie spread - perfect for your next gathering.

To top it all off, Illie & Co. Boutique will be on-site with fabulous shopping and styling options!

We can't wait to see you there!

**Mark your reservation on the Registration Form.**

*Spouse activities are sponsored by Altorfer, Inc.; Arthur J. Gallagher; Flagger Pros USA; Graves Construction; Hi-Way Products; Holmes Murphy & Associates, LLC; JMT Trucking Company; Peterson Contractors, Inc.*

**11:15 -11:45 a.m. Legislative Leaders Preview**

Scott Newhard, VP for Public Affairs, Moderator - A panel of legislative leaders will preview what is on the immediate horizon in Iowa politics.

**Noon-1:45 p.m. Legislative Luncheon**

*Sponsored by Concrete Pipe Association of Iowa*

**Breakout Seminars**

**2:00 – 2:45 p.m. Session #1 “Beyond the 5-Year Plan”**  
– Stu Anderson, IDOT

**2:00 – 2:45 p.m. Session #2 “-Information Session on Updated Version of Bidx”** - Representative from Infotec

**2:45 – 3:30 p.m. Session #3 “DBE – Trucking & Spec Update”** – Niki Rainey, IDOT Civil Rights Compliance Officer

**2:45 – 3:30 p.m. Session #4 “Telematics & Dashcam Risk Management”** – Steve Duff, Holmes Murphy & Associates, LLC

**5:00 – 8:30 p.m. Michael J. Manatt Memorial PAC Auction** - HOUSBY Auctioneers

*PAC Auction Bar sponsored by Merchants Bonding & Midstates Precast Products Inc.*

**8:30 - 9:30 p.m. PAC Buffet**

*Sponsored by Capital City Equipment Company; Commercial Supply Co., EMC Insurance; Hawkeye Truck Equipment; Lyman-Richey Sand Gravel Co. and Wells Fargo Advisors*

**9:30 p.m. - Midnight Hospitality Rooms Open**

**All auction packages need to be picked up the night of the PAC auction or by Friday, January 16, by 9:30 am.**

## General Information

### Registration Fees

**An advance registration discount is available until December 31, 2025.** All other pre-registrations must be received by January 7, 2026, for convention attendance. Registration fees include all scheduled meal functions, breaks and materials. Beverage tickets will be included for those registering for the Wednesday President's Reception/Banquet and Thursday PAC Auction.

### New Member Special

AGC Iowa is pleased to offer one free individual and one free spouse/guest convention registration to new members who have joined AGC Iowa after January 2025. Take part in the annual convention experience that current members enjoy year after year by marking the New Member box on the Registration Form. Applications for membership may be obtained by calling the AGC Iowa office at 800-728-2424 or (515) 283-2424

### AGC Iowa Foundation

Fifteen dollars of your registration fee helps support the AGC Iowa Foundation. A strong AGC Iowa Foundation will help sustain Iowans' commitment to and investment in public infrastructure – which will result in a stronger economy, stronger communities, and higher quality of life for Iowans. Contributions of \$1000 or more qualify for Road Scholar status. Donors will be recognized at the convention with a "Foundation Donor" ribbon.

### Student Attendees

It's always been AGC Iowa's policy that students enrolled in post-secondary construction curriculums at Iowa colleges and universities will be provided a full complimentary registration courtesy of the AGC Iowa membership.

### Hotel Accommodations

Reservations should be made directly to the hotels:

- Holiday Inn Airport - 515-287-2400.
- Hampton Inn Airport - 515-287-7300
- Days Inn Airport - 515-256-0603
- Clarion by Choice Hotel – 515-287-6464
- Fairfield Inn – 515-309-4444
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*Please duplicate this form for additional registrations.*

**MEMBER REGISTRATION**

Are you a P.E.?  Yes  No

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

Company \_\_\_\_\_

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City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Office Telephone \_\_\_\_\_ Fax \_\_\_\_\_

**SPOUSE REGISTRATION**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

**Will Spouse attend Thursday Spouse Activities? .....  Yes  No**

Do you have any food allergies? \_\_\_\_\_

Attendance Options ↓	INDIVIDUAL		SPOUSE	
	Advance Registration	After 12/31/25	Advance Registration	After 12/31/25
<b>Full Convention</b>	<sup>1</sup> <input type="checkbox"/> \$320	<sup>2</sup> <input type="checkbox"/> \$365	<sup>15</sup> <input type="checkbox"/> \$265	<sup>16</sup> <input type="checkbox"/> \$290
Wednesday Only	<sup>3</sup> <input type="checkbox"/> \$240	<sup>4</sup> <input type="checkbox"/> \$260	<sup>17</sup> <input type="checkbox"/> \$190	<sup>18</sup> <input type="checkbox"/> \$210
Thursday Only (includes PAC Auction)	<sup>7</sup> <input type="checkbox"/> \$250	<sup>8</sup> <input type="checkbox"/> \$270	<sup>21</sup> <input type="checkbox"/> \$200	<sup>22</sup> <input type="checkbox"/> \$220
Sub Total	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____

Foundation Donation	Please accept my annual Foundation Campaign Contribution: \$50 _____ \$75 _____ \$100 _____ \$500 _____ Other \$ _____ \$ _____
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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> New Member	I am a new AGC Iowa member in 2025. Please credit my registration fee. (Limit one individual & one spouse/guest per firm) (\$ _____)
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 If you require special assistance please call 515-283-2424.

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Cancellations will be refunded if requested by December 19, 2025.

No refunds will be issued for cancellations after that date. Substitutions will be allowed.

**Discounted Registration Deadline: December 31, 2025**

<p><b>PLEASE Register Online www.agcia.org</b></p>
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