**PROJECT NEWS** 

# **Chapman Construction Group Completes Wastewater Treatment** Facility Pump Stations at Cape Cod Community College, Barnstable and Wheaton College, Norton

## NECA Contractor also in progress with Town of Barnstable Water Pollution Control Facility upgrades

SANDWICH, MA - As towns and cities throughout Massachusetts in the Bay State over the past regularly upgrade wastewater treatment facilities to ensure

The Town of Barnstable pump station generator, power distribution and control house at Cape Cod Community College.

optimal operations and capacities, Chapman Construction Group, Inc. (CCGI), a Sandwich, Massachusetts based WBE, DBE and Veteran-owned certified, NECA contractor, has expanded its focus in the wastewater purification market. Chapman has completed a number of projects for the MWRA and municipalities several years, including recently completed wastewater pump

> station projects in the towns of Barnstable and Norton.

Cape Cod Community College Campus-Wide Pump **Station Sewage** Disposal Upgrade

BARNSTABLE, MA -Chapman Construction Group has recently completed comprehensive electrical construction, including back-up power and controls, for two new water treatment pump sta-

tions located on the Cape Cod Community College campus in Barnstable. Company principal and Project Manager Vicki Chapman and Foreman Carol Crowley supervised the fasttrack, three-and-a-half month project with a field crew of four IBEW electricians. CCGI handled the project while the college was in session and the contractor undertook necessary protocol to assure vehicle and student traffic was not impacted.

#### **The Norton Town Center Sewer Project on Wheaton College Campus**

NORTON, MA - Chapman Construction Group also has completed the installation of all electrical systems as well as a 100kw emergency power generator and SCADA system for the Town of Norton, MA pump station project on the Wheaton College campus. The project was headed by Project Manager Mark Czerwinski and Foreman John O'Connell.

**Chapman Construction Group In Progress with Town of Barnstable Water Pollution Control Facility** 

BARNSTABLE, MA - The NECA contractor has been awarded and is underway with the installation of all electrical systems associated with upgrades to the primary and secondary water clarifiers for the Town of Barnstable Water Pollution Control Facility. The CCGI project is being managed by PM Mark Czerwinski and Foreman Carol Crowley with a crew of IBEW electricians.

Vicki Chapman, a 30-year member of Local 103 IBEW



The water clarifier system project for the Town of Barnstable Water Pollution Control facility is underway.

and president of Chapman Construction, spoke of the firm's expertise and current work in the water purification market. "The installation of pump stations and related water treatment facility systems requires hands-on knowledge and experience with electrical instal-

> lations that power their operation as well as the integrated control systems. CCGI is pleased to have been called upon by the Towns of Barnstable and Norton to ensure their new and upgraded water purification facilities are installed and operate properly. Up-to-date, properly functioning wastewater treatment facilities are critical to all Bay State residents, to our waterways, and the environment." Chapman has been a member of NECA Boston for eight years, having joined the Chapter in 2009.

#### **LEGISLATIVE NEWS**

## **NECA Boston Members Advocate for Key Issues at NECA 2017 National Legislative Conference**

#### Infrastructure spending at top of agenda



WASHINGTON, D.C. - Eight members of the Boston Chapter, National Electrical Contractors Association (NECA), represented the electrical industry for the state of Massachusetts at the 2017

National Legislative Conference Washington, D.C. from April 27-28.

The two-day event is the premiere legislative conference for electrical contractors to hear about the top issues affecting the industry and meet Congressional leadwho are work-

ing to provide vital solutions.

NECA Boston was represented at the conference by: Dan Venezia, T&T Electrical Contractors, Inc., Michael McDonald, McDonald Electrical Corp., Joe Bodio, LAN- TEL Communications, Kathleen Guinee, Aetna Fire Alarm Service Co., Inc., Matt Guarracinno, JM Electrical Company, John Rudicus, Sullivan & McLaughlin Companies, Joseph McCluskey, Jr., E.G. Sawyer Co., Sue Mailman, Coghlin Electrical Contractors, Inc., Michael Bergan, Beacon Strategies Group, and Kristen Gowin, Assistant Manager NECA Boston Chapter.

The NECA contractors met ith members of Massachusetts Congressional delegation to discuss local jobs, infrastructure investment, modernization of the multiemployer pension plan system, and other issues impacting the industry in the



NECA Boston Chapter representatives with Massachusetts Senator Edward Markey.

Commonwealth. Meetings were held with U.S. Representatives: James P. McGovern, Joseph P. Kennedy, III, Katherine Clark, Michael E. Capuano, Stephen F. Lynch, and William R. Keating; and also with Senator Edward Markey.



## NECA Boston holds Change Order Management Workshop

WEST NEWTON, MA – NECA Boston Chapter hosted a Change Order Management Workshop on May 3, 2017 at the Boston JATC in Dorchester. The management education course was attended by more than 25 project management professionals from nearly ten NECA Boston companies.

Today's modern construction project environment features complex systems and changes are inevitable. The NECA course focused on the effective management of change orders to enable project construction to remain as efficient as possible, and minimize the impact changes have on a project.

The workshop was taught by Awad Hanna, Ph.D., P.E., a Professor and Chair of the Construction Engineering and Management program at the University of Wisconsin-Madison, department of Civil and Environmental Engineering. A well-known expert in construction management to NECA Boston and throughout the U.S., Dr. Hanna has conducted numerous research studies for the Electrical Contracting Foundation and teaches multiple courses for NECA's Management Education Institute

NECA companies in attendance included McDonald Electrical, Ayer Electric, Gaston Electrical, E.G. Sawyer, Chapman Construction Group, Collins Electric, and Sullivan & McLaughlin (SullyMac).

#### **SAFETY NEWS**

### Three NECA Boston Member Firms Earn 2017 NECA Safety Achievement Awards

Aetna Fire Alarm Service, Mass Bay Electrical, Ayer Electric recognized for outstanding safety records

BETHESDA, MD - NECA Boston Chapter is proud to announce that three NECA Boston Chapter members have been recognized nationally for outstanding safety performance. On April 17, the National Electrical Contactors Association announced that Mass Bay Electical Corp. of East Boston, Aetna Fire Alarm Service, Inc., of Boston, and Ayer Electric, Inc. of Barrington, NH have been announced as recipients of both the 2017 NECA Safety Excellence and Zero Injury Achievement awards for NECA District 1.

NECA's Recognition of Safety Achievement program is an elite safety recognition program focused on recognizing thriving companies that excel in multiple areas of their safety and health programs. Awards are given to member companies that consistently have OSHA recordable injury and fatality rates at levels lower than the industry standard, and implement internal company safety practices above and beyond basic compliance.

The Zero-Injury Award recognizes those member-companies that have worked a full calendar year without recordable incidents.

The Safety Excellence Award is the association's premier recognition program, and acknowledges member-contractors safety performance. Winners are selected based on their comparison to BLS data and electrical contractors. This award considers five man-hour categories:

- 1 to 25,000 man-hours
- 25,001 to 50,000 man-hours
- 50,001 to 100,000 man-hours
- 100,001 to 150,000 man-hours over 150,001 man-hours

Mass Bay Electrical was one of only two contractors in the Northeast to have earned both safety awards based on 100,001 - 500,000 man-hours in 2016.

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