

# A MESSAGE FROM ECAM PRESIDENT- Terry Henry

## **December Board of Directors Meeting Highlights**

The ECAM Board of Directors is comprised of a cross section of Industry members; residential, industrial, commercial, urban and rural, sub-contractors, engineers and associate members. The Board meets monthly September through June and is served by standing committees, advisory councils and working groups.

#### **Apprenticeship - Supervisor 1:1 Ratio**

During the 2023 Provincial Election, then Candidate, Wab Kinew, announced the NDP's intent to restore the 1:1 Apprentice to Journeyperson Supervision ratio. In anticipation of Government considering such a change, the ECAM Board of Direction further considered the association's policy statement regarding Supervision Ratio. The amended statement reads, "ECAM recognizes the diversity of the Electrical Industry. The Association supports the current ratio as regulated."

#### TradeConnect 2024 - April 10th

Save the date for ECAM and MCAM's joint business conference. Join us for a day filled with inspiration, education, camaraderie, trade booths and a glimpse into the evolution of the trades. Featuring Keynotes from Jon Montgomery and Bill Ferreira. Early Bird Registration will open January 8th. Contact Executive Director, Ramona Coey to learn about sponsorship and workshop opportunities.

#### **Buy & Sell**

ECAM is planning to launch an exclusive platform for our members; providing a seamless way to buy and sell surplus stock. Stay tuned for more updates.

#### **Chat & Cheers - ECAM is Coming to Steinbach!**

ECAM is hitting the road to visit future and current ECAM members. Save the date for February 7th at the Public Brewhouse. Register HERE.

#### **SLED-ARAMA 2024**

"The Ride for Kids" is coming back February 16th, 2024, in the Whiteshell Provincial Park. Proceeds from the event go to the Make-A-Wish foundation. Register HERE.

## **February Lunch & Learns**

#### February 1, 2024 - Holiday Inn Express

• Government of Manitoba on Climate and Energy Initiatives

## February 22, 2024 - Holiday Inn Express

- Apprenticeship Manitoba on ACB Website School and Exam Readiness Tools
- Prompt Payment

Register **HERE**.

## **CECA** is Coming to Winnipeg

ECAM will be hosting CECA for a series of meetings in March, fostering discussions about the future of CECA and the role of ECAM.

## 2024 Events

Click <u>HERE</u> to have a look at the 2024 Calendar of events. This year at a glance provides members with an idea of upcoming opportunities to engage with the association.

## **Welcome New Members**

# **Hund Automation**

Hund offers end to end process control and automation solutions. They design develop and deploy with a commitment to operational security. See more about this new member HERE.

# Crane & Timber Inc.

Crane company providing high capacity, long reach articulating crane services for all of Manitoba, Northwestern Ontario, and beyond. See more about this new member HERE.



Terry Henry, ECAM President

Terry began his apprenticeship in 1970 as an electrician and only 8 years into his career founded Wescan Electrical. Since then, Wescan has grown into a dynamic, multifaceted company offering construction services such as mechanical, security, data communications, prefabrication, and CAD & BIM modelling. Terry has demonstrated his vision by implementing leading-edge industry technologies and building a strong team of highly skilled and experienced professionals.

Through his 52 years in the construction industry, Terry has been involved with some of Manitoba's most iconic buildings and infrastructures, such as the MTS Centre (Canada Life Centre), Canadian Museum for Human Rights, Manitoba Hydro Place, and True North Towers. Terry values giving back to the community through charity work, support groups and associations that contribute to excellence. Terry is a highly valued member of the Manitoba's Electrical Industry and in 2022 was elected as ECAM's President of the Board.