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## July 23, 2010

Montana Contractors' Association News

### Mark Your Calendar

Senator Baucus will be holding the 5th Montana Economic Development Summit September 13-14 in Butte. The purpose of the Summit is to discuss the mechanics of a healthy economic recovery and how to get workers back into good-paying jobs. Executive Director Cary Hegreberg was asked to participate in a panel discussion on transportation for the Summit.

Mark your calendar now, and we hope to see you there!

### Congress, Administration Assault Small Business With New Regs

Every week the AGC of America alerts us to hostile new regulations and restrictions being proposed by the Obama Administration or deliberated in Congress. We are watching onerous new OSHA/MSHA initiatives, sweeping expansions of EPA authority, "financial reforms" that will impact community

## Calendar

### July/August 2010

July 29

Bid-Letting

10:00 am, MDT

Helena

July 29

Lead Paint RRP

8:00 am, Red Lion

Helena

[Registration](#)

August 3

Lead Paint RRP

8:00, Red Lion

Helena

[Registration](#)

August 4

LEED GA

Online

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August 5

LEED AP+BDC

Online

[Registration](#)

August 12

Bid-Letting

10:00 am, MDT

Helena

August 26

Bid-Letting

10:00 am, MDT

Helena

banks and small businesses that depend on them, and a host of other issues. Important issues like infrastructure funding are not even on the back burner, they've been put on ice.

[Click here](#) for AGC's latest Legislative Update, which includes a button on the right column to subscribe.

## MCA In The News

Executive Director Cary Hegreberg was interviewed by local CBS affiliate KRTV out of Great Falls on Wednesday, and the segment was aired in the Great Falls and Helena markets. [Click here](#) to read the story and view the video.

## Deadlines Are Near For Summer Outing

Only 4 more days and the room block for the 2010 MCA Memorial Summer Outing will expire at the Billings Hotel & Convention Center. There are many activities scheduled in Billings during the same time as the MCA Summer Outing. Don't wait until the last moment; make sure you have a room reserved.

[Click here](#) to go directly to the online registration web site to register for the Summer Outing events and hotel.



### REMINDER! PAC Raffle Tickets Now on Sale!

**ROI. Return On Investment. PAC Raffle tickets are an investment in the future of the construction industry in Montana. Money raised through the sale of raffle tickets will be used to help elect pro-business/pro-construction legislators to Montana's 62nd Legislature.**

**On the flip side, during the MCA's Memorial Summer Outing in August, your raffle ticket investment could net you a \$3000 gift card for first place; a \$1500 gift card for second place, and a \$500 gift card for third place!**

**Invest in your future by contributing to the MCA Contractors' PAC. Get involved and join the elite PAC Builders' Club and help us make a positive difference. A personal contribution of \$300 will get you a book of 20 tickets and make you an "Apprentice" member of the PAC Builders' Club. A \$1000 contribution makes**

**you a "Journeyman" member. For a \$2500 contribution, you become a prestigious "Master Builder" member and for a \$5000 contribution you become a "Distinguished Master" member.**

**Call the MCA today to purchase your tickets!**