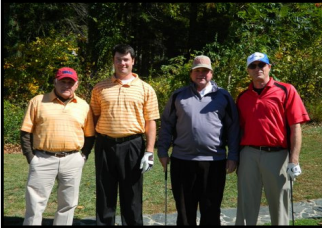




TOP 12 REASONS TO JOIN NUCA OF THE CAROLINAS



- **NUCA of the Carolinas is a Safety Culture.** We lead by example and maintain a close relationship with the NCDOL. We have a NCDOL, OSH Alliance and are a NCDOL Labor Law Compliance Partner.
- **NUCA of the Carolinas is a Spokesman for the Underground Utility Construction Industry.** We develop and maintain working relationships with members of the Executive, Legislative, and stand ready to engage the Judicial Branches of State Government for the collective benefit of our members.
- **NUCA of the Carolinas is engaged with other professional and trade organization that share common interests in our work and market niche.** We follow the actions of the NC One Call Center BOD, take part in the NC and joint NC/SC Utility Coordinating Committees, serve in the leadership of the NC Common Ground Alliance Regional Partnership, and through our Executive Director engage with other groups through the Association Executives of NC.
- **NUCA of the Carolinas is a great place to learn.** We produce Annual Spring & Fall Conferences, Safety Training Forums, Legislative briefings and other training events as needed.
- **NUCA of the Carolinas Recognizes Outstanding Safety Programs.** Our Annual Safety Program provides recognition to firms with outstanding safety records. Awards are presented at our Spring Conference.
- **NUCA of the Carolinas Assists Our Members in Finding Opportunities.** Our website, www.nucacarolinas.org and other networking efforts attracts requests for proposals which we alert our members to.

- **NUCA of the Carolinas IS a Great Means to Network and Advance the Capabilities of Your Firm and Your employees.** Ask any member of our Board and they will tell you the value that they have gotten from developing relationships with other contractors and suppliers through NUCA of the Carolinas. Networking during conferences, forums, training, and the annual NUCA Golf Tournament is perhaps our most valuable member benefit!
- **NUCA of the Carolinas IS a conduit for Information.** We publish *The Pipeline* newsletter sent to members as a PDF file to their e-mail address. The Pipeline along with periodic Legislative Alerts and Spigots keep our members informed on issues effecting our industry.
- **NUCA of the Carolinas IS an Active Participant in the Political Process.** Through our Political Action Committee (PAC) we connect with members of the General Assembly and Council of State and demonstrate our support for those who are in key positions to affect our industry.
- **NUCA of the Carolinas Recognizes the Valuable Contributions of Our Associate Members.** We award the Associate Member of the Year Award at our Fall Conference.
- **NUCA of the Carolinas Recognizes the Valuable Contributions of Individuals to Our Industry.** Each year we present the Ditch Digger of the Year Award at our Fall Conference.
- **NUCA of the Carolinas Supports Scholarships.** Through the Educational Foundation we provide academic scholarships to deserving young people.

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