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Advance the interests and prosperity of the union, its members, signatory employers, associations and Customers and End Users services in the industries encompassed by the jurisdiction of the International Association of the Heat and Frost Insulators and Asbestos (Allied) Workers

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The LMCT was originally set forth in the Labor-Management Cooperation Act of 1978. LMCT was established in 2007 where contributions started from contractors each hour worked of \$.05

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Areas of Advancement

- Political Action – Legislation, Political Action, Political Education
- Commerce - Developing Work Opportunities
- Contractor Development and Advancement
- End User / Client – Mechanical Insulation and Firestop Awareness
- Labor and Management have the same goals and need each other to cooperate
- Jobsite Leadership Training – “Treat each job as an opportunity for another.”

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Importance of Government Affairs

3 Major Areas

Legislation – Making laws – Mechanical Insulation opportunities

Political – People who make legislation – “Labor Friendly Politicians”

Communications – Educating Legislators and Politicians, your “Story”

Know your “Ask” !!!!

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Federal and/or State Legislative Priorities of the Insulators

Mechanical Insulation

Firestop

Asbestos Removal

Federal and /or Legislative Priorities of the Building Trades / Union Labor

- Infrastructure
- Energy
- Workplace Standards
- PLAs / Prevailing Wage
- Apprenticeships
- Safety

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Get Involved – It doesn't happen by itself

Outreach to any and all - Federal / State / Local:

- Building Trades Councils
- AFL-CIO Councils
- Organizations that support your cause
- Get to know politicians, make your presence know
- Political Action Committees – PAC Funds – be smart
- Build Relationships – It makes a difference – Be yourself

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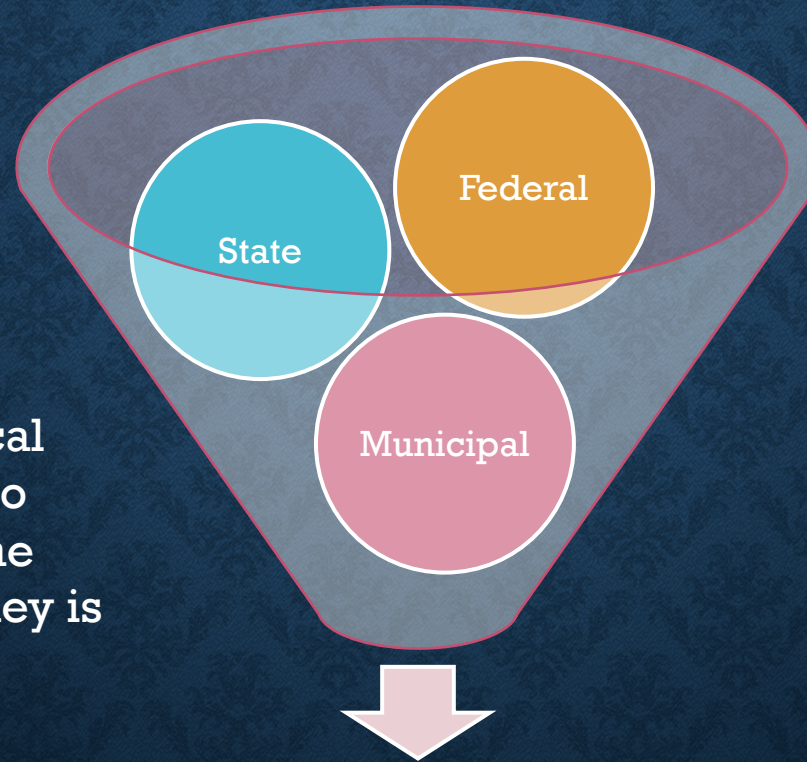
Activities – Involvement – Engagement

- Labor Walks – Phone Banks – Endorsement Letters
- Invite elected officials to your Hall Apprenticeship program
- Why do you want support?
 - Jobs for their constituents
 - Constituents = Votes

The political community and the labor community have similar needs, work together to achieve them.

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Political Activity falls into 3 Basic Categories that effect the end result of advancing Mechanical Insulation. It can get confusing so understand the differences and the purpose which includes how money is spent on a project agreement.



Mechanical Insulation
Opportunities

Federal Projects
State Projects
County Projects
Municipal Projects
Private Projects
(no government funding)

Right to Work
Prevailing Wage
Labor Agreements

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- Politicians
- School Boards
- Mechanical Contractors
- Building Owners / Managers
- State, City or Town Officials
- Developers
- Environmentalists
- Energy Conversation Opportunities
- Fire Department Inspectors
- Maintenance Projects
- Chemical Plants
- Power Plants
- Mills
- Factories / Manufactures

You may need to present information or educate someone about the benefits of Mechanical Insulation and/or Firestop.

LMCT can help with that !!

INSULATORS LMCT LABOR MANAGEMENT COOPERATIVE TRUST CAN PROVIDE

- Brochures / Folders
- Written Information / Case Studies
- Power Points – canned or customized
- Presentations
- Political Resources State or Federal
- Website is a resource

Always know who you
are speaking to ...
understand their
need or goals... it
dictates what
information you offer.

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LMCT website is a toolbox for you to use:

- **Explains Mechanical Insulation**
- **Explains Firestop**
- **Energy Audits**
- **Contractor Direct Access**
- **Videos / Downloads / Case Studies**
- **Political Activity – Federal and State Information**
- **Current news items and Press Releases**



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We work for you !

Need political assistance? We can help. We are a resource.

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You need the desire ...

We'll give you tools











2023 LEGISLATIVE CONFERENCE







- April 23 – April 26, 2023
- Federal legislation
- Creating relationships with your elected representatives
- Creating elected officials from the president to your congress people
- Hear from departments such as DOL and the DOT
- Hill visits scheduled by the LMCT
- www.nabtu.org/registration



















 

-  Bills
-  Documents
-  Officials
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-  Notes
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Favorites 

-  MD H.B.0388: Prevailing Wage – University System of... 
-  MD S.B.0314: Income Tax – Mechanical Insulation Ins... 

Recent Searches & Profiles 

-  MD H.B.0405: Income Tax – Mechanical Insulati...  
-  MD S.B.0421: Primary and Secondary Schools –...  
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-  MD H.B.0569: Energy Generation, Transmission,...  



State Legislative Tracking Board

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Mechanical Insulation

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State: NJ | Sponsor: | Status: Referred to Senate committee | Las
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Clean Energy

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- H.B. 894: Electricity and energy d...
State: VA | Sponsor: | Status: First Reading | Last Action: Feb
- H.B. 1301: Clean Energy and Co...
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- H.B. 1770: Strengthening Energy

Right to Work

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- H.B.1203: Labor and Employment ...
State: MD | Sponsor: | Status: First Reading | Last Action: Fel
- S.R.0026: Honoring Senator Phil ...
State: IN | Sponsor: | Status: Agreed To (Simple Resolution) | L
- H.B.2598: Labor - As introduced, c...
State: TN | Sponsor: | Status: Referred to House committee | L
- H.B. 1220: Right to work; repeals ...
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- S.B. 2538: Labor - As introduced, c...

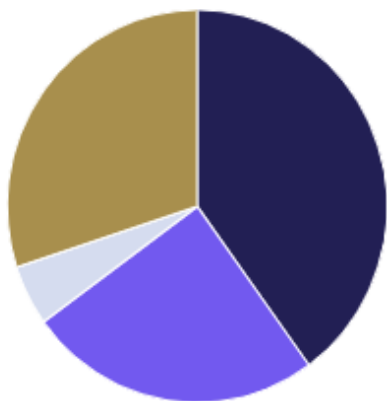
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Action Items for You:

State Legislati...

Key Stakehold...

Supported Bills by Status



Introduced Out of Committee Pas:

High Priority Opposed Bills

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S.2124: Establishes the "New Jersey Right to Work Act"; prohibits payroll deduction of unio...
 State: NJ | Sponsor: NJ Sen. Michael Doherty (R-NJ-023) | Status: Referred to Senate committee | Last Action: Mar 16th, 2020

A.416: Excludes certain public works contracts related to Hurricane Sandy recovery from...
 State: NJ | Sponsor: NJ Assemb. Gregory McGuckin (R-NJ-010) | Status: Referred to Assembly committee | Last Action: Jan 14th, 2020

2 Bills

Supported Bills

20/6
Filed / Enacted

Opposed Bills

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Filed / Enacted

All Notes on Tracked Bills

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Requires owners receiving certain tax credits for rehab or new build constructio...
 Date: Feb 10th, 2022 | Created by: ginawalsh

Hearing held 2/10/22 in Energy & Public Utilities Committee. Supporters Pat...
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hearing held on 02/9/22

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Bills by Issue



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