From Our President

Jacksonville**ChapterNews**

Delivering timely contract management news that matters to you

Greetings, NCMA Jacksonville Chapter!

First off, I would like to extend my gratitude to Roy Richardson for his presentation on the DOL Wage and Hour Workshop at the March luncheon. If you missed it or were unable to attended, Mr. Richardson provided valuable information for contractors looking to navigate SCA, Davis-Bacon, and Related Acts. If you are interested in learning more on this topic, Mr. Richardson will also be presenting at the Small Business Administration in Jacksonville on April 30th. To RSVP, contact <u>leticia.clark@sba.gov</u>.

I would also like to take this opportunity to encourage everyone to consider our upcoming programs for April and May. On April 18th, Crowley will be hosting a luncheon "The 10 featuring Worst Federal Contracting Mistakes," which will be presented by Jim Krause, Federal Contract Attorney. This promises to be a great occasion to get out of the office for what I am sure will be an entertaining discussion. On May 15th, the chapter will be hosting a "Reverse Trade Show" at UNF. This will be an excellent opportunity for Government and Industry to share capabilities and needs in a free form matchmaking environment. More details to follow.

Mike Groeger, CFCM President

Calendar

04/18/2019

10 Worst Federal Contracting Mistakes Jim Krause @ Crowley

05/15/2019

Reverse Trade Show @ UNF University Center

06/20/2019

Federal Enforcement Jim Krause @ NAS JAX

New Members

We'd like to welcome the newest members in the NCMA JAX chapter:

Donald Parrish

Member Milestones

Congratulations to our members celebrating NCMA membership anniversaries:

Shirley Courtney (8) Rachel Griner (8)

Tina Sarris (17)

Erica Jackson (5)

Bill Swan (38)

Susan Dela Cruz (8)

Wanda Wallace (2) Kim Plummer (7) Trey Tackling (2)

JAX Chapter to Elect 2019-2020 Officers

NCMA Program Year 2019-2020 will run July 1, 2019 through June 30, 2020. Elections will be conducted by voice vote at the April 18 workshop / meeting. The Nominations Committee proposes the following slate of officers for the coming year: President Mike Groeger, Vice President (Education / Certification) Wanda Wallace, Programs Chair Mike Scuteri, Membership Chair Bill Swan, Secretary Rozina Mehertu, and Treasurer Calvin Caldwell. Directors-at-Large and other committee chairs will be appointed by the President prior to their formal installation at the June meeting. All current NCMA members assigned to JAX Chapter are encouraged to attend the April meeting and support new chapter leaders.

Are You Ready for CMLDP?

The NCMA Contract Management Leader Development Program (CMLDP) prepares highly qualified contract management candidates to assume leadership roles in their professional careers and with their local NCMA chapters. Participants receive, without charge, approximately 160 hours of top-quality education during this 10-month program in leadership, volunteerism, and governance. The selection process is extremely competitive with less than ten percent of all applicants actually selected.

Applications will be accepted from **April 4** through **June 12** with initial screening beginning shortly thereafter. Applicants selected for second round interviews will be notified in early July with on-line interviews in August 2019. Final selections will be announced in early September and actual classwork will start in late September or early October. Click <u>HERE</u>to review the entire CMLDP program and download the application. JAX Chapter currently has one CMLDP participant and two graduates of this prestigious

program. Interested members may contact Director-at-Large Wanda Wallace at <u>wwallace@mmcor.com</u>, President Mike Groeger at <u>mgroeger@lsijax.com</u>, or VP (Education / Certification) Bill Swan at <u>twoswans911@comcast.net</u> for more information.

NCMA Early Membership Renewal Savings

NCMA Headquarters now offers a \$15 discount for any member who renews **two months ahead** of their regular renewal date. For example, if your membership renewal date is May 31, 2019, you can claim your early renewal discount if/when you renew **between March 1**, **2019 but not later than March 31, 2019**. Because of temporary technical issues, this discount is NOT currently available if you use the on-line system. However, if you call Member Services at 800-344-8096 X 4 to talk with a "real" person, you can complete the transaction in less than five minutes and save \$15 on your renewal.

Even though NCMA HQ currently sends e-mail renewal reminders, your JAX Chapter will start sending renewal reminders **three months ahead** that explain the savings procedures.