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*Our mission is to develop and implement strategies that promote **career development** and **training opportunities** for a well-trained construction workforce in Pierce County.*



Mission & Vision

In 2002, Tacoma-Pierce County Workforce Development Council created a business led, sector-specific Construction Council. The Pierce County Construction Partnership (PCCP) works on behalf of and reports to the Workforce Development Council (WDC). Since that time, PCCP has marshaled over \$2 million in resources to implement the partnership's goals:

- **Develop and maintain** a private and public partnership to respond to construction industry's workforce needs
- **Increase the pool** of skilled construction professionals
- **Increase training** capacity at all levels via traditional and innovative training mechanisms
- **Enhance retention** within the construction industry
- **Provide information** that enables the educational community to keep construction related curriculum relevant and current
- **Create and maintain awareness** to a diverse audience of what occupations and careers are available in the industry

Industry Involvement

The Construction Partnership thrives on the commitment of its members. Working strategically, members drive the focus and direction of the Partnership activities to further opportunities within the County.

Community Connections

PCCP is involved in activities throughout Pierce County. Whether assisting organizations or participating in forums, our members actively promote the construction industry.

Program Support

Recognizing the importance of students, the Construction Partnership assists schools in Pierce County. The industry supports programs which bring exposure to the range of career options.

Opportunities Explored

PCCP works with the industry to create opportunities. Designing programs for current construction professionals and for young adults, the Partnership explores new training.

Resources Available

Bringing information about the Industry to the public, PCCP provides resources to raise awareness about the variety of occupations and available training and education choices.



Construction Career Day



Construction Career Days are offered to high school youth in order to broaden students' knowledge about the construction industry and its multifaceted opportunities in building, equipment, design and engineering.

Business owners and construction stakeholders are encouraged to support this event through sponsorship, which provides company exposure and makes an important impact on local students, administrators, legislators and the construction industry as a whole.

PCCP Membership

As a member of the Partnership, you can enjoy the following benefits:

- A full-time **Partnership Coordinator** dedicated to addressing members' workforce development challenges.
- Access to **worker training funding** and career development workshops.
- Receive current regional **economic and industry data**.
- **Network** with a wide range of industry, education and community leaders.
- Specialized **recruiting and retention services** through Business Services.

