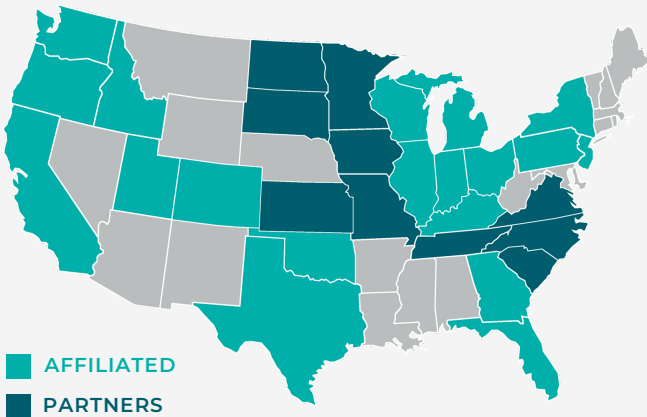


YOUR DOLLARS AT WORK

DONATIONS TO THE ACPA RESEARCH & EDUCATION FOUNDATION HELP PROMOTE, PROTECT, AND ADVANCE THE CONCRETE PIPE INDUSTRY.



STRONGER TOGETHER

Working and collaborating with a growing number of concrete pipe and precast associations across the country allows the ACPA to build a unified front against the competition. [Aligning local initiatives](#) with the national association [strengthens our collective efforts](#) through unification, messaging, and resource allocation.

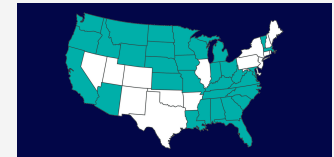
CONCRETE PIPE WEEK

Build for the future. Build with concrete.

Concrete Pipe Week is a time when the industry comes together to celebrate the impact concrete pipe has on the communities it helps build. State governments recognize its contributions through proclamations and by sending elected officials to one of the many tours being put on throughout the country.



32
STATE PROCLAMATIONS




594
VIRTUAL TOUR REGISTRANTS



2300+
WEBINAR REGISTRANTS



LEADING WITH SUSTAINABILITY

The industry is evolving. We are, too. Facing new environmental regulations, the ACPA is taking the leading role to show our products as the most resilient and sustainable products available. With the creation of a [new brand](#) that better reflects our sustainability, the development of [new materials](#), [website](#), and [trainings](#) to support our stakeholders, and the formation of a [new Sustainability, Resilience, and Environmental Leadership Committee](#), the ACPA is helping positioning our members and their products as the market's sustainable product of choice.



AN ENGINEER'S RIGHT TO CHOOSE



47
OPEN COMPETITION
BILLS DEFEATED

In recent years, proponents of so-called "open competition" legislation have tried to convince elected officials to add preferential language into legislation. This language forces states to spend precious resources justifying the use of concrete pipe materials. Open competition legislation strips the local engineer of the right to choose the best material for the project. [The ACPA is undefeated in blocking these attempts.](#)

INDUSTRY ADVOCACY

Through its members, staff, and lobbyists, the ACPA continues to grow its advocacy efforts at the state and national level. Whether is it corralling the members to write letters to **amplify the impact of Buy America** the Office of Management & Budget (OMB), **engage with legislators** on Capitol Hill, or **grow the PAC**, the ACPA keeps a close eye on Washington to ensure our industry and our members' best interest are represented.

150 LETTERS SENT FROM ACPA MEMBERS TO OMB

10 ACPA TEAM MEMBERS AT WASHINGTON BRIEFING

0 OPEN COMPETITION BILLS LOST

MARKET OUTREACH

The ACPA continues to find **new and unique ways to reach target audiences** ranging from members, to transportation agencies, to consultants, contractors, and engineers. As the world continues to evolve, so will the ACPA's use of both in-person and virtual events.



WORKSHOPS



MEMBER TRAINING



CONTRACTOR TRAINING



WEBINARS

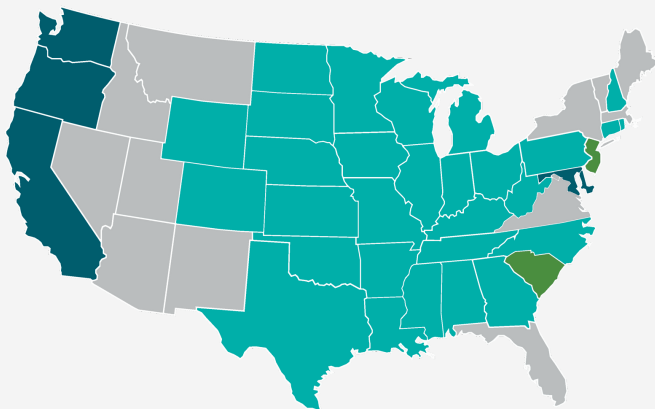


ON-DEMAND LEARNING



PIPE SCHOOL

FOCUS: HIGH RISK ROADWAYS + EVACUATION ROUTES



STATES WITH FLEXIBLE PIPE LIMITATIONS



The ACPA's Regional Engineers and State Directors continue to work towards **changing and influencing state and local specifications for high-risk roadways and evacuation routes**.

Momentum continues to pick up along the East Coast as key states NJ and SC have incorporated evacuation route language with DE and MD right behind. Out west, CA, WA, and OR are taking the necessary steps towards turning the legislation favorable to the limitation of plastic pipe in evacuation areas.

CONTRIBUTE TO THE FOUNDATION

The work of the ACPA's Research & Education Foundation happens because of the generosity of our industry partners.

Through donations, partnerships, and legacy funding, the Foundation develops and funds research supporting the advancement and growth of the concrete pipe industry.

WAYS TO CONTRIBUTE

- In-Kind Donations
- Partnerships
- Oliver Delery Memorial Fund
- Legacy Fund



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