

The "Tool Box" for Educational Facility Management Professionals

Doug Slinginger

MASMS 2016 Facilities Professional of the Year

Doug Slinginger, Ada Borup Schools, was name the 2016 MASMS Educational Professional of the Year. To receive the title the individual needs to be an innovator, natural leader and one who consistently exhibits professionalism, service and integrity. Doug fits this title perfectly!

Each year a \$1,000 scholarship is given to the home school in the name of the Educational Facility Management Professional of the year. Thank you to Hillyard and Johnson Controls, who provide the funds for this award.



MASMS Members Recognized at the 2016 Conference

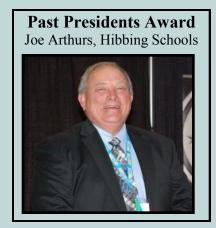


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Outstanding Professional Partner Connie Nordquist, MASBO



Outstanding Business Contributors Dana Krakowski, Envirobate Amy Satterfield, IEA Greg Gillett, Hillyard (Not Pictured) LeRoy Biteler, Haldeman Homme (Not Pictured)



Congratulations to the MASMS 2016 award recipients! We truly appreciate their commitment to MASMS!

The Gavel passed from 2015-16 President Reed McFarlane to 2016-17 President Maureen Mullen







CONGRATULATIONS TO THE MASMS NEWLY ELECTED VICE PRESIDENT

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NEW EDUCATIONAL MEMBERS

Michell Smith, So. Washington Schools Jim Florey, Loyola Catholic Schools Damien Nelson, So. Washington Schools Anthony Miller, Long Lake Conservation Center Steve Stupak, Hermantown Schools Paul Bourgeois, Minnetonka Schools Gerry Klocke, East Central Schools Robert Sumner, Milaca Public Schools

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SIGN UP EARLY ~ IT WILL FILL UP FASTI (Limit of 30 attendees.) MASMS January 2017 Boot Camp

Wednesday January 18th & Thursday January 19th, 2017 —8:00 AM to 4:00 PM (Dinner 6:00 PM Wednesday evening) at the Holiday Inn, St. Cloud, MN.

Cost: MASMS will cover the cost of this training. This includes cost of class, hotel room for Wednesday night (and Tuesday night if 1.5 hour drive), and all meals. (Meals include: Wednesday lunch and dinner; Thursday breakfast & lunch; break for both days.)

Boot Camp Information:

The MASMS Boot Camp is specifically designed to provide training for facility professionals. The training will be of great value for newly employed facilities managers or seasoned veterans. Custodial—Grounds— Maintenance Management—Security— Health & Safety—Transportation

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Twelve MASMS Members Completed the Required Curriculum for the MASMS Facility Manager Certification!

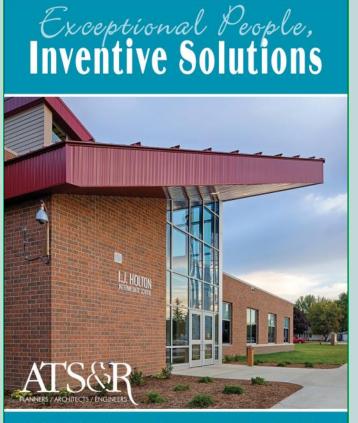
Mr. Mat Miller. Austin Schools (Educational Chair) presented their certificates at the 2016 MASMS Conference!



Back Row: Vince Elke, Eden Prairie Steve Malecka, Eastern Carver County JJ Williams, Kasson Mantorville Phillip Stier, No.Hennepin College Steve Ericson, Osseo Laura Larsen, Stillwater Front Row: Todd Lieser, Roseville Tim Reps, St. Charles Dan Roeser, White Bear Lake Not Pictured: Bradly Neutz, Maple Lake Scott Peterson, Robbinsdale Craig Wokson, Osseo

Congratulations on your accomplishment!

3 Year Recertification (not pictured): Kevin Johnson, Red Wing Mat Miller, Austin



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2016 Scholarship Contributors Recognized at Conference

Due to generous support from contributing MASMS members, MASMS awarded \$15,000 to 32 Children in 2016! Thank you!



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Silver Level Allegion Door Service Co of the Twin Cities *Not pictured:* Haldeman Homme Johnson Controls Stephen & Patricia Udell



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The MASMS Scholarship Committee donates time to the setup and selection of the MASMS Scholarships each year.

Mr. Dan Held, Roof Spec is the Scholarship Committee Chair.

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2016 MASMS \$1,000 Sustainable Grants Two Grants were awarded this year!

Awarded to: Moose Lake Community Schools Douglas Engie, MASMS Member "Outdoor Classroom Within the School Forest"

The outdoor classroom will be designed by the student council, in consultation with the school forest committee, using ideas from the Building Outdoor Classrooms booklet provided by Focus on Forests. The student council members will work with ARI, the current architects of the new facility and the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources to determine the best location for the classroom. Money from your grant will be used towards expenses in clearing the classroom area and towards construction materials.

The students will determine what type of seating and tables will be best, as well as landscaping and pathways. The Industrial Technology class at Moose Lake High School will complete construction within the classroom space. Salvaged timber from the clearing of the new school building site will be used as much as possible. Money from the grant will be used towards expenses in clearing the classroom area and towards construction materials.

Awarded to: Marshall County Central Schools Darwin Nelson, MASMS Member "Science Outdoor Classroom"

Last year, we started working on a cooperative venture with U.S. Fish and Wildlife on a science outdoor learning area. The school district set aside 5 acres of land. So far U.S. Fish and Wildlife assisted with brush mowing, a controlled burn, and the purchase of native prairie seed. This year we plan to create a student learning area within the prairie wetland. Creating the student learning area will include clearing a 30' x 30' section of land, unloading surfacing, adding signage, assembling bench/tables, building bird houses, bat houses, and other learning stations.

We would like to finalize plans for the student learning area and begin outdoor work this fall. Assembly of benches, bat houses, and bird houses will occur in the winter. Finalizing the learning area by adding signage, a mowed trail path, and installation of bird houses and bat houses will occur in the spring.

This is a truly cooperative project with our custodians assisting with landscaping, students helping them, students constructing the bird/bat houses, assembling benches, teachers helping with planning and guidance. Our school board has endorsed this project and the project has been supported by the Beito Foundation, local Lions Club, and other organizations.

Twelve \$500 Building & Grounds Grants Awarded at the MASMS Conference

During the trade show on Thursday, MASMS held drawings for twelve (12) \$500 Building & Grounds grants to be used for a building and grounds project of the school's choosing! All educational members registered for the conference were automatically in the drawing, and they had to

be present on the trade show floor to win.

The following names were drawn this year, and their school will be presented with a \$500 grant!

Kevin Johnson, Red Wing Patrick Poquette, Hopkins Perry Burnside, Hawley Terrance Zerwas, Becker Mark Breegeeman, Shakopee Ken Kraemer, ROCORI Todd Pelarski, Big Lake Thomas May, Red Lake Bruce Hanson, Monticello Dan Warner, Northfield Tyler Glad, Hibbing Mark Fenton, West St. Paul



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Dollars for Scholars Golf Event!

All the participants efforts helped make the day a huge success. All funds raised at this event go to the MASMS Scholarship Fund.

A special thank you to our 2016 Golf Sponsors!

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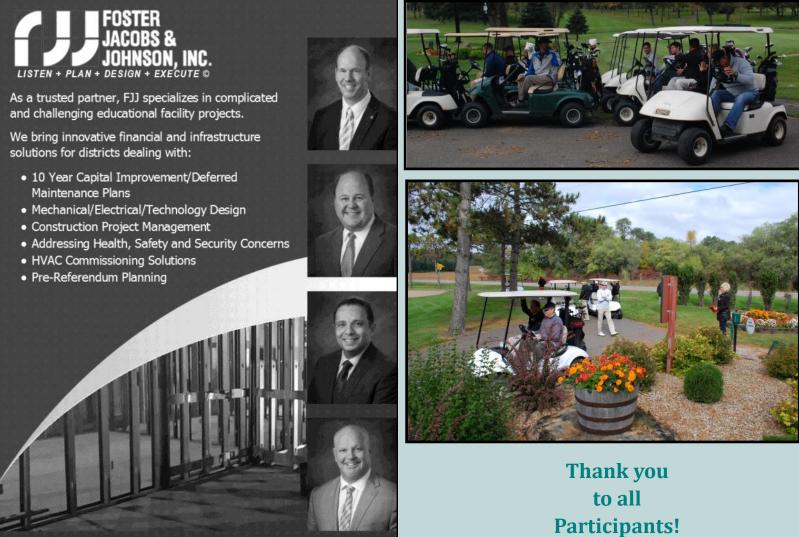
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Legislative Issue for MASMS Members

16C.251 BEST AND FINAL OFFER.

A "best and final offer" solicitation process may not be used for building and construction contracts. The current statute specifically prohibits this practice, the Department would repeal this statute.

Question, how does this affect us?

16C.251 - https://www.revisor.mn.gov/statutes/?id=16C.251 ~ History: 2007 c 148 art 2 s 44

Please email the MASMS office at ruth@masms.org if you have comments and or thoughts on this possible change.



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Students Receiving a MASMS Scholarship Fund in 2016

Blake Ackerman Chenay Azure Jeremy Becker **Cole Beevers Kaylee Beevers** Molly Boland Ian Bonar Ashlyn Bradford **Taylor Bright** Nicklaus Churchill **Rachel Cleveland** Kaitlyn Elke Matthew Elke Dalton Engholm Hanna Gedrose Kate Hadden

Sophia Holm Andrew Karp Georgia Klotz Ana Larsen Grace Mikutowski Mary Mikutowski Kiera Miller Ronald Reed **Connor Remington** Logan Remington Hailee Stock Sara Thieschafer Suzanne Thieschafer Alexandra Wilson Madison Worke Matthew Worke

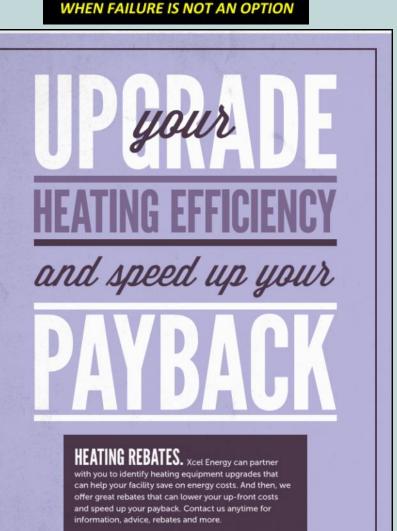
In 2008 MASMS created a unique scholarship honoring the exemplary leadership of Jim Fredricks, The 2016 \$1000 Scholarship was awarded to MASMS Member Tim Burton from the Osseo Schools.



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