



2026 FCAI EXCELLENCE IN SAFETY AWARD

Commitment to Safety in the Construction Industry

In an ongoing commitment to promoting safety within the construction industry, FCAI seeks to recognize individuals who exemplify outstanding safety performance. FCAI Contractors may nominate one individual per company for this award. This individual (staff, safety director, PDC #30 union member, or other employees) should demonstrate consistent safe working habits and should warrant recognition by you, the employer, and co-workers who benefit from their conscientious safety efforts. Please include the company's current EMR and other safety statistics, the company's safety program, history, and stories of the nominee, and/or relevant safety certifications in conjunction with completion of the application form below.

The award evaluations will be based on:

- Conscious implementation and devotion to safety on the jobsite/workplace
- Demonstrates comprehensive knowledge of safety (procedures, rules, PPE, etc.)
- Demonstrated personal belief in safety to business operations and job performance
- Safety training history
- Active employee participation in company safety culture
- Knowledge of company safety program

Please complete the nomination form attached and remit (by email, fax, or mail) to the FCAI Office by **December 31, 2025**. *Any application received after this date will not be considered for this award.*

After receiving the applications, a member of the Award Committee will reach out to schedule a phone call in January to talk about your nominee.

The Committee will choose a winner(s) from both the Northern Illinois area (Zones A, B, and E) and the Peoria/Bloomington area (Zone C). Only one nomination per FCAI Contractor Company.

The winners of the 2025 FCAI Employee of the Year will be notified no later than February 1, 2026.

Please submit application via email to amy@fcaofillinois.org; Subject - 2026 FCAI Safety Award

For questions on this award or the application process, please contact Amy at amy@fcaofillinois.org.



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Nomination Form

Nominee Information

Nominee Name _____ Title _____

Nominee Company Name _____

Phone _____ Email _____

Sponsor Information

Sponsor Name _____ Sponsor Title _____

Sponsor Email _____ Date Submitted _____

Nominator Company Name _____

Company Address _____ City, State, Zip _____

Phone _____ Email _____ Company website _____

Company Information

Company's EMR (Experience Modification Ratio) for 2024 _____ Recordable Incident Rate for 2024 _____

Phone interviews will be conducted this year instead of a written essay.

What is the best day of the week to contact you? _____

What time frame is best for a 20-30-minute conversation?

9am – 10:30am

12pm – 2pm

After 3pm

I verify all the information is correct to the best of my ability

A completed application must be received by December 31, 2025.

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Signature: _____ Date: _____

Received by (Office Use Only): _____ Date: _____