



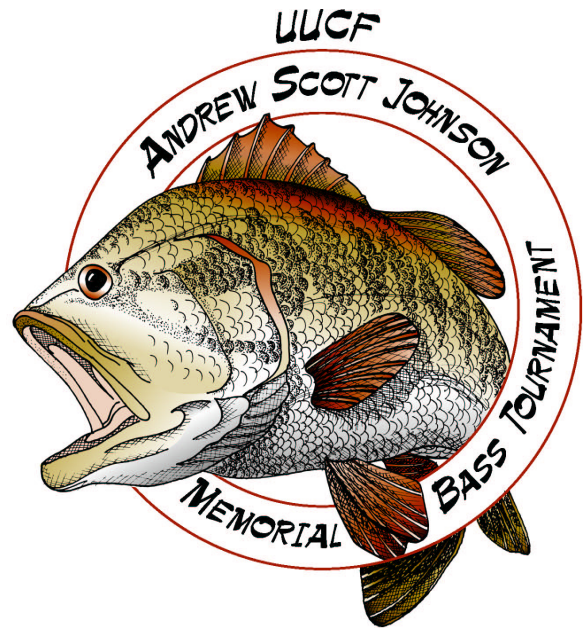
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UUCF/ ASJMSF Annual Fishing Tournament Update *(See page 5 for details)*



UUCF President's Cup Golf Tournament *(See page 7 for details)*



**Underground Utility Contractors of Florida
is proud to welcome back the
Annual President's Cup Golf Tournament
on September 27–29, 2013
PGA National Resort & Spa
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Mark your calendar now!

After taking a year off, UUCF is pleased to announce that it will be holding its President's Cup Golf Tournament at PGA National Resort & Spa in Palm Beach Gardens, Florida on September 27–29, 2013.

This year, UUCF will be offering individuals a choice in the location of their sleeping accommodations in either the Resort or Cottage Quads. The Resort rooms will feature two double beds. The Cottage Quads feature two bedrooms (each with two double beds), two complete baths, a large living room, flat-screen television, a fully-equipped kitchen, washer and dryer and an outdoor terrace. **Register on or before to May 31, 2013, and you'll receive a \$50.00 per person discount. We'll even wait until June 1, 2013 to send you an invoice.** The registration fees are as follows:

<u>Room Type</u>	<u>Registration received in UUCF office on or before May 31, 2013</u>	<u>Registration received in UUCF office on or after June 1, 2013</u>
Resort Room <i>(based on per person and double occupancy)</i>	\$598.40	\$648.40
Cottage Quads <i>(based on per person and quad occupancy)</i>	\$560.40	\$610.40

**Hurry. The deadline
has been extended
to June 28, 2013.**

As with past years, there will be different sponsorship opportunities in which your company can participate. Sponsorship categories cost from as little as \$100.00 to \$1,000.00.

UUCF will be hosting a Hospitality Suite which will be located in the Resort rooms area (number 9). The cottage quads are located by the Squire Golf Course (number 21).



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UUCF/ASJMSF Holds Thirteenth Annual Fishing Tournament

The UUCF/Andrew Scott Johnson Memorial Scholarship Foundation, Inc. held its Thirteenth Annual Bass Fishing Tournament on Lake Toho in Kissimmee on March 1-2, 2013. The tournament, held to raise funds for the foundation's scholarship program, was headed up by Fishing Tournament Chairman Scott Johnson with Johnson-Davis, Inc.

The Annual Tournament is held in memory of Andrew Scott Johnson, son of Scott Johnson. Andy Johnson worked summers with his father's company, but he especially liked to fish.

This is the thirteenth year for the UUCF/Andrew Scott Johnson Memorial Bass Tournament, and this year's event drew a field of 28 participants divided in to 14 teams.

This year's event began with a Captain's Meeting on Thursday evening. Teams fished on Friday and Saturday, with a weigh-in held following each day's fishing. Following the Friday weigh-in, participants enjoyed a barbecue dinner. Trophies and prizes were presented following Saturday's closing weigh-in.

Trophies were awarded for the largest fish caught on Friday and Saturday. In addition, first, second and third place team trophies were presented to the teams accumulating the greatest total two-day catch. Teams could weigh in a maximum of five bass per day.

At the end of the first day's fishing, the HD Supply Waterworks team of Don Webster and Paul Hundley were in first place with a total catch of 29.11 pounds. The Johnson-

Davis team of Scott Johnson, Bernie Vito and Steve Eakins were in second place with a total catch of 24.48 pounds. The U.S. Concrete Products, Inc. team of Greg Wolf and Steve Bails were in third place with a total catch of 23.8 pounds.

The biggest fish on the first day of fishing went to Scott Johnson with Johnson-Davis, Inc. for catching a bass weighing 9.24 pounds.

On day two of the tournament, the biggest fish was caught by Paul Hundley who was with the HD Supply Waterworks team. His winning fish weighed 8.77 pounds.

The Big Fish Pot was held again this year. Participants paid \$10.00 toward the Big Fish Pot. The Big

Fish Pot was paid to the participant/team with the single largest fish caught in the two-day tournament. One hundred percent of the funds collected were presented to the winner of the Big Fish Pot, Scott Johnson of the team of Johnson-Davis, Inc. Congratulations Scott.

When the second day's weigh-in was complete, the HD Supply Waterworks team of Don Webster and Paul Hundley were the first place winners with a total day catch of 27.43 pounds. Second place for the day went to the Precision Pipe & Products, Inc. team of Gilmer Nelson and Bobby Wakefield with a total catch of 26.91 pounds. Third place for the day went to the Johnson-Davis, Inc. team of Chris Johnson and Tyler Johnson with a

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total catch of 23.5 pounds.

With their total two day's tournament combination, congratulations to the following winners: **Overall First Place**

Winners: Don Webster and Paul Hundley with the team of HD Supply Waterworks with a total two-day catch of 56.54 pounds.

Overall Second Place Winners: Gilmer Nelson and Bobby Wakefield with the team of Precision Pipe & Products, Inc. with a total two-day catch of 49.94 pounds. **Overall**

Third Place Winners: Chris Johnson and Tyler Johnson with the Johnson-Davis, Inc. with a total two-day catch of 41.3 pounds.

Rounding out the top five were the U.S. Concrete Products, Inc. team (Greg Wolf and Steve Bails) with a total two-day catch of 38.53 pounds for fourth place and the Precision Pipe & Products, Inc. team (Bobby Chandler) with a total catch of 38.37 pounds for fifth place. Between all 14 teams, a total of 438.92 pounds of bass were caught during the two-day tournament.

The UUCF/Andrew Scott Johnson Memorial Scholarship Foundation thanks the following companies who sponsored the Fishing Tournament:

Angler Dinner Sponsors: Johnson-Davis, Inc. and The Friends & Family of Andy Johnson.

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Captain's Dinner Happy Hour

Sponsors: Centerline Utilities, Inc. and Concrete Products of the Palm Beaches, Inc. **Trophy Sponsor:** HD Supply Waterworks. **Weigh-In**

Sponsors: U.S. Concrete Pipe Co. and U.S. Concrete Products.

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The UUCF/ASJMSF would also like to thank the following individuals who participated in this event:

Team 1: Advanced Drainage Systems, Inc. – Drew Lane and John Trivento

Team 2: Concrete Products of the Palm Beaches, Inc. – Alain Monzon and Rick Ambers

Team 3: U.S. Concrete Products, Inc. – Curt Parcells and Bill Parcells

Team 4: U.S. Concrete Products, Inc. – Greg Wolf and Steve Bails

Team 5: HD Supply Waterworks – Keith Hobbs and Gabe Jackson

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Team 6: Precision Pipe & Products, Inc. – Gilmer
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Team 7: Precision Pipe & Products, Inc. – Bobby
Chandler

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Team 12: HD Supply Waterworks – Don Webster
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Team 13: Johnson-Davis, Inc. – Scott Johnson,
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We look forward to next year's event. Once the date
has been secured, we will post the date in the Calendar
of Events section of the Ditchmen and on the website
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UUCF Schedules President's Cup Golf Tournament

Come and enjoy three wonderful days and two nights at PGA National Resort & Spa in Palm Beach Gardens, Florida on September 27–29. You will enjoy three fun-filled days of golfing on three different 18 hole courses. Participants will have the opportunity to play on the Squire Course on Friday, Champion Course on Saturday and Palmer Course on Sunday. A different tournament will be held on each course. The format will be a two-man scramble, two-man best ball and two-man alternate shot. All tournaments will be handicapped so everyone will have an equal opportunity to win.

Mike Woodall with John Woody, Inc. is chairing this year's tournament. A portion of the proceeds from this year's tournament will benefit the

UUCF Legal Defense Fund.

Squire Course – Named after the immortal Gene Sarazen, the first golfer ever to win the professional Grand Slam, “the thinking man’s course” is the ultimate test of accuracy and precision. Designed by Tom and George Fazio, the Squire is the shortest and most exacting of the courses at PGA National. Accuracy with fairway woods and long irons is tested on many tees, and the new smaller “Emerald Bermuda” greens demand precise approach shots. Several doglegs provide a risk/reward opportunity for any longer hitter as well. The Squire is surrounded by natural areas teeming with vegetation and wildlife – the 5th hole even runs along part of a wilderness preserve, which borders the west side of the PGA

National community.

Last renovated: Fall 2012 (new turf, rebuilt bunkers, expanded tee and green complexes).

Champion Course – Originally designed by Tom and George Fazio for major tournament play, the Champion course at PGA National Resort & Spa was redesigned by Jack Nicklaus in 1990 and now hosts the Honda Classic each spring on the PGA TOUR. Although the Champion has generous landing areas and spacious and accepting TifEagle greens, golfers are presented with course management challenges throughout the round. This South Florida golf resort course has five sets of tees to make the

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course more playable for golfers of all levels. A must-play on any avid golfer's list, the Champion features the Bear Trap, which spans three demanding holes designed by Jack Nicklaus

Last renovated: Fall 2012 (new turf, rebuilt bunkers, expanded tee and green complexes).

Palmer Course – Named after its designer, Arnold Palmer, this course is one of the more forgiving at PGA National from tee to fairway, known as a risk/reward game. The open fairways and larger "Champion Bermuda" greens can be quite accommodating and invite players to take a chance if they dare – as golfers are not overly penalized for missing the fairway or primary rough on most holes here. There is a considerable amount of undulation through the fairway, presenting the opportunity for uneven lies and creative shot-making. The Palmer has a great series of finishing holes, with the 18th being one of the most scenic par 5s on the property.

This year, UUCF will be offering individuals a choice in the location of their sleeping accommodations in either the Resort or Cottage Quads. The Resort rooms feature two double beds. The Cottage Quads feature two rooms each with double beds on each side of a living room, dining room and kitchen. **Register prior to June 1, 2013, you'll received a \$50.00 per person discount, and we won't send you an invoice until June 1, 2013.** The cost is as follows:

Registration received in UUCF Office on or before May 31, 2013

Resort Room – \$598.40
(per person based on double occupancy)
Cottage Quads – \$560.40
(per person based on quad

occupancy)

Registration received in UUCF office on or after June 1, 2013

Resort Room – \$648.40
(per person based on double occupancy)
Cottage Quads – \$610.40
(per person based on quad occupancy)

Also, two man teams that register now for the golf tournament can delay payment until after June 1, 2013.

The entry fee includes three rounds of golf for the tournament, two nights' accommodation, breakfast on Saturday and Sunday, two \$30.00 vouchers good for dinner on Saturday and Sunday night, one free mulligan for each day (option to purchase additional mulligans will be available), skins game on Friday and Saturday and beverages on the course during tournament play. A Hospitality Suite will be available for your enjoyment.

UUCF is also selling the Survival Kit. Included in the package are: **Friday:** three mulligans, putting contest and ball in the circle contest; **Saturday:** three mulligans, two throws, putting contest and ball in the circle contest; and **Sunday:** three mulligans, two throws, putting contest and ball in the circle contest. If the above items were purchased separately, it would cost \$170.00. However, for golfers who purchase the Survival Kit prior to the first day of the tournament, the cost is only \$160.00. Golfers may also participate in the optional skins game on Sunday at a cost of \$50.00 per team.

There will be great prizes (first and second place each day), optional purchase of the skins game on Sunday and a lot of fun. There will also be prizes for Longest Drive and Closest to the Pin. We will also be holding a putting contest each day.

The tournament is open to the first 60 teams. Hurry and mail your entry fee along with the registration

form as soon as possible. Sleeping accommodations consist of two people per one bedroom (two double beds) or four people (two bedrooms, two double beds) per Cottage Quad.

UUCF is now accepting sponsorships for the President's Cup Golf Tournament. The following is a list of the various sponsorship programs:

- **Hospitality Suite Exclusive Sponsor** at \$1,000.00 (one slot only available). Sponsor will be recognized on signage located in the Hospitality Suite throughout the tournament. Hospitality Suite sponsor will also be permitted to display their company's promotional items in the Hospitality Suite throughout the tournament.

OR

- **Hospitality Suite Sponsors** at \$500.00 (two slots available). Two sponsors will be recognized on signage located in the Hospitality Suite throughout the tournament. Hospitality Suite sponsors will also be permitted to display their company's promotional items in the Hospitality Suite throughout the tournament.
- **Beverage Cart Sponsors** at \$350.00 each (unlimited slots available). All sponsors will be recognized on signage on the beverage cart during tournament play.
- **Tournament Sponsors** at \$200.00 each (unlimited slots available). All sponsors will be recognized on signage located in the Hospitality Suite throughout the tournament.
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This form is invalid unless received on or before 5:00 p.m. on Saturday, June 22, 2013. In some cases, the room block sells out before the scheduled cutoff date. Therefore, we encourage you to make reservations as early as possible.

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All rooms are subject to applicable taxes. Group rates and availability for arrivals three days prior and departures three days after above group dates are on a space available basis only. Group rates may not be combined with any other special offer, package or discount. A credit card or cash for one (1) night's deposit is due with each reservation at the time the reservation is made. Your credit card will be billed for one (1) night's room charge upon booking. Cancellation notice of at least 3 days prior to the arrival is required for a refund. Upon your arrival, your deposit is applied to the last confirmed night of the reservation. In the event of your early departure, the deposit is non refundable unless the Resort is notified at or before the time of check in. No shows will result in forfeiture of the deposit and cancellation of the room. Rooms will be held under the UUCF room block until 5:00 p.m. on Saturday, June 22, 2013. After this time, reservations will be accepted on a space available basis at prevailing hotel rates. Should you require airport transfer, please contact Boca Transportation (561) 447-3378 or (561) 447-3086.

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Duty to Defend vs. Duty to Indemnify

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It is very common for a construction contract to include a clause that requires one party to “indemnify and defend” another party. Many times contracts containing such language are signed without considering the consequences. There are significant differences between a duty to indemnify and a duty to defend, and when negotiating a contract or drafting a “standard form contract,” an understanding of the differences could save or lose you a bundle. For those ‘Bama fans out there, saving a bundle is good and losing a bundle is bad.

The first step is to learn some vocabulary. In a typical prime contractor/subcontractor setting, if your subcontractor has a duty to indemnify you as the prime, then the subcontractor is the “Indemnitor” and you are the “Indemnatee.” The Indemnitor has a duty to reimburse the Indemnatee for certain costs incurred by the Indemnatee. For example, a subcontract between a prime contractor, Road Runner Construction, Inc., and a subcontractor, Wile E. Coyote Underground, Inc., might state that if the Wile E. Coyote damages the property of the owner, Acme Rocket Shoes, Inc., then the Wile E. Coyote agrees to indemnify Road Runner Construction for money Road Runner has to pay to Acme Rocket Shoes. If and when Road Runner (the Indemnatee) actually pays Acme Rocket Shoes, then Wile E. Coyote (the Indemnitor) would be obligated to reimburse Road Runner. The Indemnitor’s duty to indemnify or reimburse the Indemnatee is triggered when the Indemnatee

actually pays out dollars for which the Indemnitor agreed to reimburse the Indemnatee.

If Road Runner (Indemnatee) does not actually pay, then Wile E. Coyote (the Indemnitor) does not pay because there is no need to reimburse. Let’s say Acme Rocket Shoes sued Road Runner for damages allegedly caused by Wile E. Coyote; but after a trial, it is proven that Wile E. Coyote did not cause the damage because he was in the desert lacing bird seed with iron shot at the time. In that situation, Road Runner would not have to pay Acme Rocket Shoes, and Wile E. Coyote (the Indemnitor) would not be required to pay Road Runner (the Indemnitor) anything. Under that example, the Indemnatee and Indemnitor did not have to pay damages, but Road Runner incurred costs defending against the claim for damages allegedly caused by Wile E. Coyote. It seems unfair for Road Runner to bear the cost of defending against Acme Rocket Shoes’ claims, when Road Runner did not create the problem. (It’s even more unfair if the lawyer doesn’t get paid!) An Indemnatee can make a claim against the Indemnitor for reimbursement of the fees incurred, but the Indemnatee has to fund the suit and obtain reimbursement once it is all over. A better solution for Road Runner is to include a “duty to defend clause” in the subcontract with Wile E. Coyote.

The duty to defend is much broader than the duty to indemnify. The duty to defend is triggered as soon as an allegation is made that is within the scope of the duty to defend clause without regard to whether

the allegations can be proven. For example, if the subcontract states that Wile E. Coyote must defend Road Runner against all allegations arising out of or related to Wile E. Coyote’s involvement on the project¹. Then, as soon as an allegation is made that Wile E. Coyote damaged Acme Rocket Shoes’ property, Wile E. Coyote is obligated to step up and pay for a lawyer to defend Road Runner. Not only must Wile E. Coyote defend Road Runner against claims that Acme Rocket Shoes’ property was damaged by Wile E. Coyote, but Wile E. Coyote also has a duty to defend Road Runner against all claims brought by Acme Rocket Shoes that are part of the same lawsuit, including claims that are not related to Wile E. Coyote’s work. If a lawsuit is filed against Road Runner by Acme Rocket Shoes alleging that Acme Rocket Shoes was damaged because: 1) Wile E. Coyote damaged Acme Rocket Shoes’ catapult machine, and 2) Road Runner damaged Acme Rocket Shoes’ giant bow and arrow machine, then Wile E. Coyote has to defend both claims. What’s more, the duty to defend is triggered by the allegations in the complaint without regard to whether the allegations are true or can be supported. As long as there is an allegation in the complaint that falls within the scope of the duty to defend, then Wile E. Coyote has to defend the entire case. If a judge or

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UUCF/Andrew Scott Johnson Memorial Scholarship Foundation Scholarship Application Available

The UUCF/Andrew Scott Johnson Memorial Scholarship Foundation, Inc. (UUCF/ASJMSF) is pleased to announce that its scholarship application is now available. The scholarship application is available to any employee and/or their immediate family member (i.e., child, grandchild, etc.) who is employed by a company that is a member of UUCF. The applicant must be a senior graduating from high school who will be enrolling in an accredited two- or four-year college

or university for the year beginning in August or September 2013 or an individual who is currently attending an undergraduate two- or four-year accredited college or university for the year beginning in August or September 2013. The enrollment may be in a curriculum of any number of years but the scholarship will not exceed one year. (Applicants must be affiliated with a UUCF member in good standing with dues paid at the time of application. Out of state branches of member companies are not eligible.) Any

company or individual who sponsors the UUCF/ASJMSF Annual Bass Tournament in the year the scholarship is being distributed may also apply.

The UUCF/ASJMSF was established in memory of the son of a Past President of UUCF, Scott J. Johnson (Johnson-Davis, Inc.). On December 28, 1999, Andrew "Andy" Scott Johnson was killed in an automobile accident. Andy

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Registered Contractor License Renewal Reminder

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Don't forget to notify the DBPR office of any address change. Section 489.124(2) gives sole responsibility to the licensee for notifying DBPR in writing of the licensee's current mailing address and phone number.

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President's Message



First, I would like to thank Scott Johnson, and congratulate him, for the continued

success of the UUCF/Andrew Scott Johnson Memorial Scholarship Foundation's Annual Bass Fishing Tournament. This year's tournament (the thirteenth) was held on Lake Toho.

Since its inception in 2000, the UUCF/Andrew Scott Johnson Memorial Scholarship Foundation has awarded \$221,500.00 in scholarships to very deserving individuals. The foundation's only current source of revenue is this Annual Bass Tournament which is held each



held in 2013.

UUCF will be holding its 2013 Conference at the Boca Raton Resort & Club on July 25-28. Conference Chairperson Kim Bryan and the Committee have been working on the details and should have everything finalized by mid-May. If you plan on attending, please make your room reservation

spring.

UUCF Committees have been working hard over the past several months preparing for events to be

today. For the Hotel Reservation Form, please go to **Page 9** in this issue of the *Ditchmen*. UUCF will be holding Contractor's Day on Friday, July 26. There will be great speakers, roundtable discussions and table top displays.

UUCF will be holding its Annual President's Cup Golf Tournament on September 27-29 at PGA National Resort & Spa in Palm Beach Gardens. This event is a great weekend for contractors and suppliers to mingle. For those who register now, the UUCF office won't invoice you until June 1, 2013.

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For the UUCF President's Cup Golf Tournament Registration or Sponsorship forms, please see **Page 2** in this issue of the *Ditchmen* or visit the UUCF website at www.uucf.com/PCGolf/golf_tournament.asp. If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact the UUCF office at (407) 830-1880.

Hope to see you all at the UUCF President's Cup Golf Tournament on September 27-29 at PGA National Resort & Spa in Palm Beach Gardens.

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was 19 years of age. He was an honor student and a 1998 graduate of Pope John Paul II High School. He was a sophomore at Vanderbilt University. He loved the outdoors, all kinds of sports, especially Lacrosse, music and sport fishing. Andy was especially dedicated and loyal to his many friends and family.

If you have any questions or need additional information please contact the UUCF/ASJMSF office at (407) 830-1880. If you would like to request a scholarship application, please [click here](#).

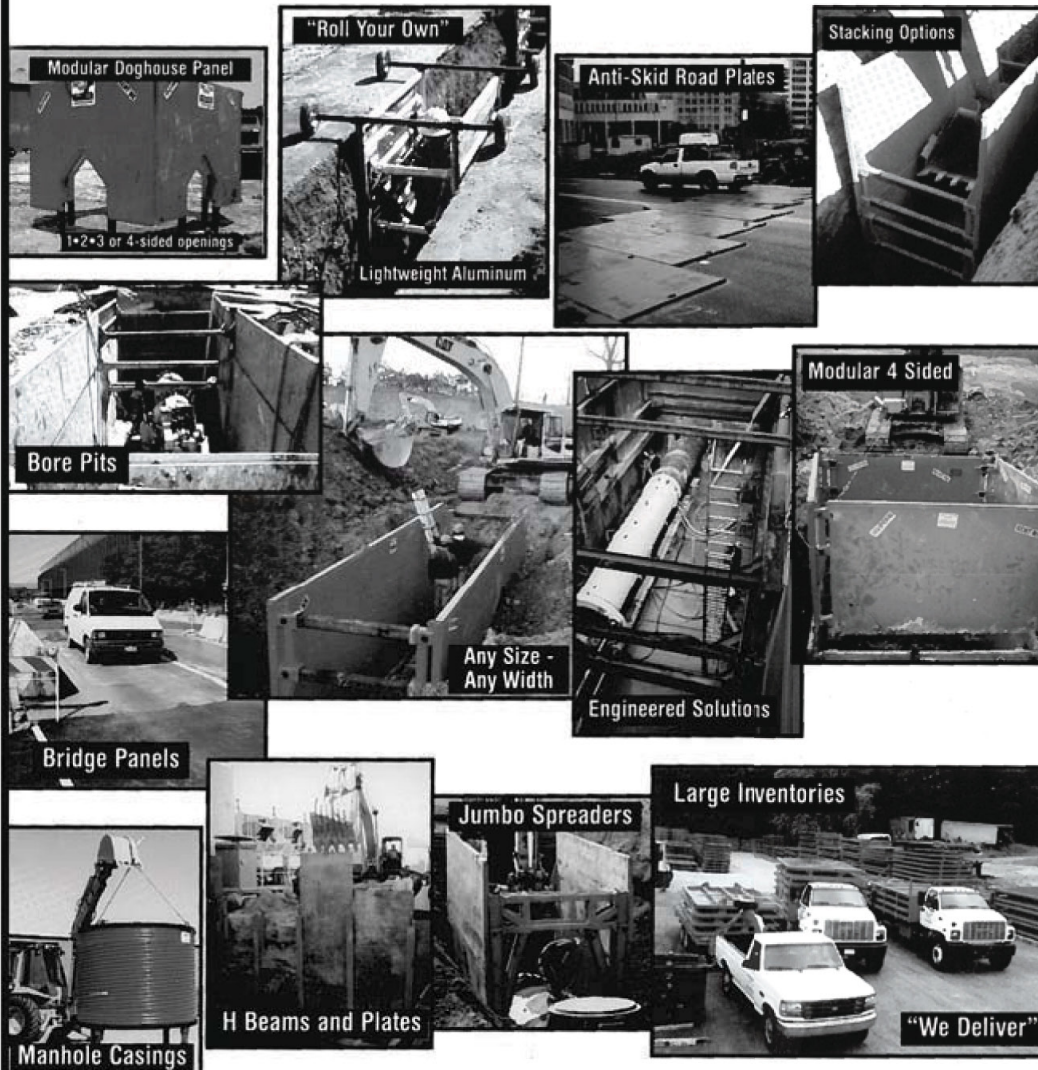
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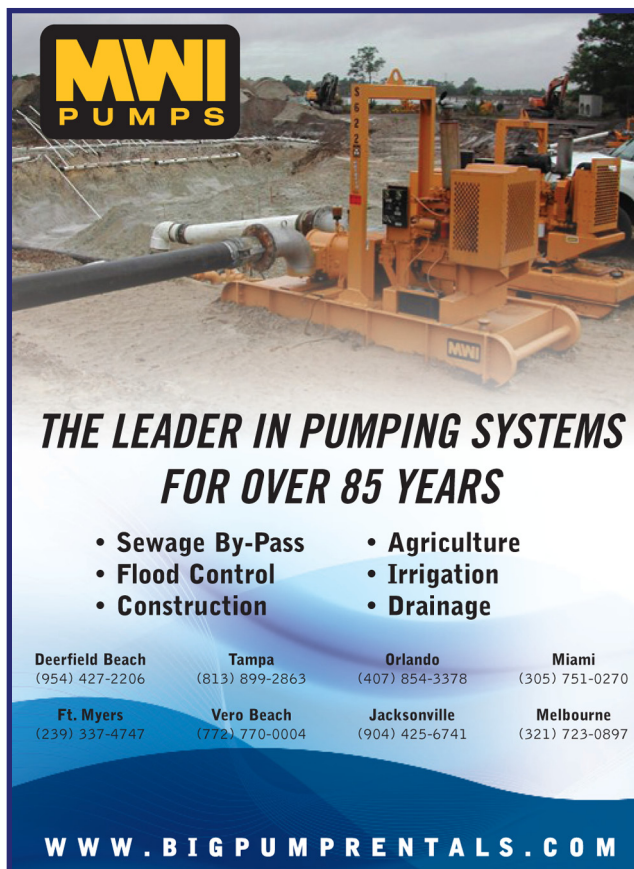
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Calendar of Events

UUCF

Apr. 1 Board of Director's Meeting, Tallahassee
Apr. 2 Walk the Halls of the Capitol, Tallahassee
June 7 Board of Director's Meeting, Orlando
July 25 Board of Director's Meeting,
Boca Raton Resort & Club, Boca Raton
July 25-28 Annual Conference,
Boca Raton Resort & Club, Boca Raton
Sept. 27-29 President's Cup Golf Tournament,
PGA National Resort & Spa, Palm Beach Gardens
Nov. 1 Board of Director's Meeting, Orlando

NUCA of North Florida

Apr. 9 Executive Committee Meeting
May 14 Executive Committee Meeting
May 23 Jacksonville Suns Baseball
June 11 Executive Committee Meeting
July 9 Executive Committee Meeting
July 18 General Membership Meeting
Aug. 13 Executive Committee Meeting
Sept. 10 Executive Committee Meeting
Sept. 19 General Membership Meeting
Sept. (TBA) Clay Shoot, WW Sporting Clay
Oct. 8 Executive Committee Meeting
Oct. (TBA) Fishing Tournament
Nov. 5 Executive Committee Meeting
Nov. 21 Election of Officers
Dec. 10 Executive Committee Meeting
Dec. (TBA) Holiday Party

NUCA of Northwest Florida 2013

Apr. (TBA) Confined Space Entry Program
June 15 In Shore Fishing Tournament
Aug. (TBA) General Membership Meeting
Oct. 12 Equipment Rodeo, Equestrian Center

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Feb. (TBA) Annual Meeting, Museum of Commerce

NUCA of Southwest Florida

Apr. 18 Board of Directors/General Membership
Meetings
May 4 Golf Tournament
May 16 Board of Director's Meeting
June 20 Board of Directors/General Membership
Meetings/Scholarship Awards
July 18 Board of Director's Meeting
Aug. 15 Board of Directors/General Membership Meetings
Sept. 20-21 Fishing Tournament

Sept. 26 Board of Director's Meeting
Oct. 17 Board of Directors/General Membership Meetings
Nov. 21 Board of Director's Meeting
Dec. 7 Holiday Party & Installation of Officers

National Utility Contractors Association (NUCA)

May 7-9 Washington Summit,
Crowne Plaza Old Town Alexandria, VA, Capitol Hill
Oct. 2-4 Fall Board of Directors and Leadership
Meeting, El Conquistador in Las Croabas, Puerto Rico

Sunshine 811 Meetings

Apr. 19 Executive Committee Meeting, Conference Call
May 22 Committee Meetings, Call Center, DeBary
May 23 Annual Membership/Board Meeting,
Call Center, DeBary
May 24 Sunshine 811 Golf Tournament,
DeBary Golf & Country Club, DeBary
June 21 Executive Committee Meeting, Conference Call
July 17-19 Strategic Planning, Committee Meetings
and Board Meeting, TBA
Oct. 18 Executive Committee Meeting, Conference Call
Nov. 14-15 Committee & Board of Director's Meetings,
Call Center, DeBary

Construction Industry Licensing Board (CILB) Meetings

Apr. 10-12 Mission Inn Resort & Club,
Howey-in-the-Hills
May 8-10 Hyatt Regency Jacksonville Riverfront
June 12-14 Embassy Suites - Fort Lauderdale
July 10-12 TBA
Aug. 14-16 The Ritz-Carlton Sarasota
Sept. 11-13 TBA
Oct. 9-11 TBA
Nov. 13-15 TBA

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- NUCA \$1,000 Scholarship
\$1,000 award (\$500/year over two years for those enrolling in two-year programs)

Any high school senior whose parent or legal guardian is employed by a NUCA member company in good standing at the time of the application deadline may apply. Student employees, including part-time employees, are also eligible, as are dependents of NUCA Chapter Executive Directors. The applicant must be graduating from high school in 2013 and enrolling full time in an accredited two- or four-year college or university for their freshman year beginning in the fall of 2013.

Complete application forms and all required supporting documentation must be received in the NUCA office no later than 6:00 p.m. eastern time, Friday, May 24, 2013. Supporting documentation may be sent separately. Incomplete and improper applications will not be considered. Please address to: NUCA Foundation Scholarship Committee, 3925 Chain Bridge Road, Suite 300, Fairfax, VA 22030. Emails and faxes will not be accepted. NUCA staff will endeavor to advise applicants of incomplete applications only if, in staff's judgment, the incomplete information can be reasonably expected to be resolved and missing information received before the deadline.

Applications will be judged and winners announced by Friday, June 28, 2013, and notified by letter shortly after. If you have questions regarding the application and review process, please contact NUCA at (703) 358-9300.

The **scholarship application** describes the scholarships, criteria and deadline.

Sunshine 811 Holiday Calendar

Memorial Day	05/27/13
Independence Day	07/04/13
Labor Day	09/02/13
Thanksgiving Day	11/28/13
Day after Thanksgiving Day	11/29/13
Christmas Eve	12/24/13
Christmas Day	12/25/13

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2013 FDOT Letting Date

April 24	May 22
June 19	July 31
August 28	September 25
October 30	December 4

2014 FDOT Letting Date

January 29	February 26
March 26	April 30
May 21	June 18





Chapter News

NUCA of North Florida

Do you have a student who will be entering college this fall? If so, the 2013 NUCA Scholarship form is now available on the NUCA website. NUCA offers four scholarships annually based on merit. Forms are due by May 24 and winners will be announced in late June.

We are heading to the Baseball Grounds of Jacksonville on Thursday, May 23 to see the Jacksonville Suns take on the Birmingham Barons. Join us for a BBQ dinner which includes chicken, ribs, baked beans, potato salad, coleslaw and soft drinks. The cost is \$25 per person. Look for reservation information coming soon.

Mark your calendar and plan to attend NUCA's Washington Summit May 7-9. Don't miss NUCA's popular two-day event in the nation's Capitol! Day One is the Federal Issues Conference, National Awards Luncheon and Legislative Briefing. Day Two is all about visiting your elected officials. Get your own state delegation together and come! Two days of solid value and a great experience. It's democracy in action! NUCA member's price is \$245 (\$150 off non-member price)! Spouses and non-industry guests come for just \$195!

NUCA of Northwest Florida

NUCA of Northwest Florida and Sunshine 811 hosted a Contractors

Luncheon on February 28, 2013 at the Pensacola Bay Center. We had a good group in attendance. Brad Martin, with Sunshine 811, covered a course on 5 Steps to Safer Digging. We also had Trooper David Herring, with Florida Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles, open up the floor for questions and concerns. We had two door prize winners of a Home Depot Gift Card. They were Avery Patterson with Thompson Pump and Mark Busby with Brown Construction. A big thank you to Sunshine 811 for sponsoring this event.

Our Annual Sporty Clay Shoot was held on Friday, March 15 at the Santa Rosa Shooting Center in Pace, Florida. Thanks to our



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NUCA of Southwest Florida

The NUCA of Southwest Florida Annual Scholarship Tournament, hosted by Old Corkscrew Golf Club in Estero, FL, will be held on Saturday, May 4 with a shotgun start at 8:30 a.m. Scholarship awards are based solely on the proceeds from the Annual Golf Tournament. Scholarship awards are available to all NUCA of Southwest Florida members/families. For additional information, please contact Pres Bliss, Tournament Chairman, at (239) 633-5229 or the NUCA of Southwest Florida office at (239) 939-1952.

NUCA offers four college scholarships each year to high school seniors who fit the criteria and are selected based on merit. The

scholarship application describes the scholarships and criteria. Awardees will be announced in late June. The deadline for scholarship application to be returned to NUCA is May 24.

Membership dinner meeting will be Thursday March 21 at the Holiday Inn Airport, Gulf Coast Town Center. NUCA of Southwest Florida welcomes our guest speakers from South Florida Water Management District, Mr. David Hurst, P.E. and Scott Korf, Field Compliance Inspector. All members and potential members are invited. Please R.S.V.P. by e-mail to nucaswfl@gmail.com or phone (239) 939-1952.

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jury ultimately determines that the allegations by Acme Rocket Shoes were untrue, i.e. that Wile E. Coyote did not damage the work, then Wile E. Coyote does not get a refund

of the money spent providing the defense. The duty to defend depends solely on the facts and legal theories alleged in the pleadings and claims against the party to be defended. See e.g. *National Union Fire Ins. Co. v. Lenox Liquors, Inc.*, 358 So.2d 533, 536 (Fla. 1977); *Baron Oil Co. v. Nationwide Mut. Fire Ins. Co.*, 470 So.2d 810, 813 (Fla. 1st Dist.Ct.App.1985) (the "actual facts" of the situation are not pertinent). The duty arises when the relevant pleadings allege facts that fairly and potentially bring the suit within coverage of the duty to defend. *Lime Tree Village Community Club Ass'n, Inc. v. State Farm Gen. Ins. Co.*, 980 F.2d 1402, 1405 (11th Cir.1993); *Trizec Properties, Inc. v. Biltmore Constr. Co.*, 767 F.2d 810, 811-12 (11th Cir.1985).

The duty to defend is broader than the duty to indemnify in the sense that the defending party must defend

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even if facts alleged turn out to be untrue or legal theories unsound. A duty to indemnify, i.e. reimburse, is triggered by the actual damages being paid, and if the claim is not proven, then the Indemnitor does not have to pay. But, if a party has the duty to defend, that party will have to pay for the defense regardless of whether the claim can be proven or not.

Thus, when drafting or negotiating a subcontract, you ought to consider including an indemnity clause and a defense clause. In certain circumstances, the right to a defense can be as valuable, or more valuable, than a right to be indemnified. For example, when a lawsuit is filed to recover a relatively small amount, the cost to litigate can easily exceed the amount of the claim. If you have the right to be defended, then the party that agreed to defend bears the expense of fighting the claim and may conclude that the smart business decision is to pay the claim and avoid incurring the greater expense and inconvenience of litigating.

Hang on to your hats, because next month, we'll apply the indemnity and defense principals above in the context of a Coblentz Agreement! So, be ready next month to gather the kiddies round for another riveting discussion of a mind-numbing legal issue. Seriously, if a single member can save a few dollars or avoid a legal headache by reading these articles, then it is worth the effort.

George Spofford is a shareholder in the Tampa office of the GrayRobinson law firm. Spofford has represented the construction industry since 1985 and serves as General Counsel to UUCF. GrayRobinson, P.A. (gray-robinson.com) is a full-service business law firm with over 275 attorneys and 10 offices across Florida. If any member has specific questions relating to

this topic or any topic they would like to see addressed in future editions, please feel free to contact George at (813) 273-5000 or george.spofford@gray-robinson.com.

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Gray Robinson Shareholder George E. Spofford Joins Dispute Review Board Foundation



George E. Spofford, a shareholder in the Tampa office of **GrayRobinson P.A.**, has been selected to be a member of the Dispute

Review Board Foundation. The Foundation is a non-profit organization dedicated to promoting the avoidance and resolution of disputes worldwide using the unique and proven Dispute Resolution Board (DRB) method. Spofford's listed areas of expertise on the board include construction, heavy construction, highway construction,

marine work and underground work.

"George's extensive background in construction law makes him a valuable member to the Foundation," said GrayRobinson President Byrd F. "Biff" Marshall, Jr. "We are proud of his achievement and know he will make a strong impact on the organization through his membership."

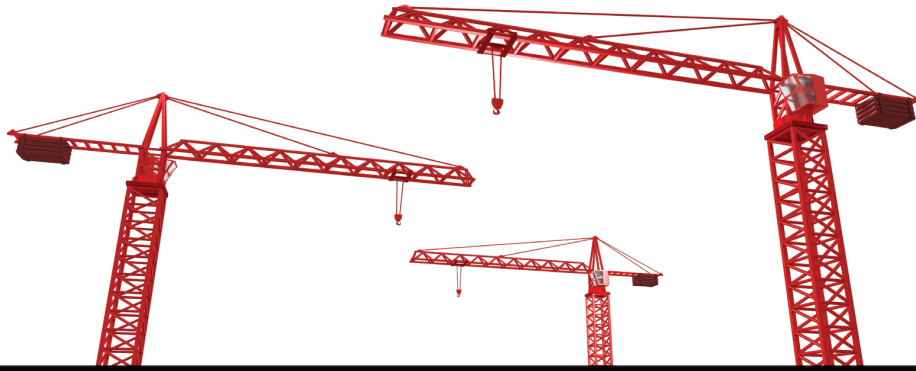
Spofford is Florida Bar Board Certified in Construction Law. He is ranked by Chambers USA, is an AV Martindale-Hubbell rated lawyer, and has also been recognized as a Florida Trend Legal Elite, Florida Super Lawyer, and is listed as one of the "Best Lawyers in America." He serves as General Counsel to the Underground Utility Contractors of Florida, is a certified mediator, and is a member of the FDOT Disputes Review Board and the Florida Transportation Builders Association.

Spofford earned his juris doctorate from Emory University School of Law and his B.A., cum laude, from Auburn University.

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is planned that way, because we listened to the people who would be working in these areas, and laid things out accordingly. Our team of highly skilled people know the business and try to provide the best possible products for the best price, in a timely manner, with customer's needs in mind the entire time. The employees at Coastal Precast of Florida, Inc. are the company's backbone, with well over 200 years combined experience in the precast industry.

While we strive to be on the cutting edge of technology and performance of concrete projects, experimenting with new products and methods every day, we have not forgotten what is most important – our customers. Many companies have lost sight of who the customer really is. “Our customers are not just numbers to us. They are people too!”

“Without our customers to back us and our word for them to trust, we have nothing!”

Also, from our beginning, we have been proud of our association with NUCA of Southwest Florida and UUCF. Our support and involvement with these associations, including Board of Director and Officer positions, participation and sponsorships in fund raising events and regular attendance at monthly dinner meetings, has helped us develop valuable new customers, as well as industry connections.

Coastal Precast has experienced growth and progress in the few short years since the company was founded, and a solid customer base has been established through hard work, service and the delivery of a quality product. Add to this the attitude of a plant built through employee

involvement, and you have the foundation for a bright future.

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June 4, 2013

Orlando
9:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon
State Office Building
Hurston Complex, 400 West
Robinson Street, South
Tower, Conference Room N-101
Orlando, FL 32801

June 5, 2013

2:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. EST
Workers’ Compensation
WEB Based class

June 6, 2013

2:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. EST
Workplace Safety
WEB Based class

June 11, 2013

Tallahassee
9:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon
Hartman Building
2012 Capital Circle SE, Room 102
Tallahassee, FL 32399

July 10, 2013

2:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. EST
Workers’ Compensation
WEB Based class

July 11, 2013

2:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. EST
Workplace Safety
WEB Based class

August 7, 2013

2:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. EST
Workers’ Compensation
WEB Based class

August 8, 2013

2:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. EST
Workplace Safety
WEB Based class

The Division of Workers’
Compensation is an authorized

provider (Provider Number: 0004354) for continuing education purposes through the CILB. Course Number: 0010118 – one hour satisfies the workers’ compensation requirement and Course Number: 0010630 – one hour satisfies the workplace safety requirement.

The form is available on the Division’s website at www.myfloridacfo.com/WC. For additional information, e-mail bocseminars@MyFloridaCFO.com, or call (813) 221-6518.

Protecting Personal Information: A Guide for Businesses

Most companies keep sensitive personal information in their files — names, Social Security Numbers, credit card or other account data — that identifies customers or employees. This information is necessary to fill orders, meet payroll and perform other necessary business functions. However, if sensitive information falls into the wrong hands, it can lead to fraud, identify theft or other bad situations. Given the cost of a security breach — losing your customers’ trust and perhaps even defending yourself against a lawsuit — safeguarding personal information is a good idea for all businesses.

Some businesses have the in-house expertise to implement an appropriate plan to keep sensitive data safe. Those who don’t will benefit from a brochure published by the Federal Trade Commission (FTC) that explains the five key principles of a sound data security plan. For additional information, please [click here](#).





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