

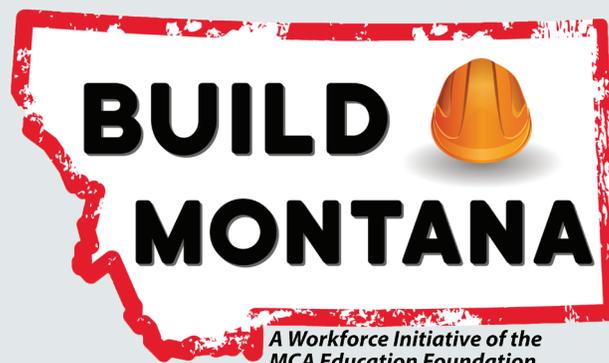


# MCA 2026 Winter Convention Beyond PPE: People, Purpose, Possibility

January 21-23, 2026  
Billings, MT  
DoubleTree by Hilton



**MONTANA CONTRACTORS ASSOC.**  
THE CONSTRUCTION ASSOCIATION



## 2026 MCA Winter Convention AGENDA

### Wednesday, January 21

10:00am-2:00pm	MCA Board Meeting	Skybridge 4
2:00pm	Registration Opens	3rd Floor Foyer
2:00-4:00pm	MCAEF Board Meeting	Boardroom 1
2:00-3:00pm	Building Division Meeting	Skybridge 1
2:00-3:00pm	Sand & Gravel Meeting	Skybridge 2
3:00-4:00pm	Concrete Division Meeting	Skybridge 3
4:00-5:00pm	CLC Panel Session: "Industry Leaders"	Conference Room 5
5:00-7:00pm	President's Welcome Reception	Ballroom
7:00-8:00pm	PAC Fundraiser Reception	Conference Room 1



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### Thursday, January 22

7:30am	Networking Breakfast/Visit with Vendors	Ballroom
8:00-9:30am	Welcome and Opening Session Keynote Speaker, Allan Kehler: <b>“Find Your Voice, Reclaim Your Power”</b>	Ballroom
9:30-10:00am	Break with Vendors	Foyer
10:00-11:00am	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Allan Kehler: <b>“Self-Care Isn’t Selfish - It’s Essential”</b></li> <li>• Montana Registered Apprenticeship</li> <li>• Cyber Security &amp; Fraud</li> <li>• Leadership</li> </ul>	Conference Room 5 Skybridge 1 Skybridge 2 Skybridge 3
11:00-11:30am	Break with Vendors	Foyer
11:30am-1:30pm	Annual Meeting; AGC of America	Ballroom
1:30-1:45pm	Break with Vendors	Foyer
1:45-2:45pm	Keynote Speaker, Gene Marks: <b>“Technology in Construction &amp; Key Takeaways”</b>	Ballroom
3:00-4:00pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Associates Annual Meeting</li> <li>• MCCF Annual Meeting</li> <li>• Workforce: Recruitment &amp; Retention</li> <li>• Contracts</li> </ul>	Conference Room 5 Skybridge 1 Skybridge 2 Skybridge 3
4:15-5:00pm	406 Jobs: Montana DLI	Conference Room 5
5:00-6:00pm	Past Presidents Reception ( <b><i>Invite Only</i></b> )	Juniper
6:00pm	Cocktail Hour	Ballroom
7:00pm	Awards Dinner & Banquet Dessert Dash, Gun Raffle	Ballroom

### Friday, January 23

7:30am	Breakfast	
8:00-11:00am	Montana Department of Transportation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ The State of the MDT</li> <li>➤ Upcoming Projects in the Billings District</li> </ul>	Ballroom A