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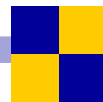


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Who is ACEC of Idaho?

The American Council of Engineering Companies of Idaho represents consulting engineering firms from all over the state. ACEC of Idaho is affiliated with the national American Council of Engineering Companies located in Washington, D. C. Our organization has over 65 members statewide and promotes professionalism, training and supports issues that benefit our industry and public safety.

Because we have our businesses in Idaho and support our local communities in many ways, we encourage you to hire an Idaho based engineer to meet all of your design needs. We have many firms with all levels of expertise and disciplines to serve any area of engineering.

Any member of ACEC of Idaho must have

What Do We Consider an Idaho Based Engineer?

an office within the State of Idaho. While many of our excellent Idaho firms have a home office in another part of the country, their physical presence in Idaho with one or more offices adds to our economy and our communities.

What Do Idaho Engineers Bring to Our Communities?

The engineering firms located in your communities provide a multitude of benefits and services:

- Engineers know that without good math skills, engineering will only be a dream to many students. That is why local engineers volunteer their time for “**Math Counts**,” a competition held each year in the local schools, encouraging children to excel in math. This statewide project requires hundreds of volunteer hours from your local engineering firms

- Engineers also promote the “**Future City Competition**,” a program that begins in local schools for 7th and 8th graders, where teams of student design and present their vision of what a city of the future should look like. Competition goes all the way to the national level!

- **Career Days** – Go to a local career day at school and you will always find a local engineer and firm there encouraging young people to enter into the profession!

- Engineers volunteer many other hours that include elected office, team sponsors and coaches, volunteering engineering services to local non-profits and faith based organizations and more.

Without your support, these firms will move their people to where the work is!
For every engineering job maintained in Idaho some-

The Economic Impact of Engineers in Idaho:

where, 2.86 spin-off jobs are created in your area!
(Source: What 100 New Jobs Mean to a Community, 1993). Engineering companies are more likely to contribute to the area’s overall economic base because they bring dollars in from outside of the area (economic base is determined by dollars entering the local economy, not by those that circulate within the area).

In addition, for every dollar paid to an engineering firm, it is estimated that it will be spent again between three and seven times before leaving your community. How does this happen? The firm receives its payment for services. They pay their employees and their suppliers with a portion of the funds. The employees buy groceries and gas and go out to the movies, while the suppliers then pay their employees and suppliers. These establishments then pay their employees and suppliers, who again do the same thing. This goes on until all of the original dollars have finally left the community. Because engineering is service oriented and not supply heavy, more dollars go into local employees pockets and stay in the community longer. Idaho engineers can address every discipline and need, from small individual jobs to build-

Conclusions

ing state highways. ACEC of Idaho membership includes civil engineers, structural engineers, electrical and mechanical engineers, and more and have expertise in design, environmental, energy, transportation, geotechnical, hazardous waste, hydrology, hydrogeology, industrial, materials handling, mining, planning, water and MORE!

Please remember to look to Idaho engineers, whether a member of ACEC of Idaho or not, to meet your next design needs!

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