



California Uniform Construction Cost
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1.05 County-by-County List of Construction Trade Journals

The Commission shall determine, on a county-by-county basis, the appropriate construction trade journals which shall receive mailed, faxed, or emailed notice of all informal and formal construction contracts being bid for work within the specified county per section 22036 of the Public Contract Code.

Per Public Contract Code section 22037, notices inviting formal bids must be published at least 14 calendar days before the date of opening the bids in a newspaper of general circulation, printed and published in the jurisdiction of the public agency. In addition, the Commission has determined that all public agencies that adopt and contract under the Act shall be required to mail, email, or fax a notice to the following specified construction trade publications of all formal construction contracts being bid and all invitations to join an agency's qualified bidders list (i.e. the informal bidding list) within the specified county (as provided in sections 22034 and 22037 of the Public Contract Code). The numbers following the name of each county refer to the corresponding numbered trade journals listed starting on page 12.

Users will note that the notification of the trade journals listed in Column B for their county is required. Additionally, the user will have to notify at least two of the trade journals listed in Column C, unless there is only one listed, in which case notification of that trade journal is sufficient. The Commission urges each public agency to select additional publications from its geographical area and include them on its list of publications to be notified. Sample information to be included in the mailed notice to trade journals is listed on page 11.

Note: Users are not required to mail a notice to a trade journal if the trade journal listed under their county is now charging for its services, or is out of business. Instead, the Commission requests that users find some other method of notifying potential contractors of published jobs and how to be added to their informal bidding lists (e.g. internet – county's web page).

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COUNTY NAME (A)	TRADE JOURNALS REQUIRED TO BE NOTIFIED (B)	NOTIFY TWO OF THE TRADE JOURNALS LISTED BELOW (C)
ALAMEDA	2, 3	8, 10, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16
ALPINE	2, 3	10
AMADOR	2, 3	10, 17
BUTTE	2, 3	5, 6, 10, 11
CALAVERAS	2, 3	10, 16, 17
COLUSA	2, 3	5, 6, 10
CONTRA COSTA	2, 3	8, 10, 13, 14, 16
DEL NORTE	2, 3	4, 5, 10
EL DORADO	2, 3	9, 10, 11
FRESNO	2, 3	10, 16, 19, 20, 21
GLENN	2, 3	5, 6, 10, 11
HUMBOLDT	2, 3	4, 5, 10
IMPERIAL	2, 3	25
INYO	2, 3	21
KERN	2, 3	19, 20, 21, 22, 25
KINGS	2, 3	19, 20, 21
LAKE	2, 3	4, 5, 7, 8, 10
LASSEN	2, 3	5, 10, 11
LOS ANGELES	2, 3	21, 25
MADERA	2, 3	10, 16, 19
MARIN	2, 3	7, 8
MARIPOSA	2, 3	10, 19
MENDOCINO	2, 3	4, 7, 8, 10
MERCED	2, 3	10, 16, 17, 19
MODOC	2, 3	5, 10
MONO	2, 3	10
MONTEREY	2, 3	10, 15, 18, 22
NAPA	2, 3	7, 8, 10
NEVADA	2, 3	9, 10, 11
ORANGE	2, 3	25, 29
PLACER	2, 3	9, 10, 11
PLUMAS	2, 3	5, 6, 10, 11
RIVERSIDE	2, 3	25, 29
SACRAMENTO	2, 3	5, 8, 9, 10, 11, 16
SAN BENITO	2, 3	10, 18
SAN BERNARDINO	2, 3	21, 25, 29
SAN DIEGO	2, 3	25, 29
SAN FRANCISCO	2, 3	8, 10, 12, 13, 14, 15
SAN JOAQUIN	2, 3	8, 10, 16, 17, 19
SAN LUIS OBISPO	2, 3	18, 21, 22, 25, 30
SAN MATEO	2, 3	8, 12, 13, 14, 15
SANTA BARBARA	2, 3	21, 22, 23, 25, 30
SANTA CLARA	2, 3	8, 10, 12, 13, 14, 15
SANTA CRUZ	2, 3	15, 18
SHASTA	2, 3	4, 5, 6
SIERRA	2, 3	10, 11

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SISKIYOU	2, 3	5, 10
SOLANO	2, 3	8, 9, 10, 16
SONOMA	2, 3	7, 8, 10
STANISLAUS	2, 3	10, 16, 17, 19
SUTTER	2, 3	6, 9, 10, 11
TEHAMA	2, 3	5, 10, 11
TRINITY	2, 3	4, 5, 10
TULARE	2, 3	19, 20, 21
TUOLUMNE	2, 3	10, 17, 19
VENTURA	2, 3	21, 23, 25, 30
YOLO	2, 3	8, 9, 10
YUBA	2, 3	6, 9, 10, 11

1.06 Sample Information for Mailed Notice

Following provides the type of information that could be included in the mailed notice to the construction trade journals. This list should be used only as a guide.

- Project title and contract number, if any
- Cost range
- Site location
- Who is taking bids/date and time due
- Owner's address and phone number
- Architect's address and phone number
- Brief description of work to be done
- Where plans may be obtained/deposit required/whether or not refundable
- Percentage of bid bond/percentage of performance bond/percentage of payment bond

1.07 List of Construction Trade Journals

The following organizations have indicated to the Commission that they:

- Publish a newsletter or trade journal, on a weekly or more frequent basis, that contains a section listing projects being bid; or provide a telephone notice service to their members.
- Do not charge for publishing or otherwise disseminating a Notice to Contractors.

These organizations have indicated to the Commission that they serve subscribers or members in the counties listed to the right of each organization.

Organizations that meet criteria (a) and (b) above may be added to the list, or changes or corrections can be made to the list by contacting one of the following:

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Email	Physical Copy
Sent via email to: LocalGovPolicy@sco.ca.gov	Sent via mail to: Office of the State Controller Local Government Programs and Services Division Local Government Policy Section P.O. Box 942850 Sacramento CA 94250

NUMBER	ORGANIZATION	AREAS OF MEMBERS OR SUBSCRIBERS BY COUNTY
1	CMD (Construction Market Data) Document Processing Center 30 Technology Parkway South, Suite 100 Norcross, GA 30092-2912 Phone: 800-424-3996 Email: customercare@cmdgroup.com Website: www.cmdgroup.com	California
2	BidNet Direct (BidNet) 11622 El Camino Real, #100 San Diego, CA 92130 Phone: 800-479-5314 Email: support@bidnet.com Website: https://www.bidnetdirect.com/california	California
3	Dodge Data & Analytics 830 Third Avenue, 6 th Floor New York, NY 10022 Phone: 877-784-9556 Email: support@bidnet.com Website: www.construction.com	California
4	Humboldt Builders' Exchange, Inc. 1213 5th Street Eureka, California 95501 Phone: 707-442-3708 Website: www.humbx.com	Del Norte, Humboldt, Lake, Mendocino, Shasta, and Trinity
5	Shasta Builders' Exchange 1355 Hartnell Ave Redding, CA 96002 Phone: 530-221-5556 Email: planroom@shastabe.com Website: www.shastabe.com	Butte, Colusa, Del Norte, Glenn, Humboldt, Lake, Lassen, Modoc, Plumas, Sacramento, Shasta, Siskiyou, Tehama, and Trinity

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NUMBER	ORGANIZATION	AREAS OF MEMBERS OR SUBSCRIBERS BY COUNTY
6	Valley Contractors Exchange, Inc. 951 East Eighth Street Chico, CA 95928 Phone: 530-343-1981 Email: info@vceonline.com Website: www.vceonline.com	Butte, Colusa, Glenn, Plumas, Shasta, Sutter, and Yuba
7	North Coast Builders Exchange 1030 Apollo Way Santa Rosa, CA 95407 Phone: 707-542-9502 Fax: 707-542-2027 Website: www.ncbeonline.com	Lake, Marin, Mendocino, Napa, and Sonoma
8	Marin Builders Association 660 Las Gallinas Avenue San Rafael, CA 94903 Phone: 415-462-1220 Fax: 415-462-1225 Email: mba@marinbuilders.com Website: www.marinbuilders.com	Alameda, Contra Costa, Lake, Marin, Mendocino, Napa, Sacramento, San Francisco, San Joaquín, San Mateo, Santa Clara, Solano, Sonoma, and Yolo
9	Sacramento Regional Builders' Exchange 5370 Elvas Avenue Sacramento, CA 95819 Phone: 916-442-8991 Fax: 916-446-3117 Email: planroom@srbx.org Website: www.srbx.org	El Dorado, Nevada, Placer, Sacramento, Solano, Sutter, Yolo, and Yuba
10	Placer County Contractors Association & Builders Exchange 10656 Industrial Avenue, Suite 160 Roseville, CA 95678 Phone: 916-771-7229 Fax: 916-771-0556 Email: planroom@srbx.org Website: www.pccamembers.com	Alameda, Alpine, Amador, Butte, Calaveras, Colusa, Contra Costa, Del Norte, El Dorado, Fresno, Glenn, Humboldt, Lake, Lassen, Madera, Mariposa, Mendocino, Merced, Modoc, Mono, Monterey, Napa, Nevada, Placer, Plumas, Sacramento, San Benito, San Francisco, San Joaquín, Santa Clara, Shasta, Sierra, Siskiyou, Solano, Sonoma, Stanislaus, Sutter, Tehama, Trinity, Tuolumne, Yolo, and Yuba
11	Nevada County Contractors' Association 149 Crown Point Court Grass Valley, CA 95945 Phone: 530-274-1919 Email: plans@nccabuildingpros.com Website: www.nccabuildingpros.com	Butte, El Dorado, Glenn, Lassen, Nevada, Placer, Plumas, Sacramento, Sierra, Sutter, Tehama, and Yuba

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12	The San Francisco Builders Exchange 850 South Van Ness Avenue San Francisco, CA 94110-1911 Phone: 415-282-8220 Email: deanna@bxofsf.com Website: www.bxofsf.com	Alameda, San Francisco, San Mateo, and Santa Clara
13	Bay Area Builders Exchange 3055 Alvarado Street San Leandro, CA 94577 Phone: 510-483-8880 Email: info@bayareabx.com Website: www.bayareabx.com	Alameda, Contra Costa, San Francisco, San Mateo, and Santa Clara
14	Peninsula Builders Exchange 282 Harbor Blvd, Bldg. D Belmont, CA 94002 Phone: 650-591-4486 Website: www.safetystar.org/safetystar	Alameda, Contra Costa, San Francisco, San Mateo, and Santa Clara
15	Builders' Exchange of Santa Clara County 400 Reed Street Santa Clara, CA 95050 Phone: 408-727-4000 Fax: 408-727-2779 Email: info@bxsc.co Website: www.bxsc.co	Alameda, Monterey, San Francisco, San Mateo, Santa Clara, and Santa Cruz
16	Builders' Exchange of San Joaquin 4561 Quail Lake Drive, Suite B2 Stockton, CA 95207 Phone: 209-478-1000 Email: planroom@besonline.com Website: http://www.bxsj.org	Alameda, Calaveras, Contra Costa, Fresno, Madera, Merced, Sacramento, San Joaquin, Solano, and Stanislaus
17	Valley Builders Exchange, Inc. 1118 Kansas Avenue Modesto, CA 95351 Phone: 209-522-9031 Email: planroom@valleybx.com Website: www.valleybx.com	Amador, Calaveras, Merced, San Joaquin, Stanislaus, and Tuolumne
18	Central Coast Builders Association 242 East Romie Lane Salinas, CA 93907 Phone: 831-758-1624 Email: staff@ccbabuilds.com Website: www.ccbabuilds.com	Monterey, San Benito, San Luis Obispo, and Santa Cruz

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19	Central California Builders Exchange 1244 N. Mariposa Street Fresno, CA 93703 Phone: 559-237-1831 Email: info@cencalbx.com Website: http://cencalbx.com/	Calaveras, Fresno, Kern, Kings, Madera, Mariposa, Merced, San Joaquin, Stanislaus, Tulare, and Tuolumne
20	Tulare & Kings Counties Builders Exchange 827 W Center Ave Visalia, CA 93291 Phone: 559-732-4568 Email: info@tkcbe.com Website: www.tkcbe.com	Fresno, Kern, Kings, and Tulare
21	Kern County Builders' Exchange, Inc. 4310 Ardmore Avenue, Ste. 100 Bakersfield, CA 93309 Phone: 661-324-4921 Email: kcbex@kcbex.com Website: www.kcbex.com	Fresno, Inyo, Kings, Kern, Los Angeles, San Bernardino, San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara, Tulare Ventura
22	San Luis Obispo County Builders Exchange 153 Cross Street, #130 San Luis Obispo, CA 93401 Phone: 805-543-7330 Email: info@slocbe.com Website: www.slocbe.com	Kern, Monterey, San Luis Obispo, and Santa Barbara
23	Ventura County Contractors Association 1830 Lockwood Street, No. 110 Oxnard, CA 93036 Phone: 805-981-8088 Email: vcca@vccainc.com Website: www.vccainc.com	Santa Barbara and Ventura
24	Construction Data Company 2001 9 th Avenue, 2 nd Floor Vero Beach, FL 32960 Phone: 800-652-0008 Email: service@cdcnews.com Website: www.cdcnews.com	California
25	BidAmerica 41085 Elm Street Murrieta, CA 92562 Phone: 951-677-4819 Email: planroom@bidamerica.com Website: www.BidAmerica.com	California

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NUMBER	ORGANIZATION	AREAS OF MEMBERS OR SUBSCRIBERS BY COUNTY
26	Construction Bid Source Interactive 6265 HWY 9 Felton, CA 95018 Phone: 888-786-9450 Website: www.constructionbidsource.com	California
27	Demandstar – Onvia Supplier Services 509 Olive Way, Suite 400 Seattle, WA 98101 Phone: 800-575-1736 Website: www.demandstar.com or Website: www.onvia.com	California
28	Challenge News 1276 Lincoln Avenue, Suite 203 San Jose, CA 95125 Phone: 408-998-0241 Email: info@challengenews.net Website: https://challengenews.net/	California
29	Associated General Contractors of America San Diego Chapter, Inc. 6212 Ferris Square San Diego, CA 92121 Phone: 858-558-7444 Email: planroom@agcsd.org Website: www.agcsd.org	Orange, Riverside, San Bernardino, and San Diego
30	Tri-Co Reprographics 720 E. Haley Street Santa Barbara, CA 93101 Phone: 805-966-1701 Email: sbplots@tricoblue.com Website: www.tricoblue.com	Santa Barbara, Ventura, and San Luis Obispo

1.08 List of Closed Construction Trade Journals

The following construction trade journals have closed or are no longer functioning as of the publication date of this manual. Organizations that wish to advertise their projects should **not** contact any of the below trade journals. The below section is meant for reference only.

ORGANIZATION	AREAS OF MEMBERS OR SUBSCRIBERS BY COUNTY
Solano-Napa Builders Exchange 135 Camino Dorado Napa, CA 94558 Phone: 707-255-2515 Fax: 707-255-2749 Email: membership@snbe.com Website: http://snbe.org	Napa and Solano CLOSED
El Dorado Builders' Exchange 3430 Robin Lane, Suite 7 Shingle Springs, CA 95682 Phone: 530-672-2955	Amador, El Dorado, Nevada, Placer, Sacramento, and Yolo CLOSED
Bay Area Builders Exchange 2440 Stanwell Drive, Suite B Concord, CA 94520 Phone: 925-685-8630 Website: www.bayareabx.com	Alameda, Contra Costa, El Dorado, Lake, Mendocino, Napa, Placer, Sacramento, San Francisco, Santa Clara, Solano, and Sonoma LOCATION CLOSED
Builders Exchange of Merced & Mariposa 646 CA-HWY 59 Merced, CA 95341 Phone: 209-722-3612 Website: www.bxmm.org	Fresno, Kern, Kings, Madera, Mariposa, Merced, San Joaquin, and Stanislaus CLOSED
Southern California Builders Association 732 N. Diamond Bar Blvd. #224 Diamond Bar, CA 91765 Phone: 909-396-1451 Email: scba@socalbuilders.org Website: www.socalbuilders.org	Imperial, Los Angeles, Orange, Riverside, San Bernardino, and San Diego CLOSED
Builders Notebook P.O. Box 4883 Santa Barbara, CA 93140 Phone: 877-776-5436 Email: planroom@buildersnotebook.com Website: www.buildersnotebook.com	Los Angeles, San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara, and Ventura Non-Functioning Website

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