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# MBA Welcomes David D. Daquelente

Executive Director

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**Pittsburgh, PA** – The Master Builders' Association of Western Pennsylvania, Inc. (MBA) is pleased to welcome David D. Daquelente as Executive Director. Earlier this year, after conducting an extensive nationwide search, the MBA Board of Directors unanimously approved Daquelente as the association's next Executive Director. Today marks his first day as MBA's new professional staff leader.

Dave began his construction career as an apprentice with the Carpenters. He later served as Director of Labor Management and Operations at Mobile Medical Corporation for seven years. Most recently, Dave was the Executive Director of the Ironworker Employers Association of Western Pennsylvania. With a young family, Dave is deeply rooted in the Pittsburgh area and brings demonstrated strengths as a relationship builder, committed to both mission and membership.

Daquelente said, "I am proud to be a part of the MBA's future and work with our dedicated Board of Directors and outstanding staff to serve our members and the industry."

Over the past 28 years as Executive Director, Jack Ramage has established MBA's strong foundation of reputation, member service, and industry impact. MBA is sincerely grateful for his many years of leadership and service, in building and managing a great staff and organization. Jack will remain with MBA for the remainder of the year, as the Executive Director transition takes place.

MBA President, Todd Dominick said, "We are truly excited about the leadership and potential Dave displays and we believe that there is a very bright future ahead for MBA contractors and this association."

#### About the MBA

Since 1886, MBA contractors have set the standard in Western PA for construction excellence by investing in a skilled workforce, implementing award-winning safety programs and offering the best in management expertise. For more information on the MBA, please call 412-922-3912 or visit <a href="https://www.mbawpa.org">www.mbawpa.org</a>

### **Photos**

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Dave Daquelente and Jack Ramage



Dave Daquelente



Jack Ramage