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Productivity and Value at the Core of a Relationship with the Union

WASHINGTON DC (February 24, 2009) – The skilled tradesmen who do more than you can imagine – **Union Ironworkers** – are emphasizing the many advantages of a relationship with the international organization. Ironworker Locals are ready and prepared to showcase the productivity and value offered by a well-trained and flexible workforce to those contractors with whom no relationship exists.

“A relationship with Union Ironworkers is based on improving business. Our Locals are committed to providing contractors a safe, well-trained and drug-free workforce and dedicated to improving their economic and operational success,” said Joseph Hunt, general president of the International Association of Bridge, Structural, Ornamental and Reinforcing Iron Workers. “We are emphasizing our commitment to building relationships with those contractors we have not worked with in the past and reaffirming our partnerships with those contractors who we are currently working so hard for.”

Union Ironworkers are looking for opportunities to build trust with contractors who rely on the organization. As a result of the earned trust, various business advantages are realized including no benefits administration costs, lower crew turnover and savings as a result of a more productive, flexible workforce. With a national database of qualified and certified hands available, contractors can rely on a well-trained and flexible supply of Ironworkers to reach operational and financial success.

In addition, the organization continually reinforces the Union Ironworker Standard of Excellence as the basis for its commitment to expanding relationships. This standard is a commitment that ensures Union Ironworkers are the most skilled, most productive and safest of the building trades.

Contractors and others can visit www.IronworkersDoMore.com to see the various projects, the wide-ranging capabilities and review the Ironworker Standard of Excellence.

About Union Ironworkers

Members of the International Association of Bridge, Structural, Ornamental and Reinforcing Iron Workers are part of the construction trades. It is their job to unload, erect and connect steel beams that form the skeleton of a structure in addition to working in precast concrete, metal buildings, reinforcing steel, ornamental iron and metal curtain wall construction. Throughout the United States and Canada there are over 120,000 union Ironworkers in local hiring halls and fabrication shops. More information can be found at www.Ironworkers.org or www.IMPACT-net.org.

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