



## LABOR JURISDICTIONS

The following information is a general overview of the skilled workforce at McCormick Place. Official Service Contractors, Audio Visual Contractors, Production Companies, Labor Brokers and Exhibitor Appointed Contractors will provide more information regarding the trades that they schedule.

### MCCORMICK PLACE

- **Communication Service Technicians:** Responsible for the installation, repair and dismantle of all voice and data service including fiber optics and Internet and Cable TV installations, as well as performing all in-booth voice and data wiring of telecommunications equipment.
- **McCormick Place Electricians:** Responsible for providing electrical power to all equipment that uses electricity. They are also responsible for the assembly, installation and dismantle of electrical equipment in meeting rooms and ballrooms utilized for meeting purposes and meal functions. In addition, they are responsible for electrical wiring, rigging, hookups and interconnections, electrical signs, video and audio cabling in these meeting rooms and ballrooms.

### UTILITY CONTRACTOR

The Event Organizer is responsible for choosing a Utility Contractor which will provide electrical and plumbing services. Only one contractor should be chosen from the approved McCormick Place Utility Contractor list.

- **Electricians:** Responsible for providing electrical power to all equipment that uses electricity. They are also responsible for the assembly, installation and dismantle of electrical equipment in exhibits halls, public space, meeting rooms and ballrooms utilized as support space, (i.e. exhibits, registration, offices, lounges, speaker ready rooms, etc.). In addition, they are responsible for electrical wiring, rigging, hookups and interconnections, electrical signs, video and audio cabling in these areas.
- **Plumbers:** Responsible for all plumbing, including the installation and tear out of tanks, compressed air, water, drain, natural gas, bottled pressurized gases, water filling and draining of tanks, installation of all venting to the atmosphere, anchoring and welding.

## OTHER SERVICE CONTRACTORS

Depending on the scope of your event other trades may be needed. The trades below would be provided by Official Service Contractors, Audio Visual Contractors, Production Companies, Labor Brokers and/or an Exhibitor Appointed Contractors.

- **Carpenters:** Responsible for uncrating exhibits and display materials, installing and dismantling exhibits including cabinets and machinery, installing and dismantling scaffolding and ganging chairs.
- **Decorators:** Responsible for hanging signs and installing all drapes, cloth and/or tucked fabric panels.
- **Riggers:** Responsible for unloading machinery from trucks and the movement of the machinery. They are also responsible for un-crating, un-skidding, positioning and re-skidding all machinery.
- **Teamsters:** Responsible for unloading and moving freight from the loading dock to the exhibit booth or final location.
- **Projectionists:** Responsible for the load in, setup, staging, and striking of any projection equipment including building screens smaller than 147 square feet.
- **Stagehands:** Responsible for operating cued, lighting boards and building screens 147 square feet and larger. They also install, operate and dismantle all audio, lighting and rigging for functions ruled as a General Session by the Senior Director of Labor Relations.
- **Camera Operators:** Responsible for operating cameras when multiple cameras are in use.