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Kyle Reagan Elected as ABCMA Chairman for 2010

Burlington - Kyle Reagan of DECCO, Inc. was recently confirmed by the ABCMA membership to serve as Chairman for 2010. Kyle has a long standing relationship with ABC, dating back to his days as a student at Fitchburg State College. Reagan succeeds Jerry Simmer of Shawnlee Construction, Inc. who served as 2009 Chairman.

One of Reagan's goals is to position ABC companies to succeed in the coming year. "History teaches us the economy will rebound, in spite of government intervention, thanks to the forces of the free market. Hopefully the lesson that remains is that competition is *the* economic driver," Reagan said. "I firmly believe that it will be ABC member companies that are best positioned to successfully emerge from this downturn. They have a long history of thriving in highly competitive environments. Our membership sets us apart from union and other nonunion companies by promoting the merit shop philosophy and its focus on capability and performance."

ABCMA President Greg Beeman is looking forward to working with Reagan. "I have known Kyle for several years now and I believe his enthusiasm and outgoing personality will serve our members well in 2010 and beyond," Beeman stated. "We have our work cut out for us and I know that Kyle, his fellow board members, and the ABC staff are eager to continue working on behalf of and advocating strenuously for our entire membership."

Reagan holds a Bachelor of Science Degree in Construction Engineering from Fitchburg State College and has been employed at DECCO, Inc. for fifteen years.