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PCI Celebrates National Construction Appreciation Week

CHICAGO, September 15, 2025 – The Precast/Prestressed Concrete Institute (PCI) celebrates the nation's construction workers by recognizing National Construction Appreciation Week, September 15-20, 2025.

The week recognizes the dedication, both physical and mental, of the approximately 8 million men and women who work in the nation's \$1.2 trillion construction industry. These are the people who toil away in constructing the nation's buildings, bridges, and highways.

"Construction professionals are the backbone of our nation's infrastructure," said PCI President and CEO Bob Risser. "During National Construction Appreciation Week, PCI proudly honors the men and women whose skill, dedication, and innovation shape the built environment every day. Their work not only builds our communities—it strengthens our economy and secures our future."

Visit <u>pci.org/projectprofiles</u> to view some of the construction workers' precast concrete buildings and infrastructure projects that have contributed to the nation's built environment. Learn more about the precast concrete industry at <u>pci.org/howprecastbuilds</u>.

About PCI

Founded in 1954, The Precast/Prestressed Concrete Institute (PCI) is a technical institute for the precast concrete structures and systems industry. PCI develops maintains, and disseminates the Body of Knowledge for the design, fabrication, and construction of precast concrete structures and systems. PCI develops consensus base standards, industry handbooks, quality assurance programs, certification, research and development projects, design manuals, continuing education, and periodical publications. PCI members include precast concrete producers, erectors, suppliers, professional engineers and architects, educators, students, and industry consultants who complement the wide range of knowledge of precast concrete. For more information, visit pci.org/howprecastbuilds.