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Leadership Continues To Grow

On February 28th the annual CJE business meeting took place at the TCPN Offices in Austin, Texas. This was the first official meeting in person for the new CJE organization and was in keeping with the goal of bring the organization to where the members are living and working.

The 2008 board elections of CJE took place. The well attended meeting was active with discussion, ideas and the interest to build on the success of the past. After the elections were held the new board was sworn in by past Industry Chair's Ron Ecker and Clint Owings, the new CJE board consists of:

- Current Industry Chairman – David Carrithers, Centennial Contractors
- Past Industry Chairman – Ron Ecker, Parsons 3Di
- Future Industry Chairman – Bob Gair, RS Means
- Sectary – Carol Greb, The Cooperative Purchasing Network
- Treasurer – Clint Owings, The Gordian Group
- Member At Large, 3 Years – Rick Farrag, KBR
- Member At Larger, 2 Years – Greg Smith, Jamail & Smith Contractors

All agreed to support the mission, vision and values of CJE and support the organization and members through action and personal commitment.

“We have aggressive but well within reach goals for 2008 of doubling the membership, growing a regional form and forum of CJE along with getting the message out on Job Order Contracting to associations and other complementary organizations” stated Carrithers. The future efforts are about getting the word and value of job order contracting, especially for the public sector funded facilities and infrastructure to different groups and industries including universities, municipalities, states and federal agencies.

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About Center For Job Order Contracting Excellence

Founded in 1994 the Mission of the organization is to promote a cost effective, efficient, performance-based, high quality Job Order Contracting project delivery system though the development and education for the industry. The organization supports best practices sharing, research, network and industry development efforts focused on JOC. Members include facility owners, managers, JOC contractors, educators, consultants, service providers, publishers and students. For more information go to www.JOCexcellence.org