

Safety Training Offered by IMPA Service Corp

For the past two decades, IMPA Service Corp, IMPA's operations and engineering subsidiary, has continually broadened its service offerings to address the diverse needs of member communities. At the request of members, these offerings expanded further in 2022 as the Agency prioritized staff training and education for member communities. With help from the Tennessee Valley Public Power Association (TVPPA), a non-profit training and service organization, the Agency's staff developed an IMPA Service Corp Safety Program that launched in January of 2022.

The Safety Program follows a pre-determined list of safety topics for the year, bringing a knowledgeable and experienced instructor directly to member communities to provide the training in-house. Sessions planned throughout the year include instruction on metering safety, arc flash protection, workplace

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IMPA Announces New President and CEO



At IMPA's February Board Meeting, the Agency's recently established CEO Search Committee recommended Jack Alvey as IMPA's new President and CEO. After discussion amongst the Board

of Commissioners, the recommendation was approved unanimously. Alvey will assume the role following the retirement of Raj Rao, IMPA's current President and CEO, in April.

Jack Alvey joined IMPA in 1992 as IMPA's first Richmond Combustion Turbine Operator/Technician and currently serves as the Executive Vice President and Chief Operating Officer. In his current role, Alvey is responsible for IMPA's generation operations, transmission joint ownership, electrical facilities, construction, safety, and environmental and reliability compliance. He previously served in the United States Navy's nuclear power field. Alvey holds a Master of Business Administration degree from IU Kelley School of Business as well as a Bachelor

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of Science degree from Purdue University. As he prepares for the role of President and CEO, in March, he will celebrate his 30-year anniversary with IMPA.

“The CEO Search Committee set forth numerous qualifications as requisites for the future leader of the Agency,” commented Brent Slover, Chairman of the IMPA Board and a member of the CEO Search Committee for the Agency. “Jack exceeded our expectations due to his decades

of experience, knowledge of the industry, and respect of IMPA members. We look forward to his leadership of the Agency.”

The IMPA Board of Commissioners is thrilled to appoint an internal candidate to the position of President and CEO to keep the Agency on the same successful path that it has experienced over the last 40 years. With years of experience at IMPA, Alvey will lead the organization with a preestablished understanding of the Agency’s culture and a wealth of knowledge and expertise. In the weeks ahead, Alvey will work with Rao to gain a better sense of the role before taking the helm in early April.

“It is truly an honor to be selected as IMPA’s next President and CEO,” commented Alvey. “In my 30 years with IMPA, I have had the privilege of working alongside Raj to help establish the Agency into the successful organization that it is today. It has been a pleasure to be part of numerous substantial events in IMPA’s history, and I look forward to continuing the Agency’s mission of low-cost, reliable, environmentally-responsible power for many years to come.”

“The IMPA Board of Commissioners made an excellent choice in choosing Jack Alvey to lead the Agency into the future,” said Rao. “I have full confidence in his abilities to effectively continue IMPA’s legacy.” ●



Alvey speaks to the Board after it is announced that he will be IMPA’s next President and CEO. Seated are Rao and Slover.

Solar Program Continues to Grow

At the end of 2021, IMPA had nearly 150 megawatts (MW) of solar capacity online in various member communities throughout Indiana. The year saw tremendous growth in the Agency’s solar capacity with six additional parks constructed in the IMPA member communities of Anderson, Columbia City, Peru, and Richmond. Altogether, these parks added 33.7 MW of renewable power to the Agency’s diverse power supply portfolio. With the recent additions included, IMPA’s solar parks provide enough energy to power approximately 22,000 homes.

The Agency has no plans of slowing its solar expansion, either. Through this year, IMPA plans to construct six more solar facilities in Anderson, Bremen, Gas City, Linton, Peru, and Walkerton, Indiana. Future developments are also in the works, bringing more renewable energy across the state. Between projects currently under construction, and those in development for 2023, the Agency will have nearly 200 MW of

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violence, and much more. The Safety Program is customizable to interested communities, allowing members to sign up for as many or as few classes as desired, depending on their needs. As with many IMPA programs, utilities are able to share in the costs of the sessions, as the price per member drops depending on the number of communities participating in individual sessions. Communities who have already hosted these training sessions include Anderson, Crawfordsville, Greenfield, Richmond, and Tell City. Sessions have also been held at IMPA Service Corp’s facilities in Advance and Spiceland.

Beyond power supply and transmission, IMPA Service Corp continues to seek opportunities to support member communities with their daily operations. With IMPA’s multiple service offerings, member communities have access to a variety of resources aimed at improving their quality of work at a low cost. Looking toward the future, the Agency plans to continue adapting to the assorted needs of its members, taking into account what is best for public power and IMPA as a whole. •

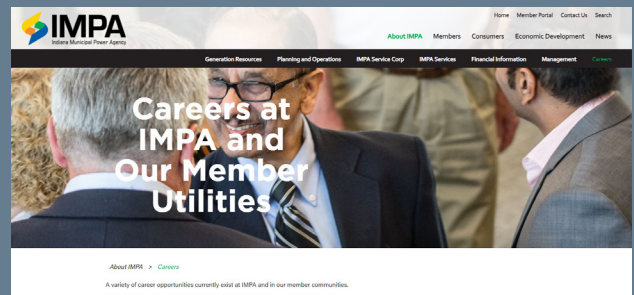
Future Sessions Planned

March	Grounding
April	Hazardous Communications
May	Pole/Bucket Truck Rescue
June	Arc Flash Protection
July	Workplace Violence
August	Metering Safety
September	Personal Protective Equipment
October	Lockout/Tagout
November	Cold Weather Safety
December	Slips, Trips, and Falls

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constructed solar capacity in member communities by the end of next year.

IMPA's solar projects poise the Agency for a successful future, ensuring that members continue having access to low-cost, reliable, and environmentally-responsible power for decades to come. Building solar parks in member communities allows these towns and cities to reap the benefits of additional tax revenue, a diversified power supply, and an educational opportunity for local students. Together with its members, IMPA is proud to be a leader in renewable energy construction. •

