

NEWS & VIEWS

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Thursday November 4th ORACCA meeting is virtual! 11:00AM

The November meeting will feature Stacey Marsh of Airefco presenting new air filtration system that kills airborne viruses including COVID, and Sarah Ambrosek of Workshare Oregon to present programs designed to retain employees during slow times. Meeting is virtual, vis Zoom, at 11:00AM, Thursday November 4th, 2021

Join Zoom Meeting

Topic: My Meeting

Time: November 4th, 2021 11:00 AM Pacific

Time (US and Canada)

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PuriFi Filtration Systems

Are you looking for a new revenue stream, one that is not seasonal and that every home and business can utilize? Compatible with any ducted system regardless of size or manufacturer, one that cleans the air, reduces odors, and

kills airborne viruses. If that sounds like something you could add to your offering then join us on the 4th as Stacey Marsh and Landon Merrill of Airefco will demonstrate ease of installation, selling points, efficiencies, applications and why this product is a must today and moving forward.

Retaining Employees Workshare Oregon

For over 35 years Workshare Oregon has provided financial assistance to Oregon businesses to help retain employees when times are slow. In a industry as seasonal as ours this can be a huge problem.

Sarah Ambrosek along with Debbie Burchfiel, Jonathon Peltz, and Maria Villa will explain how program works, the parameters of the program, what are the qualifications, how to register, and where to go for assistance or help with utilizing the program.

Please bring any questions you may have that we may have missed, and don't forget that this qualifies for an hour of continuing education.

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What?
**Nov. Virtual
Meeting**
**Airefco: PuriFi
Air Filtration**
**Workshare
Oregon: Retain
Employees**

November 4th
ORACCA Update 2021:

Upcoming changes for
Oregon Building Codes

Did You Know ...



Membership with ORACCA is a benefit for all members of the company!

To help keep your team well-informed with important industry news, special member perks and discounts, as well as training workshops and webinars opportunities -- we encourage our member companies to make all of their employees aware of ORACCA updates.

There are many benefits of an ORACCA membership. [Here are the top several mentioned by existing members.](#)

- 1. Networking with other contractors. This source of information is invaluable in handling problems within your own company. ORACCA members help fellow members to be successful**
- 2. Training discounts. Brazing Certification, NATE Certification, Manuals J, D, S and T Certification, CFC certification. Special pricing for members more than offsets the cost of membership.**
- 3. Medical insurance coverage. The ORACCA Health plan offers plans that could more than pay for your ORACCA membership.**
- 4. Many of our educational monthly meetings qualify for either NATE CEU's and/or CCB CE's**
- 5. Quarterly meetings with Oregon Code officials. Get your code enforcement questions answered [here](#).**

Additional reason for membership are:

- Company membership applies to all employees of your firm
- Access to local experts from NW Natural, PGE, ETO and Local and State Building Code Division personnel for your technical and code questions.
- Monthly meetings with informative presentations that benefit both the Contractor and Supplier.
- Relevant technical training and educational classes.
- Monthly newsletters and email communications filled with industry information and updates.
- Reduced rates on materials, conferences, and training.



ORACCA distributes NEWS & VIEWS on a monthly basis to members and selected non-members, so that all those in the HVAC/R industry can keep informed of issues regarding our trade, and Chapter activities. We hope the non-members will see this newsletter as an example of the quality services that ORACCA provides. Contributions or suggestions can be faxed to Association Headquarters at 503-914-1999 or emailed to dan@oracca.org

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On-Demand Training /Testing. This means the tests are scheduled with both your availability and that of the the Proctor in mind. Once you feel comfortable to take the test, a date and place are set up through the ORACCA office. Call 360-824-3805 for information.

These on demand training/testing sessions include the following:

EPA 608 CFC Training/Test - Now Available!
NATE Training/Test Core, Gas Heat and Heat Pump

Brazing Certification Test,

Brazing Test: December 17th, site to be determined

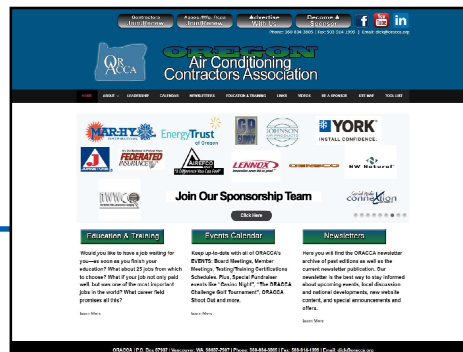
The written retest is available on-line for those needing to retake just the written portion of the test. **Use this link to access via the website. <https://oracca.org/on-line-brazing-re-test-signup/>**

You can also register by contacting the ORACCA office for a form. 360-834-3805

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For additional information visit www.oracca.org or call 360-834-3805. Email dan@oracca.org

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