## MGA is:

The Association advocates for and promotes member success in the architectural and auto glass industries. Through Training and Education, the Association supports Professionalism and High Ethical Standards; unifying members to speak as one for Safety, our Environment and Fair Competition.



## **Our Mission:**

"To develop and maintain a strong and vital organization that improves the image of the industry through promotion of reasonable regulations and adherence to and promotion of ethical business practices."

## **Code of Ethics**

- \* To promote and encourage fair and ethical competition.
- \* To fulfill all contractual obligations and respect the contractual obligations of others by not inducing breach of existing contract.
- ★ To use safety glazing materials whenever possible and to refuse to sell unsafe products.
- \* To maintain a safe work area with adequate inventories of glass products and to sell these products at a fair and non-discriminatory price.
- \* To maintain the highest industry-wide standards of professional and personal conduct.
- \* To promote the advancement of the Association on both the local and national levels, supporting its goals and objectives.

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#### **Legislative and Regulatory Representation**

Representation at the Minnesota Capitol and within state agencies helps create a good business environment for the glass industry. The legislature and the Department of Commerce often seek input from the MGA on legislative and enforcement issues in Minnesota. Further, MGA maintains a constant presence at the Capitol, monitoring the introduction of all legislation to protect the interests of the glass industry (both flat and auto) in Minnesota.

### **Fuel Discount Program**

MGA has a fuel discount program, it leverages the group buying power of association members. The program is already well established to the point that the group now receives the maximum discount off their fuel purchases. For many members, this benefit alone more than covers the cost of their annual dues.

#### **Continuing Education and Training**

Education and training help you make the most of your employees. MGA offers short seminars on specific topics throughout the year, as well as opportunities for more in-depth training through the program that MGA helps to sponsor at Anoka Hennepin Technical College.

#### **Communication**

MGA offers members a regular newsletter to keep members up-to-date with the industry. We also maintain a website to provide information to members and the public.

### **Meetings and Events**

MGA sponsors meetings and events throughout the year where you can network with others in the glass industry to discuss successes, problems and solutions. By far one of the most productive benefits of membership in a trade association; our members are instrumental in helping improve other members' businesses through networking.

#### **Marketing Tools**

Demonstrate your commitment to the glass industry by displaying your MGA member certificate and using the MGA logo in your advertisements. Customers often will look for affiliation with a trade association in choosing a shop because it shows their commitment to quality and safety.

#### **AGRSS**

The MGA requires all members who replace auto glass to be Auto Glass Replacement Safety Standard (AGRSS) registered and certified. AGRSS details the steps installers must take to ensure safe auto glass replacement. It demonstrates professionalism on the part of the installer and assures the consumer that the glass replaced will continue to protect as designed.

For more information visit our website:

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Name	
Company	
City, State, Zip	
Phone	
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Email	
Primary Business:   Auto Glass Glazing	
Dues Structure	
☐ Less than \$499,999	\$300
□ \$500,000 - \$1,999,999	
□ \$2 million - \$4,999,999	
☐ Over \$5 million	
☐ Associate Member	\$300
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