



MSA is a very active association that continually advocates on your behalf with legislators and other key officials, brings quality educational programs to all staffing professionals and keeps you timely informed on matters that are important to you and your staffing business. Staffing agencies of all sizes that work with all types of workers and represent all types of clients benefit from membership in MSA. It is an investment that more than pays for itself.

What some of our members have experienced as a member of MSA:

We have been members of the MSA for years. The ability to be involved, and even help shape, legislative issues is critical to our long-term success. The MSA's lobbying efforts are invaluable to help educate our legislators on the good work we do. I highly recommend that all Massachusetts staffing firms, large and small, become involved.

*Scott Ragusa
President, Contract Staffing
WinterWyman Contract Staffing*

Joining the MSA has proven to be an excellent decision. Belonging and supporting an organization that is acting in the interest of our staffing industry is critical in light of all the legislative activity of late. Whenever I need advice or information relating to staffing Jean and Jori are very responsive and helpful. The annual membership fee is a good investment.

*Ernest Whitney
President
Premiere Staffing Services, Inc.*

CoWorx Staffing joined MSA in 2007. Over the years MSA has been instrumental in assisting CoWorx with ensuring compliance with the many laws imposed by the state while also actively campaigning for the rights of all staffing companies. Our participation in the organization has steadily increased as we see the true benefits we receive from the efforts of the group. In addition to being a place of learning we have also greatly benefited from networking with our industry colleagues and learning best practices.

*Barbara Shannon
Sr Director, Sales & Operations
CoWorx Staffing Services*

Atlantic Associates Inc. has recently joined as new member of the MSA this past year. We have been tremendously impressed with wide range of topics that the MSA tracks to make sure that the employment laws and other regulation changes are in best interest of the staffing industry. Just this year with the Affordable Care Act and the Earned Sick Time Law, the MSA has help guide our internal decision making to ensure we are in compliance with the new regulations. The MSA leadership is extremely professional and the education programs that they put in place throughout the year are very beneficial to all members. We should have joined earlier...

*Patrick McNamara
Market Director
Atlantic Associates Inc*

Even though we haven't been involved with a lot of the great events MSA sponsors, the organization has been an incredible resource for all things staffing when it comes to legislative changes, legalities and what's current in the industry. They are a great representation for MA and continue to exceed all expectations. Jean and her team are incredibly on top of their games in sending emails out to all of the members, even when it's something simple like wishing us happy holidays. I highly recommend MSA to anyone that is even considering joining. Money well spent, even if on a tight budget.

*Jill Ikens
President
Atrium Boston*

As a corporate partner of the MSA, as well as ASA, we have benefited tremendously. We get to brainstorm ideas, learn specifically about what is happening in the MA staffing area- especially pertaining to the work related laws in Massachusetts. MSA has been a valuable networking aspect for us and has exposed us to companies that might not have known about us and our insurance products. Being a member of the MSA over the last 5 years has helped grow our client base in the New England area. Working with Executive Director, Jean McCarty has always made it easy and fun to be a member of this association and has helped make us feel that our membership was important in helping MSA help MA be a better place for the staffing industry.

*Robert Thompson
Vice President
World Wide Specialty Program*

Harmon has been a member of the MSA for quite some time, long before I joined the Harmon team in 2008. I feel that MSA has helped me through these years by providing me with information I normally would not have at my fingertips. I find them very easy to talk to and get information from. I know they are trying their best to get more seminars and workshops out in Western Mass and I will continue to support them.

Thanks MSA for your continued hard work around giving the Massachusetts staffing world a chance.

*Michele DeTour
Office Manager
Harmon Personnel Services*

The Resource Connection, Inc. has been an active member of the Massachusetts Staffing Association for the past twenty five years. One of the key reasons we value our membership with MSA is because of the important work that is done with regard to legislation that could negatively affect our industry. MSA works with a lobbyist and a legislative committee to protect our interests. Being a member provides me the opportunity to be aware of issues in advance this helps me make informed business decisions.

Membership also provides credibility to our firm with customers, staff and temporary workers. For example, recently, I was asked to list our affiliations in a bid. When a new staff member is hired we include a copy of the MSA Code of Ethics in the orientation package. This sets the right tone for professionalism and good ethical practices. We also encourage staff to participate in the learning programs and events offered by MSA. Additionally, the overall benefits including networking and meeting and getting to know other members, sponsors and partners out way the small cost.

*Janet Santa Anna
President
The Resource Connection*