



UPCOMING EVENTS

DESIGNATED TRADE ALLY TRAINING TO BE OFFERED IN GRAND RAPIDS

If you're not already a Designated Trade Ally (TA) with the **Energy Efficiency Program for Business** — or need to renew your status, plan on attending our next TA training session.

Our regular sessions are held from 8:30 – 10:30 a.m. on the second Thursday of every month in the New Center One Building in Detroit.

And to make attendance easier for our contractors on the west side of the state, on **July 13** and **Aug. 10**, we'll be hosting Designated Trade Ally training in Grand Rapids.

For information on how to register for either session, visit the Trade Ally website (dtetradeally.com) and click on our Events Page.

MARK YOUR FALL CALENDAR FOR ADVANCED LIGHTING SESSION

Pencil in the date: Oct. 3 at the MSU Education Center in Troy. That's when we'll be holding the fall technical training seminar on **Advanced Lighting**.

We'll be posting registration information on the Trade Ally

website — dtetradeally.com — as soon as details are available.

If you have an idea or suggestion for a technical seminar, contact us at: saveenergy@dteenergy.com

PROJECT OF THE MONTH

JUNE: RIVER CITY MECHANICAL & KENTWOOD PUBLIC SCHOOLS

The school year may have come to an end for students, but many school facility upgrades and maintenance projects are just beginning.

For example, Kentwood School District officials in Grand Rapids are ensuring their students have a safe, comfortable learning environment when they return in the fall by completing their annual CSD-1 boiler testing with the help of River City Mechanical.

CSD-1 testing is required in the state of Michigan on all commercial boilers and needs to be completed by a state licensed contractor.

The contractor completed testing across all the district's facilities, including 17 schools and 1.7 million square feet of buildings. River City Mechanical then helped the district apply for



Tim Geets, LEED HVAC technician at River City Mechanical, in front of the Fulton Vantage 4,000,000 BTU boilers at East Kentwood High School.

tune-up incentives through the DTE **Energy Efficiency Program for Business**.

Altogether, the district received more than \$15,000 in rebates — and is expected to save nearly 2,700 Mcf in annual natural gas consumption and

nearly \$8,532 in annual energy costs.

The money saved through the rebates and reduced energy costs can now be used on the education of the district's 8,800 students.

ABOUT RIVER CITY MECHANICAL

River City Mechanical is a full-service mechanical contractor with almost two decades of professional business in the West Michigan area.

WANT YOUR PROJECT FEATURED?

Each month, we highlight a project completed by one of our Trade Allies. If you would like one of your projects considered for our Project of the Month, please email: lauren.harris@dnvgl.com with the subject line "Project of the Month."