



THE UNDERGROUND

UCTA GULF COAST CHAPTER NEWS YOU CAN USE

Thank you, President Wayne Brown!

MIKE SHELTON, GULF COAST VP

The UCTA Gulf Coast Chapter extends a special note of gratitude to Wayne Brown (Debris Removal Services) for his leadership as Chapter President for the past two years.

Under Wayne's guidance we increased membership, held fantastic events, improved our lunch venue, and strengthened the chapter's finances. Anyone who knows Wayne understands how much he cares about underground infrastructure, large diameter structures, and UCTA.

Wayne's passion reaches beyond the concrete in the ground to the people working in our industry. He has grown to know and love so many friends and colleagues over the years. Despite working through many challenging projects, Wayne always invests time and mentorship in his customers, partners, and team.

We are lucky to have Wayne Brown as a leader and driving force for the Gulf Coast Chapter of UCTA.



UCTA Gulf Coast President Wayne Brown (Debris Removal Services)



Golf Committee planning our March 2021 tournament!

Planning for March TopGolf Event

JASON MALDONADO, GOLF CHAIR

The Gulf Coast Golf Event committee including Robin Giammaruti, Tim McQueary, Jason Maldonado, Shelley Serres, Ben Robinson, and Mike Sechelski met on November 20 to plan our 2021 event.

The committee is currently considering holding the tournament on Tuesday March 4, 2021 in the afternoon or early evening. We plan finalize the details with TopGolf and send out emails with registration, sponsorship and volunteer opportunities.

We plan to hold the event at the TopGolf location on IH-10 west of Highway 6. The address is 1030 Memorial Brook Blvd, Houston, TX 77084.



Gulf Coast Lunch Meetings

TESA CORNETT, AM PARTNERS

UCTA general membership meetings feature a keynote speaker. Our October luncheon, held at Maggiano's Little Italy (2019 Post Oak Blvd 77056), featured Marty Paris, PE from Kimley-Horn and Associates, Inc. Marty spoke about sliplining a 120-inch diameter interceptor.

Lunch sponsorship cost is \$300 per meeting. Sponsors receive:

- Two complimentary lunch reservations
- Company sponsorship recognition in two email blasts to UCTA's database
- Signage at the general meeting with company's name
- Recognition and thanks announcement at meeting by president

Upcoming Gulf Coast Chapter meeting dates:

- Wednesday, February 2, 2021
- Wednesday, April 7, 2021
- Wednesday, June 2, 2021
- Wednesday, August 3, 2021
- Wednesday, October 5, 2021
- Wednesday, December 3, 2021

Please contact Tesa Cornett at tesa@ampartner.net to sponsor a lunch meeting.

Upcoming Events

DARCY DERKOWSKI, SOCIAL MEDIA CHAIR

Compete in our Virtual Pictionary contest on December 10, 2020. Win prizes and get to know your industry colleagues. See <https://uctaonline.org/event-4051192> for details and registration.



Also, mark your calendar for the May 18-20, 2021 UCT Conference and Exhibition in Nashville,

Tennessee. The event will be held at the Music City Center. See details at <https://uctonline.com/>.



Marty Paris (Kimley-Horn) presented at our October 4, 2020 luncheon about sliplining a 120-inch diameter interceptor.

