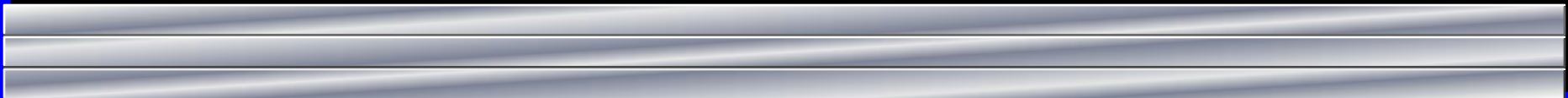


***Joint Lobbying  
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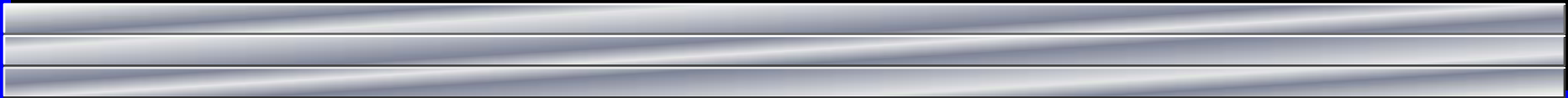
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**Yet another example of how  
“Together we do it Better!”**



# Labor and Management Working Together

- Workers Compensation Business and Labor Coalition
- Local Labor/Management Committees (Best Practices)
- The Necessity of Political Activity



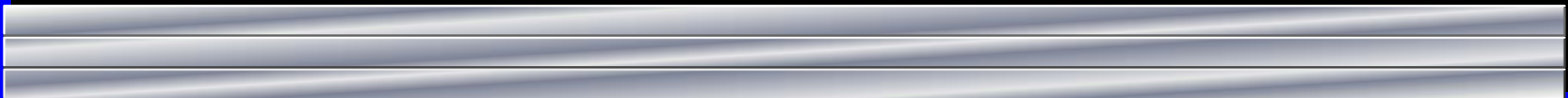
# Labor and Management Working Together

- Identify Mutual Gain Issues
- Go beyond party line platforms
- Joining forces and pooling  
resources are not optional today



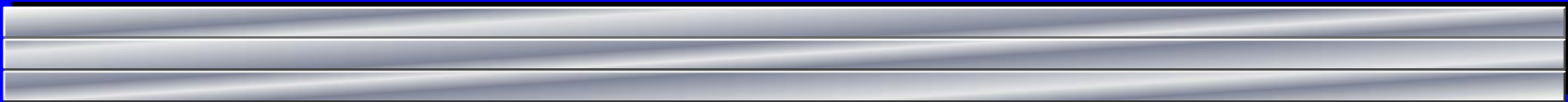
# Exploring Alliances

- MCA, IBEW, SMACNA, Associated Local Union Business Managers
- State Fed, ASA, Municipal League
- Key Political appointments - Chairs and Committee Assignments



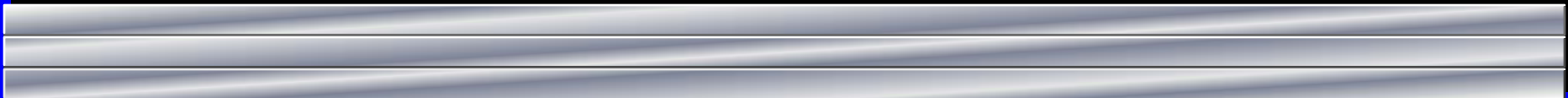
# Recent Successful Legislation in New Mexico

- Best Value Contracting
- Contractor Registration Act
- CID Codes Bill
- Electrical Competence Bill
- Pipeline Safety Provisions



# Recent Successfully Opposed Legislation

- Abolish NM CID Department
- Public Works Act repeal (little DB)
- Unfavorable Work Comp Bills
- No RTW attempts in 2 years
- Tax on Health Insurance Providers



# Future Legislative Initiatives

- Indoor Air Quality for Schools
- Homeland Security - State Facilities
- Sheet Metal Competence Bill
- Financial Responsibility for Building Owners - Certificate of Occupancy



# ***Joint Lobbying Efforts for Mutual Gains?***

**There's only one way to do it, and  
it's "Better Together"**

