

*Associated Builders & Contractors, Inc.
Brazosport Safety Council, Inc.
& Merit Shop Training, Inc.
cordially invite you to our*

Annual Christmas Social!

Tuesday, December 6, 2016

5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

(Business Casual Attire)



*1002 ABC Avenue
Brazos Room A
Freeport, Texas 77541
979.233.1616*

The Annual Christmas Social is a time for member appreciation, fun and fellowship. This event will also be the final opportunity to present donations to the 2016 Food Drive and to share your holiday spirit by bringing a new unwrapped toy for our Christmas Toy Drive!

Please visit the [Calendar of Events](#) on our new website to register/RSVP.

Unveiling Our New Website!

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Latest Events & Photos

What's New

- 11/15/16 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM - 1 HR
General Meeting
- 11/15/16 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM - 1 HR
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Information regarding your Continuing Education (CE) is available on the website. This information is provided in that order to ensure an accurate record of your CE. The information is provided in that order to ensure an accurate record of your CE. The information is provided in that order to ensure an accurate record of your CE.

Upcoming Events at a Glance

ABC Texas Gulf Coast

Associated Builders and Contractors, Inc. (ABC) is the largest and most influential organization in the construction industry. ABC represents the interests of the construction industry and its members. ABC is committed to providing the highest quality of service to its members and the public.

Know the Region

ABC Texas Gulf Coast is committed to providing a high quality of service to its members and the public. ABC Texas Gulf Coast is committed to providing a high quality of service to its members and the public.

Click for the Latest Coastline

- ◆ Information Available 24/7
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Electrical Continuing Education License Renewal Class Course #14728, Provider #1036, is scheduled for:

**Thursday, December 15, 2016
5:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.**

**1002 ABC Avenue, CR#2
Freeport, TX 77541
\$40 ABC Member
\$60 Non-Member**

**To schedule call 979.239.4372
or email: Marlene Wright at
mwright@abctxgulfoast.org**

**Meets TDLR requirement for 4-hour update for Master,
Journeyman and Apprentice License Renewal.
The instructor is a Master Electrician.**

We Like our Shrimp Spicy - Thanks for All Your Help

A **BIG THANKS** to Member Exhibitors & other sponsors who contributed food, beverages & door prizes:

Exhibitors:

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Beverage Sponsor:

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Performance Party Rents

Appreciation goes to the ABC Suppliers' Council Committee for their efforts in organizing this event & obtaining Exhibitors:

Joseph Sobotik, ABC Suppliers' Council Chairman
Mejia Industrial Supply Co.
Mickey Lester, ABC Board Liaison,
Wholesale Electric Supply Co. Inc.
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Anne Allstott, TDECU – Your Credit Union
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Dallas Harlan, Kelly Services, Inc.
Steve Lincoln, Summit Electric Supply
Cheryl Miller, Tolunay-Wong Engineers, Inc.
Mark Watts, Performance Party Rents
Ruby Pratt, ABC Staff Liaison

Appreciation to ABC staff for additional support:

Terry McAlister, Chapter President & CEO
Kelley Cope, Staff Liaison
Kay Farmer, NCCER Skills Assessments/Communications
Kyle Nairn, Facilities Manager

The ABC Mixer is a great networking & informative event.
Thanks to all members and other guests for taking the time to meet with the featured exhibitors!

As an added benefit, Competent Person Excavation Safety Training was also scheduled on October 6th.

A **BIG THANKS** to: **Jerry Wagner & Moses Perez** of United Rentals Trench Safety for providing this training.

Joseph Sobotik, ABC Suppliers' Council Chairman, announced door prizes.

Chris Blessing
\$25.00 Academy Gift Card
Ronnie Bravo
Fishing Rod
Shane Cramer
3-Rockets Tickets vs. Grizzlies and Parking Pass
Sandy Delgado
Free Rental: Frozen Drink Machine and Margarita Mix
Michael Donaldson
Assorted Craft Beer Basket
Jonathan Fehmel
Assorted Craft Beer Basket
Sharika Fuller
Camo Backpack & Nikon Binoculars
Justin Iwuala
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John Matula
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Joann Rodriguez
\$25.00 Academy Gift Card
Kenny Rouser
'Texans' Crock pot
Benjamin Sanchez
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Steven Serfeldt
\$25.00 Buffalo Wild Wings Gift Card
Roosevelt Thompson
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Roy Yates
\$25.00 Amazon Gift Card



Plan to join us next spring for the Mixer & Crawfish Boil!

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ABC Supplier/Member Mixer & Shrimp Boil a Success!
Exhibitors did a great job of showcasing a variety of products and services.



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2016 Local Craft Championship



Associated Builders and Contractors, Texas Gulf Coast Chapter held its annual local Craft Championship at Brazosport College on October 27th, 2016.

Participants competed against their peers for a chance to compete in the National ABC Craft Championships to be held in Fort Lauderdale, Florida, February 28, 2017 – March 3, 2017.

This year, the millwright craft was represented in competition with the support of Mr. Jim Slick, Coordinator, Brazosport College Machinist and Millwright Divisions. Local competitors met certain criteria which included active enrollment in craft training within the past 6 months, employment through an ABC Texas Gulf Coast member company, and completion of the 1st two levels of their craft with a “B” or better average. The local competition consisted of both written knowledge assessment and performance verifications. In determining a final score, the written portion accounted for 25% and the performance portion accounted for 75%.

The ABC Texas Gulf Coast Chapter will sponsor the following two champions at the 2017 National Craft Championships:

<i>Craft</i>	<i>Person</i>	<i>Company</i>
1st Place – Millwright	Robert Broadway	McGill Maintenance Partnership, LTD
2nd Place – Millwright	Timothy Sargent	RPM Services, Inc.

Beginning in 1987, the ABC National Craft Championships has emerged as one of the construction industry’s most recognized and revered craft skills events and premier skills competition.

We offer our congratulations and support to both **Robert Broadway** and **Timothy Sargent**. May they bring home the gold and silver!



L-R: Timothy Sargent, Jim Slick, Robert Broadway & Michael Comley

2017 National Championships Fort Lauderdale or Bust!



Holiday Food and Toy Drive

Please join ABC and share goodwill
this holiday season!

Make a Difference!

We accept cash donations, non-perishable canned items,
and new, unwrapped toys to help make the holiday
season a little brighter for those in need...

Donation Drop-off Locations:

ABC Offices
1002 ABC Avenue
Freeport, TX
Hours: Monday - Thursday
7:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Friday 7:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

or:
Bring donation to
ABC, BSC, MSTI
Christmas Social
December 6, 2016
5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.
ABC Brazos Room A

ABC
Cares

Holiday Food & Toy Drive Donation Deadline: ***Tuesday, December 6, 2016***

Public Relations Committee will deliver donations within the week.
As donations are made, the P/R Committee will publish
information through the ABC newsletter and local newspaper.

Food Drive

\$5.00 or 5 lbs.

Toy Drive
***New, Unwrapped
Toy***

ABC Charitable Donations



MILITARY MOMS & WIVES

Funds presented to Military Moms & Wives representatives: Mary Moreno (5th from left) & Karen McTotter (7th from left)



BRAZORIA COUNTY DREAM CENTER

Funds presented to Brazoria County Dream Center representative: Terri Willis (6th from left)



FREEPORT BOY SCOUT TROOP #345

Funds presented to Freeport Boy Scout Troop #345 representative: Nancy Gray (5th from left)



POWERPACKS

Funds presented to POWERPACKS representatives: Tracy Bishop (5th from left) & Christy Frey (7th from left)

ABC

Cares

ABC Public Relations Committee Members

Josh Mueller, Chairman - Tolunay-Wong Engineers, Inc., Terry McAlister, Chapter President - ABC, Lisa Bundick Woods, Board Liaison - Tri-Construction Co., Inc., Kelley Cope, Staff Liaison - ABC, Ruby Pratt, Staff Liaison - ABC, Loretta Anderson - All American Screening & Medical, Sherry Childress - Lone Star Resin Systems, Inc., Chris Cloninger - Wholesale Electric Supply Co., Joniese Copeland - Performance Contractors, Inc., Andie Harrington - Wolfenson Electric, Inc., Kimber James - Vencorex Chemicals, Drew Lindsey - Texas Gulf Bank NA, Jim Mahon - Candlewood Suites Lake Jackson, Mike Mathis - Brazos M&E, Cheryl Miller - Tolunay-Wong Engineers, Inc., Scott Potter - Kelly Services, Inc., Patrick Robie - Retirement Planning & Wealth Management, Mark Rosebud - N.D.I.C., Amy Rouse - Clark Industrial Services, Shayne Salinas - The Brevard Company, Haley Smith - Performance Contractors, Inc., Roosevelt Thompson - All American Screening & Medical, Scott Vardeman - IWS Gas & Supply of Texas, Ltd., Debbie Vavra - Park Place Sports & Awards, LLC, Cheryl Watts - Performance Party Rents, David Wauson - McGill Maintenance Partnership, Ltd., Jimmy West - Tolunay-Wong Engineers, Inc., Lisa Williams - Excel Contractors, Inc.

The ABC Public Relations/ABC Cares Committee organizes the annual Cook-off as well as promoting the Food, Clothing/Coats and Toy Drive throughout the year. Appreciation is extended to committee members for their contributions and involvement within the community.

A BIG thanks goes to the ABC members and others in the community for their efforts and contributions to ABC fundraiser events. These donations to local charities wouldn't be possible without you!



PUBLIC RELATIONS



ABC Public Relations Donates \$9,500.00 Extending a Helping Hand Within the Community

The ABC Public Relations Committee organizes various activities to assist within the community during the year. The Annual ABC Cook-off helps to raise funds to benefit the area charitable organizations. On October 25, 2016 the Public Relations Committee presented funds to these charities:

Brazoria County Dream Center	\$3,000.00
Military Moms & Wives of Brazoria County	\$3,000.00
PowerPacks	\$3,000.00
Freeport Boy Scout Troop #345	\$500.00

Below is a brief description of information and services provided by the 4-named charitable organizations:



BRAZORIA COUNTY DREAM CENTER

Mission Statement: Brazoria County Dream Center (BCDC) is a non-profit community outreach center dedicated to helping children and adults in Brazoria County who are experiencing hardships. We address both the physical and emotional needs of our constituents. We accomplish this by focusing on rebuilding hope, renewing lives and restoring dreams.

Vision Statement:

Rebuilding Hope to those who are experiencing life difficulties by providing basic essentials such as food, clothing and other resources to help families in those difficult times.

Renewing Lives to those who are experiencing life challenges by meeting their emotional needs through life rehabilitation and networking with other community agencies.

Restoring Dreams to those who have lost hope by enhancing their potential to succeed through educational classes and other resources that will improve basic life skills.

Within BCDC, we have seven separate programs that allow us to achieve these goals:

Backpack Buddies Program: Providing backpacks with nutritional food and snacks to 375 students weekly at 25 schools in 6 school districts in Southern Brazoria County since January 2010.

Dream Pantry: Providing an atmosphere of a grocery store with added nutritional information for healthy living, to 200 unduplicated families per month since February 2010.

Elaine's Boutique: Providing free clothing, personal care items, diapers, cleaning supplies and other household items as needed to 210 unduplicated families per month, since April 2007.

Back 2 Basic Classes: Providing free basic life skills, education and other resources to enhance the individuals' potential to succeed.

Back to School Bash: Providing school age children who live in Brazoria County with the items needed to start school. Children receive backpacks with school supplies, clothes, new tennis shoes, haircuts, personal care kits and first week of lunches to over 700 students, since August 2009.

Coats 4 Kids: Providing coats, jackets, new blankets and haircuts to students who attend school in Brazoria County, to over 250 students since 2009.

Dream Gifts: Providing Christmas gifts and wrapping paper to Brazoria County families who have had a life crisis that prevents the parents from providing gifts for their children, age infant through 15 years old, to over 600 students (*including 300 bikes*) since 2011.

Disaster Recovery: Most recently, we have assisted those who have been affected by the historic Brazos River flooding this past summer. We have assisted over 240 families (impacting over 1075 individuals) with food, clothing, personal care items, cleaning supplies and household items each week. Each family has a different stage of recovery since the flooding, making each family unique in the items they need per week.

Contact information:

Mailing: **P.O. Box 715, Clute, TX 77531**

Location: **796 S. Hwy 288-B, Clute, TX 77531**

Office: **979.388.0280**

Website: **www.bcdreamcenter.org**

Contact: **Terri Willis, Cell: 512.484.0144 or terri@bcdreamcenter.org**



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MILITARY MOMS & WIVES OF BRAZORIA COUNTY

Mission Statement: We are here to support the moral and spiritual health of our American Heroes in the armed forces in combat zones around the world through the letters and care packages that are hand packed with love and are shipped by caring volunteers who support all branches of service.

Military Moms and Wives of Brazoria County sends out over 5,000 care packages twice a year to our troops. We raise money all year long to cover the postage and the cost of the items that go in the care packages. If you can buy a care package or even contribute as little as \$1, we will gladly accept your donation and sincerely appreciate your support of our troops. Military Moms and Wives of Brazoria County started in 2002 and operates solely from community donations and volunteers.

Contact information: Phone: **979.236.6861**, Email: militarymomsandwives@yahoo.com, Location: 313 Mulberry, Angleton, Texas, Mailing: P.O. Box 2345, Angleton, TX 77516.

POWERPACKS . . . FUELING YOUNG MINDS AND BODIES FOR LEARNING

Brazosport Cares Food Pantry's weekend backpack program **POWERPACKS**, provides nutritionally dense, easy to prepare food to homeless and chronically hungry BISD students who would otherwise go home to meager or no meals.

Hunger is a reality many students face on a daily basis. More than 80% of students in Freeport schools are classified as economically disadvantaged and there continues to be a significant presence of homeless students in the district. These students do not have consistent access to enough nutritious food. Many of these children rely on school breakfast and lunch during the school year. However, they go home to little or no meals on weekends and holiday breaks. **POWERPACKS** are designed to help alleviate childhood hunger and remove it as a barrier in the classroom. In addition, the program works to empower students to succeed in school as well as provide them with a tangible expression; that as a community, we care about them.

The **POWERPACKS** program serves seven schools within BISD. Brazosport Cares works with individuals, organizations and the Houston Food Bank to obtain food and supplies necessary to fill the backpacks. Weekly volunteers use these items to fill backpacks for qualifying students. The backpacks are delivered by volunteers to the participating schools at the end of each week. Students take the backpacks home for the weekend and return the empty bag to school on Monday, so the process can start over. This school year, we will pack approximately 2,500 backpacks for more than 150 students.

As a leader in the fight against hunger in the community, Brazosport Cares Food Pantry knows if a student is facing hunger, chances are the entire family is. By connecting the student's family to our pantry program, we are able meet the needs of the entire family.

There are many ways to help! Brazosport Cares relies on the generosity of the community to meet the needs of chronically hungry students. A shopping list of much needed items is available on our website at www.brazosportcares.org. Food donations may be dropped off at Brazosport Cares Tuesday and Thursday mornings 8:30 – 11:30. The Pantry is located at 916 N. Gulf Boulevard, Freeport, TX 77541. Additionally, look for the Red Barrel at the Freeport City Hall, Lake Jackson Library and HEB Lake Jackson, to drop off donations. Volunteers are also needed to fill backpacks on Tuesdays, and to deliver and pickup backpacks to and from schools.

For more information about the **POWERPACKS** program or Brazosport Cares Food Pantry, contact us by email at bpcares@sbcglobal.net, by phone **979-239-1225**, or visit our website at www.brazosportcares.org.

BOY SCOUT TROOP, FREEPORT

Boy Scout Troop #345 chartered at First United Methodist Church in Freeport on November 1, 1961. Since then they have had over 30 boys reach the rank of Eagle Scout, the highest rank that a Scout can earn. The Scouting program teaches the boys to "be prepared" in life and in the outdoors. They learn cooking skills, first aid, knots & lashing, citizenship and leadership.

The troop has helped the community by providing flag ceremony services, cleaning up parks, replacing playground equipment at Freeport parks, providing services to help out wherever needed at Freeport area events, and striving to be a positive presence in the Freeport area.

Most of the boys are from lower income family environments and cannot afford the cost necessary to participate in all the programs that Scouting offers. At Troop 345 we are always looking for ways to obtain funds to help the boys be able to fully participate. We accept donations, but our main goal is to find ways for the boys to work to "earn" their way. It is better to teach them to work for it than to just receive it.

You can reach us by calling Nancy Gray @ **979-239-8687** or by e-mail: rainbow4jc@comcast.net. We are always willing to pitch in a helping hand.

Thank you,

Nancy Gray, Troop Committee Chair

The ABC Public Relations Committee organizes the annual ABC Cook-off as well as promoting the Food Drive throughout the year and the Toy Drive before the Christmas Holiday. A BIG thanks goes to the committee members for their contributions and involvement within the community





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1002 ABC Avenue
Freeport, TX 77541**

Course Description	Code	Day (s)	Time (s)	Frequency	Contact
Aerial Lift Operator Certification	04AWP	Tues/Thurs	7:30 am - 4:30 pm	Ongoing	979-233-1818
Basic Plus		Mon - Thurs Friday	8:00 am - 1:30 pm 7:30 am - 1:30 pm	Ongoing	979-233-1818
Basic Rigger Refresher Course		3 days	7:00 am - 4:00 pm	As requested	979-824-7370
Cranes in Construction	OSHA 2055	Tues - Thurs	8:00 am - 5:00 pm	Bi-annually	979-239-4372
Electrical Continuing Education License Renewal Class		3rd Thursday	5:00 pm - 9:00 pm	Monthly	979-239-4372
Enhanced Foreman Training		2 days	8:00 am - 4:00 pm	Monthly	979-233-1818
Field Safety	CSST	M/W, T/Th	6:00 pm - 9:00 pm	Fall & Sp Semesters	979-239-4372
ICTP Training & Certification		2 days	7:00 am - 4:00 pm	Annually or as requested	979-824-7365
Project Supervision	CMA	Mon - Wed	6:00 pm - 9:00 pm	Fall & Sp Semesters	979-239-4372
Public Warehousing & Storage	OSHA 7005	1 day	8:00 am - 5:00 pm	Bi-annually	979-239-4372
Safe Work Permit Acceptor Training	04SWPA	Thursday	1:00 pm - 4:00 pm	Weekly on Thurs.	979-233-1818

**UPCOMING OSHA Classes - Visit www.uta.edu/ded
By University of Texas at Arlington - Offered at ABC, Freeport
1002 ABC Avenue
Freeport, TX 77541**

Course Description	Code	Day (s)	Time (s)	Frequency	Contact
Hazardous Materials	OSHA 2015	Tues - Thurs Friday	8:00 am - 5:00 pm 8:00 a.m. - Noon	Jan 17 - 20, 2017	866-906-9190
Occupational Safety and Health Standards for General Industry		Tues - Fri	8:00 am - 5:00 pm	Feb 7 - 10, 2017	866-906-9190
Excavation, Trenching and Soil Mechanics	OSHA 3015	Tues - Thurs	8:00 am - 5:00 pm	Mar 7 - 9, 2017	866-906-9190
Occupational Safety and Health Standards for Construction		Tues - Fri	8:00 am - 5:00 pm	Apr 25 - 28, 2017	866-906-9190
Safety Standards for Scaffolding		Tues - Thurs	8:00 am - 5:00 pm	May 16 - 18, 2017	866-906-9190
Fall Protection	OSHA 3115	Tues - Thurs	8:00 am - 5:00 pm	Jun 6 - 8, 2017	866-906-9190
Trainer Course in OSHA Standards for Construction	OSHA 500	Tues - Fri	8:00 am - 5:00 pm	Jul 10 - 13, 2017	866-906-9190
Incident Management Training		Tues - Fri	8:00 am - 5:00 pm	Aug 15 - 18, 2017	866-906-9190



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MEMBERSHIP



ABC Texas Hold-Em Poker Tournament Fundraiser Always a Challenge and a Good Ole Time



The event was held on September 29, 2016 at the ABC Facilities. Texas Hold-Em offers fun, games, dinner and awards to the 1st, 2nd and 3rd place winners. This was an enjoyable evening for ABC members and their guests.



A **BIG THANKS** goes to all of the sponsors who helped to make this great event possible:

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MMR Constructors, Inc.
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FULL-HOUSE

Lone Star Resin Systems, Inc.

BEVERAGES

Freeport Host Lyon's Club

The winners of this tournament received Visa gift cards and other goodies, and were featured in the November 'Coastline' as follows:



1st Place - Gary Crabtree



2nd Place - Ricky Avila



3rd Place - Jay Tracy

ABC thanks the winners, sponsors and all the participants for their support of this ABC fundraiser! We are looking forward to see you at the next Texas Hold-Em in 2017.

28th Annual ABC Cook-off – Charity Fundraiser Event

Friday & Saturday, April 21 - 22, 2017 at ABC!

Plan to be a part of the fun, competition and goodwill within our community. For more information on sponsorship go to www.abctxgulfcoast.org/committees to obtain Public Relations Sponsorship form.

2017 Public Relations Charity Event Sponsors to date:

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Watch for ABC Cook-off details coming soon!

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December 2016

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Ingredients:

Roasted Cinnamon Squash & Brussels Sprouts With Glazed Pecans, Pancetta & Cranberries

Yield: 4 - 6 Servings

2 cups Brussels sprouts, sliced in half
 3 cups butternut squash, uncooked & cubed
 4 tbsp. olive oil, divided
 1/4 cup + 2 tbsp. maple syrup
 1/2 tsp ground cinnamon

4 oz. pancetta or bacon, chopped and fried
 crisp (*reserve drippings*)
 1 1/2 cup pecans (or walnuts)
 1 cup dried cranberries
 sea salt, to taste

Preheat oven to 400 F°.

Place Brussels sprouts, 2 tbsp. olive oil and sea salt to taste in a gallon size Ziploc bag & toss to combine. Place cut side down onto foil-lined baking sheet. Set aside. In same Ziploc, combine squash, 2 tbsp. remaining olive oil, 2 tbsp. maple syrup, cinnamon, & sea salt to taste - toss to combine and place on foil-lined baking sheet. Place both baking sheets in oven and roast for 20 - 25 minutes.

Note #1: turn squash once half-way through baking, until softened

Note #2: turn sprouts during last 5 - 10 minutes for even browning

Glazed Pecans: Add pecans to reserved pancetta drippings & cook on medium heat for 5 minutes. Stir in remaining 1/4 cup maple syrup & cook additional 5 minutes. Stir in cranberries & pancetta. Transfer to large bowl.

4. Add roasted sprouts and squash to pecans, cranberries & pancetta. Combine and season with additional sea salt, if desired.



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