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12:30–1:00 REGISTRATION

1:00–1:30 INTRODUCTORY REMARKS
- Greg Natalucci, President, Massachusetts Chapter of Construction Financial Management Association
- Asif Choudhury, Executive Secretary, Construction Financial Management Association
- Franklin Cook, Director of Community Outreach, MassMen
- Jason Padgett, Operations Director, Center for the Study and Prevention of Injury, Violence and Suicide, EDC

1:30–2:45 KEYNOTE ADDRESS
Sally Spencer-Thomas, Co-Lead, Workplace Task Force, National Action Alliance for Suicide Prevention

2:45–3:00 BREAK

3:00–3:30 PERSONAL STORY
Bob Swanson, retired construction industry executive, survivor of his oldest son’s death by suicide, advocate for suicide prevention

3:30–5:00 PANEL & DISCUSSION
- Barbara Samek, Vice President of Clinical Services, Gavin Foundation
- Kyle Zimmer, Jr., Director of Health & Safety and of MAP, International Union of Operating Engineers #478
- Bob Kunz, Corporate Safety Director, Dimeo Construction Company
- Dave Donnan, Cape Cod, former construction company owner, suicide attempt survivor, advocate for suicide prevention

5:00–5:30 CALL TO ACTION / CONCLUDING REMARKS
Franklin Cook, MassMen

5:30 NETWORKING RECEPTION BEGINS
**PARTICIPANT BIOGRAPHIES**

**Greg Natalucci** is an assurance partner at RSM, a national audit, tax and consulting firm focused on the middle market in the United States. He is president of the Massachusetts Chapter of CFMA.

**Asif Choudhury** is Founder and President of Bahar Consulting, and he formerly directed operations for a mechanical contracting company in D.C. He is CFMA’s Executive Secretary and has also served as President of a volunteer suicide and crisis hotline.

**Franklin Cook** is a consultant for the MA Department of Public Health. Along with Screening for Mental Health, he helped launch MassMen.org in 2015. He has worked on community, state, and national suicide prevention and grief support initiatives since 1999.

**Jason Padgett** is Operations Director of the Center for EDC’s Study and Prevention of Injury, Violence, and Suicide in Waltham, Mass. EDC manages the Suicide Prevention Resource Center and the National Action Alliance for Suicide Prevention.

**Sally Spencer-Thomas** is a clinical psychologist whose international work in suicide prevention began after her brother died by suicide. She is a recognized leader in the field because of her involvement in launching large-scale mental health programs, including Man Therapy.

**Bob Swanson** retired in 2015 from Swanson & Youngdale, after 45 years working in the construction industry. His 33-year-old son died by suicide in 2009, and since his retirement, Bob has been a speaker on mental illness and suicide prevention.

**Barbara Samek** oversees the Gavin Foundation’s Center for Recovery Services, which provides substance abuse treatment for adolescents and adults. She brings more than 25 years of experience to her role as clinical supervisor to direct care staff and managers.

**Kyle Zimmer, Jr.** is Director of Health & Safety and of MAP (Members Assistance Program) for the International Union of Operating Engineers Local 478. He is the driving force behind MAP, an innovative peer-to-peer program serving union members and their families.

**Bob Kunz** is Corporate Safety Director for Dimeo Construction, one of the leading construction organizations in New England. He is the recipient of Connecticut’s 2012 Associated General Contractors award for Construction Safety Professional of the Year.

**Dave Donnan** is a suicide attempt survivor. He owned a residential construction company for 15 years, and now works with Samaritans on Cape Cod to support attempt survivors and loss survivors. He is also a member of an advisory board for DPH’s Suicide Prevention Program.