



## **Denark Construction, Inc. Receives National Award for "Best of the Best" in Safety Excellence**



Denark Construction, Inc., after successfully competing at the state level, went on to compete nationally and proudly accepted the 2003 Grand Award for Construction Safety Excellence at the Associated General Contractors of America (AGC) Annual Convention in Honolulu, Hawaii, on March 21, 2003.

Denark is the first Tennessee general contractor to receive this prestigious national award.

"The true thanks for this honor goes to our Safety Manager, our Superintendents and their team who adhere to Denark's safety culture" said Frank Rothermel, company president.

The Grand Award for exceptional safety performance was judged against the thirteen first place winners and represents the "best of the best" in construction safety excellence. Denark Construction, Inc., of Knoxville, TN, won the Grand Award for their safety processes, management involvement, and company safety culture.

"This achievement is a result of Denark's strict adherence to one of our core missions: insisting on safety and quality in every aspect of our work. To be named nationally as the best of the best in safety excellence is a true testament of the commitment of Denark's team," commented Raja Jubran, company chief executive officer.

Denark Construction also won first place in the 2003 Safety Excellence Building Division (100,000-500,000 hours).

Denark Construction, Inc. is a full-service general contractor/design-builder/construction manager with over a half billion dollars in commercial, industrial, and institutional contracts since its launch in 1985. At present, it enjoys over \$107 million work-in-progress, including the renovation of the Historic Tennessee Theatre and renovations to the Downtown Knoxville Post Office and Courthouse.