



# Associated Electrical Contractors of Greater St. Louis

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## PRESS RELEASE

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**RE: St. Louis County Electrical Licenses will now be recognized in the City of St. Louis.**

Electricians' Local 57, affiliated with the Carpenters' District Council of Greater St. Louis and Vicinity, filed a lawsuit against the City of St. Louis regarding the failure of the City to recognize licenses issued by St. Louis County which is mandated by a Missouri state statute. As a result of the settlement reached with the City, all Electrical Contractors who have a license in St. Louis County are able to work in the City of St. Louis without having to get an additional license.

This is a victory for both Electricians' Local 57 and the Contractor Members of the Associated Electrical Contractors (AEC). This settlement will insure that electrical construction projects in the City of St. Louis will no longer have to wait on licensing delays. Additionally, Contractors previously shut out of work in the City will now have access to City work leveling the playing field.

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