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## THURSDAY, MAY 4, 2017 MONTELUCIA RESORT & SPA 4949 E Lincoln Dr, Scottsdale, AZ 85253

## 2017 PIONEER AWARD RECIPIENT

JOHN AMES, PRESIDENT, SOUTHWEST REGION AND CO-OWNER, AMES CONSTRUCTION

In 1963, John Ames joined Ames Construction, his oldest brother's year-old construction company located in Burnsville, Minnesota. He became instrumental in helping to grow the small family business as it slowly expanded its capabilities and moved into new geographic territories.

In 1986, the company was awarded its first Arizona project, the Palo Verde nuclear plant. The success of this project demonstrated



Ames Construction, Inc.

that a market for Ames existed in the southwestern United States that aligned with the company's capabilities. John moved to Phoenix and opened the Southwest regional office.

Ames expanded into multiple markets that include transportation, energy, mining, water and wastewater, and commercial projects, and has a wide range of construction capabilities. The company self-performs the majority of work and utilizes alternate delivery methods such as design-build, CMAR and CMGC. Today, Ames Construction is a leading heavy civil and industrial general contractor that employs more than 3,000 people, has five regional offices, and serves customers throughout North America.

John believes in giving back to the community, and immerses himself in the charities that are dearest to him. For more than two decades, helping kids reach their full potential has been a personal mission for John and his wife, Sharon, by supporting the efforts of area organizations, including the Arizona Boys and Girls Club, Camelot Therapeutic Horsemanship, Glendale Elementary School, and many others.