



# EMPLOYEE of the MONTH

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**Chuck McCloskey**  
Operations Manager

#### STATS:

Years at Sparks: 13

Lives In: Warrington, PA

Office: Philadelphia, PA

We would like to thank our June Code Ten Employee of the Month for setting an example of true dedication and legendary service through his exceptional leadership. It is none other than our Philadelphia-based operations manager Charles McCloskey, who has led by example and has embodied the Code Ten qualities that we look for in our Employee of the Month.

As operations manager, Chuck works with more than 200 employees in the Philadelphia facility and another 100 all over the country, ensuring that complicated construction issues are resolved and making sure exhibits are built and ready to go on time to shows throughout the country. He is on-call 24/7 to respond to emergencies and is always attentive to the needs of his clients.

Ray Espinosa, Sparks' Philadelphia-based traffic manager, says "Chuck is always concerned about the client and makes sure he does the right thing even if it takes him away from his family. On a Saturday, Chuck drove two or three hours from Wildwood, NJ, where he was spending the day with his family, to come to the shop to find the graphic and send it on its way. I think Chuck does the right thing every time for the benefit of the company and the client."

Chuck has made an impression on many with his knowledge of the industry, supportive nature and calm temperament. Paul Eisemann, Sparks Philadelphia shop employee states, "Chuck came from the bench and worked his way up. He is very knowledgeable about what he does and usually remains calm, cool and collected, despite the many things on his plate." Donna Peart, Sparks Philadelphia executive assistant, adds, "He is always willing to help no matter what is asked and he is extremely accommodating. He makes things happen quickly, he does it with a smile, and he follows up to make sure I have what I need when I need it."

Outside the office, Chuck loves spending time and traveling with his wife and kids. Some of his favorite places to travel include New Hope, PA and Wildwood, NJ. He also takes pleasure in gardening, playing golf, barbecuing year round and loves to wash his car in the rain. He is known to have a great sense of humor, which makes him a delight to be around.

Congratulations on being named Code Ten Employee of the Month! Keep up the good work!

