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Hello and thank you for logging in today. My name is Ken Simonson, and I am the chief economist of the Associated General Contractors of America. Joining me today is global head of construction at Sage, Dustin Stephens. We also

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Thank you, Dustin.

Ultimately, 2025 offers numerous bright spots for the construction industry even as the outlook for some private sector market segments remains quite dire. But firms expect that regulatory relief will help drive demand, particularly for all manner of public sector projects. As a result, firms will continue to hire when they can, and plan to boost their

With that, let me offer the contractors with us, Norbert Schulz with FILANC and Andy Heitman with Turner Construction, an opportunity to share their observations about local market conditions and their expectations for this year. Let's start with Norbert.

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