



JACK W. BUDNICK

President and CEO

Jack Budnick is President and CEO of AbsolutAire, Inc. Jack is responsible for overseeing all company functions, including business strategies, plant and office facilities, and customer relations. He is Chairman of the company's Board of Directors.

Jack began his HVAC career in 1972 as an accountant with Rapid Engineering, Inc., in Grand Rapids, Mich. He became President and COO of the company. Jack left Rapid in 1991 to form AbsolutAire with Robert Jauch Sr. and two other investors.

Jack holds a bachelor's of science degree from Aquinas College, with dual majors in accounting and marketing. He has also earned master's degree credits from Western Michigan University in Kalamazoo. Over the years, Jack has participated in various professional-development activities, including specialized training in business management, benefits administration, and direct-fired industry standards.

Jack has served on various committees for both ASHRAE and GAMA, and he is a life-long member of the Elks. Jack has been married to his wife Miki since 1968 and, together, they thoroughly enjoy their three grown children and six grandchildren. Two sons, Jack and Adam, hold key positions with AbsolutAire; their daughter, Andrea, is a Vice President with a prominent West Michigan public relations firm. While the business is a priority, Jack balances its challenges with a devoted dedication to family and relaxation with spectator sports and outdoor activities, including golf, hunting and fishing.

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