



Specializing in the meticulous trade of ironwork, Bapko Metal's no stranger to the improvements being made at Los Angeles World Airports. As a signatory contractor to Ironworkers 433, Bapko Metal has performed work on various projects including Delta: T2-FIS Improvement Project (General Contractor: Hensel Phelps), most recently.

With 80-100 craft workers from Los Angeles County, Bapko Metal strategically assembled a team of individuals from all backgrounds, including female welders and those within the LAWA zip codes. By doing so, Sam Riad (Director of Project Management) confirms their deliberate hiring strategy has contributed to the quality of their workforce. "The inclusive workforce has always been the vision of the owner", states Riad. Bapko Metal achieved **47.1% local worker project hours** on the Delta: T2-FIS Improvement Project. Partners like Bapko Metal are key players in enforcing LAWA's commitment to local labor inclusion and providing opportunities for the community.

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