

IMMIGRATION AND THE CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY

An Insider's View of **ILLEGAL IMMIGRATION** and
the **BUILDING TRADES** By LOREN C. STEFFY with STAN MAREK

DeCONSTRUCTED



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Center for Houston's Future hosted a conversation

with Loren Steffy about his new book with Stan Marek, *Deconstructed: An Insider's View of Illegal Immigration and the Building Trades* .

Illegal immigration is one of the most challenging issues facing America. Historians rule the day, and the debate over what to do about the estimated eleven million undocumented workers in the country has become bitter and divisive.

Immigrants have long been the source of America's economic strength. Yet our immigration laws have always been ill-defined and arbitrary, based largely on the fears of the moment and aimed at limiting particular groups of people.

Deconstructed unravels these economic issues and shows the ineffectiveness of America's policies through the eyes of a man who has watched first-hand the immigration crisis unfold during the past forty years.

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