**EVENT CALENDAR:**

**April**
- 11th - Transportation Technical Group Meeting
- 12th - ASCE/LOCATE Annual Transportation Conference
- 20th - NEASCE Habitat for Humanity Build

**May**
- 2nd - NEASCE Annual Banquet

**ISSUE HIGHLIGHTS:**

April Meeting

March Environmental Group Meeting Summary

Habitat for Humanity Build

NEASCE Annual Banquet

ASCE/LOCATE Annual Transportation Conference

Region 7 Continuing Education Seminars and Workshops

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**April Meeting**

*Hosted by the Transportation Technical Group*

Thursday, April 11, 2013

**Host:**
Nebraska Section ASCE Transportation Group

**Programs:**
- ASCE Truss Bustin’ Awards Presentation
- Engineers Without Borders Student Presentation

**Location:**
Dundee Dell
50th & Underwood
Omaha, NE 68132

**Times:**
- 5:30 - 6:00 p.m.  Social Hour
- 6:00 - 7:00 p.m.  Dinner
- 7:00 - 8:00 p.m.  Program

**Menu:**
- 2 Piece Fish & Chips
- Philly Steak Sandwich
- Grilled Chicken Sandwich
- Club Sandwich
- Grilled Chicken Salad
- Pastrami Big Easy Sandwich

**Price:**
$15.00 (includes tax and tip)
Meals for students and special guests are free.

All persons planning to attend, regardless of price, must register.
Please pay at the door by check or cash only. A receipt will be given upon request.

Register online by 4:00 p.m. Wednesday April 10th, 2013 at:
http://meeting.neasce.com/signup

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Deadline for articles to be published in the May newsletter will be April 15th. Email articles to Greg Seib at gseib@olssonassociates.com
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### March Environmental Group Meeting Summary


The list below can be considered official documentation of attendance at the March 28, 2013 meeting worth one (1) PDH credit.

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Habitat for Humanity Build

The NEASCE/AEI joint Habitat for Humanity build is scheduled for April 20, 2013. The build will take place at 4123 S. 38th Street in Omaha from 8:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m. A meal will be provided for those present during mealtime. For more information and to sign up, please visit http://ym.neasce.com/signup/.
NEASCE Annual Banquet

The ASCE Nebraska Section annual banquet is scheduled for May 2, 2013 at the Durham Museum in Omaha. NEASCE will be electing new officers and honoring life members and outstanding seniors at the banquet. More information will be available in the May NEASCE newsletter. Registration is now available at http://neasce.com/signup/.
NEASCE and LOCATE invite you to participate in their 9th Annual Transportation Conference. The conference will be held at the Scott Conference Center in Omaha, NE on April 12th, 2013. We hope to continue our past success by providing interesting and informative presentations covering the topics of railroad, roadway, traffic and bridge engineering along with information on current events and issues affecting today’s transportation engineer or planner. 6.0 Professional Development hours will be awarded for your participation in this year’s conference.

Our planning committee consists of members from NDOR, City of Omaha, City of Lincoln, MAPA, University of Nebraska, NEASCE and LOCATE.

To register, go to http://netranscon.eventbrite.com/# .

**Agenda**

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9th Annual Transportation Conference (continued)

11:10-11:40  **Making a Difference**  
*Austin Yates, LOCATE*

11:40-12:10  **Glacier Creek Wetlands Mitigation Bank**  
*Andy Miller, Alfred Benesch & Company*

12:10-1:10  **Lunch**

1:10-1:55  **Keynote: STRATCOM Building Project**

1:55-2:25  **42nd & Q Preliminary Engineering**  
*Matt McFadden, FHU*

2:25-2:55  **Omaha Parking Management**  
*Ken Smith, City of Omaha*

2:55-3:10  **Break**

3:10-3:55  **Institute of Sustainable Infrastructure (ISI) Envision Rating System**  
*Chris Malmberg, HDR*

3:55-4:25  **Platte River Deer Fence**  
*Brian Johnson, NDOR  
Scott Hygnstrom, UNL*

4:25-4:55  **City of Lincoln Design Competition Experience**  
*Ralph Batenhorst, HDR  
Mark Lutjeharms, Schemmer  
Kyle Anderson, FHU*
ASCE Region 7 Continuing Education Seminars and Workshops

Geographic Services is proud to announce the Continuing Education Schedule of seminars and workshops for Spring/Summer 2013 in your geographic area. These seminars/workshops have been produced by ASCE’s Continuing Education Department with your members in mind. This new schedule has been placed under the Links tab on each Region website. (http://www.asce.org/Regions-Sections-Branches/Region-7/Links/Links/)

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