



Monthly Meeting Notice

Thursday, April 21st, 2016

Accelerated Bridge Construction Implementation at State DOT's

Speaker: Finn Hubbard, PE
Senior Vice President, Fish & Associates



Program: Moving accelerated bridge construction (ABC) from an occasional operation to the mainstream of the State DOT's tool boxes was a goal of the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA). In 2009 a research project on best practices of ABC was started by the FHWA. This presentation will cover the ABC toolkit produced from the research along with the innovative follow up done by the FHWA to make sure the ideas were implemented by the State DOT's and not just left on a shelf. Direct funding to build eight ABC bridges around the country was provided with 3 project showcases held at the bridge sites during construction to show off the ABC methods being used. This was followed up by three Peer to Peer events involving over 40 states.

Biography: During Finn's 30+ years of experience in bridge and structural engineering, he has worked as the State Bridge Engineer for WisDOT, given many national presentations on a variety of structural issues, and authored several structures-related papers. While serving for seven years as the primary representative on the AASHTO Sub-Committee on Bridges and Structures (SCOBs), he worked directly with 49 DOT's on national bridge-related policies. Additionally, he led the stabilization and reconstruction efforts for the Hoan Bridge failure in downtown Milwaukee.

Location: Harry's Steakhouse – 5664 Brecksville Road, Independence, Ohio, 44131

Dinner: Buffet dinner with choice of Braised Tenderloin Tips with Mushrooms and Onions, Chicken Marsala, Seasonal Buttered Baby Baked Potatoes, Pasta Alfredo, Fresh Garden Salad, Chef's Vegetable Du Jour, Rolls and Butter, Assorted Pastries, Coffee, and Tea.

Time: 5:30 p.m. – 6:15 p.m. Registration
6:15 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. Dinner
7:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. Speaker

Cost: \$32 paid via Eventbrite, \$34 at the door – ABCD Members
\$37 paid via Eventbrite, \$39 at the door – Non-Members/Guests
\$10 paid via Eventbrite – Students
There is no charge for government agency attendees that are also ABCD Members.

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Kindly RSVP by 5:00 pm Monday, April 18, 2016

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