

GREENBOOK COMMITTEE

NEW MATERIALS AND METHODS SUBCOMMITTEE-SURFACE

CONCRETE AD HOC GROUP

MINUTES

MARCH 12, 2009

Acting Chairman Rod Elderton called the meeting to order at 9:36 AM. The meeting was held in the conference room at:

Cal Portland CPC Materials Division
1030 W. Gladstone
Azusa, CA 91702

1. Self-introductions were made by the participants (from the sign-in sheet):

Buddy Coover	County of Orange
Javier Corcino	BASF
Rod Elderton	Metropolitan Water District
Jeff Ferris	Propex Industries
Josh Hamilton	W.R. Grace
Gary Kirk	California Portland Cement
Dave Lang	National Ready-Mix
Pat Murena	Solomon Colors
Ken Parks	CEMEX
Tim Saenz	Vulcan Materials
Ken Sears	CSM Ready-Mix
Robert Shafer	Consultant

2. The minutes from the February 12, 2008 meeting were approved as distributed.

3. Old Business –

A. Change No. 190NS - Grout Section 202 Modifications –

Change No. 190NS was released from the Editorial Standards Subcommittee and forwarded to the Main Committee with a recommendation to accept. The Main Committee placed the Change on a 30-day hold for review and will discuss and vote on the recommendation at the next meeting (3-19-09).

B. Aggregate Sub-Task Force –

Rod informed the Group that the two proposals submitted by the Task Force to the Surface Subcommittee were rejected. The Task Force should investigate the possibility of enhancing the aggregates with manufactured products, and not lessen the current stringent aggregate specifications. The Task Force continues to investigate the use of manufactured sands. The Aggregate Sub-Task Force will next meet on March 31, 2009 at 10:00 am at Solomon Colors.

C. Self Consolidating Concrete –

The latest (sixth) revisions were discussed and modified. The modifications will be made by Javier and presented at the next scheduled meeting for discussion. The Group thanked Javier for the efforts he is making regarding the multiple changes and coordination of the proposal.

D. High Early Strength Concrete –

The group working on this topic has no new information to share and will continue their efforts. Progress will be reported at the next meeting.

4. New Business –

A. A report was given to the attendees regarding the recent passing of Chair Howard Lux. His memorial is scheduled for Sunday March 15, at 3:00pm at the Temple Beth Israel on Towne Avenue in Pomona. Howard’s many years of dedication to the Greenbook and the Industry in general are greatly appreciated by the members of this Group, and he will be missed by all. The work he has done for the betterment of our industry will live on.

5. Next Meeting **Wednesday, April 8, 2009**, same location and time.

6. Meeting adjourned at 10:21 AM.

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2009 Meeting Schedule

January 8	February 12	March 12	April 9 April 8	May 14	June 11
July 9	August 13	September 10	October 8	November 12	No December Meeting