

GREENBOOK COMMITTEE

NEW MATERIALS AND METHODS SUBCOMMITTEE-SURFACE

CONCRETE AD HOC GROUP

MINUTES

September 10, 2009

Chairman Ken Sears called the meeting to order at 9:55 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
Mike Costello	County of Orange
Drew DeCarlo	Headwaters
Rod Elderton	Metropolitan Water District
Jeff Ferris	Propex
Robert Graine	Associated Ready Mix
Josh Hamilton	WR Grace
Ed Kripavicius	Standard/CSM Ready Mix
Robert Mirabueno	City of Los Angeles
Ken Parks	CEMEX
Ken Sears	CSM Ready Mix
Mike Serra	CEMEX
Mitchell Smith	Boral Materials
Griff Sparks	CPC Materials
Don Vivant	Sully-Miller

2. The minutes from the August 13, 2008 meeting were approved as distributed.

3. Kenneth Sears of CSM Ready was “officially” seated as the Chair of the PWSI Greenbook New Methods and Materials Subcommittee – Surface – Concrete Ad Hoc Group.

4. Old Business –

A. Manufactured Aggregates –

After dissolving the Aggregate Sub-Task Force the Group members would like to review the previous work done by the Sub T/F and decide on the direction. The Chair requested Rod to send out the two proposed Changes submitted (and subsequently denied by the Subcommittee) by the Sub T/F. The Group will review the two proposals and discuss at the next scheduled meeting.

B. Self Consolidating Concrete –

Javier presented Draft Number 10 and discussed the changes requested. Javier will format the document to follow the format utilized in the CLSM area of the Greenbook.

C. High Early Strength Concrete –

Mike Serra is beginning the reconstruction of the Materials Section of the Greenbook to include High-Early Strength Concrete as an alternate method. The area may be called “Concrete Specified by High Early Strength”. Mike will present his work at the next scheduled meeting for review and discussion.

D. Rip Rap, 200-1.6 & 300-11 –

Buddy presented a comparison between the Greenbook and the CalTrans specifications on Rip Rap and Grout. The review showed there are NO differences between the two except for the additional Rip Rap sizes not shared. This information will be forwarded to the Subcommittee at its next meeting.

4. New Business –

A. Mitchell has the ACI and NRMCA responses to the EPA regarding the classification of fly ash as a “hazardous material”. He will send to Rod for inclusion with these minutes.

B. Don alerted those interested that the South Coast AQMD is “stepping-up” their inspection/enforcement of the allowable emissions of cement/fly ash bag houses.

5. Our next meeting will be held **Thursday, October 8, 2009**, same location and time.

6. Meeting adjourned at 11:10 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