

**Public Works Standards, Inc  
Greenbook Committee  
New Materials-Surface Subcommittee**

**MINUTES**

**TUESDAY, MARCH 16, 2010**

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I. Jerry Ellison, Subcommittee Chairperson, called the meeting to order at 9:35 a.m.

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

Lance Allan	Roy Allan Slurry Seal
Andy Clayton	PMI
Buddy Coover	County of Orange
Mike Costello	County of Orange
Rod Elderton	Metropolitan Water District
Jerry Ellison	Consultant
Curt Gilley	AGCC – Terrain Engineering
Fahim Rahimi	County of Los Angeles DPW
Don Vivant	Sully-Miller

III. The minutes of Tuesday February 16, 2010 were approved as distributed.

IV. Greenbook Committee Report

Jerry reported on the February 18, 2010 Greenbook Meeting:

- A. A quorum existed and official business was conducted.
- B. A proposed modification to 300-4.4 was submitted by the City of San Diego and was assigned Change No. 217NS.
- C. A proposal to modify areas of 200 was submitted by Concrete Ad Hoc Group and was assigned Change No. 218NS.
- D. The Committee voted to accept new Policies and Procedures and will recommend adoption by the Board of Directors at their next meeting.

- E. Change No. 177NU was accepted for inclusion into the 2011 Combined Supplement.
  - F. Typical Subcommittee reports.
  - G. Bill Mahoney of BNi requested names of Committee, Subcommittee, and Task Force members that did not receive a Greenbook Standard Plans book. Supply your name to Rod and one will be made available for pick-up at the March meeting.
  - H. The final Draft of the Styles Guide was distributed and will be discussed at the next Committee meeting.
- V. Correspondence
- Change No. 217NS was distributed to the Subcommittee attendees and will be discussed at the next meeting.
- VI. Old Business
- A. Supplement/Edition Changes
    - 1) Change No. 164NS – Not discussed at this meeting and will be reviewed at the next meeting.
    - 2) Change No. 125NS – The Change was discussed and various modifications were made by the attendees. Buddy will scribe the suggestions through Section 200 and have the modification completed for the next meeting.
  - B. Asphalt Task Force

Buddy Coover reported on the March 3, 2010 meeting:

    - 1) Change No. 125NS here at the Subcommittee for review.
    - 2) Change No 189NS is progressing.
    - 3) Change No. 199NS remains with the Editorial Standards Subcommittee for review and comments.
    - 4) Change No. 207NS is still under review.
    - 5) Change No. 205NS is progressing.
    - 6) Began investigation on RAP and investigation of Part 4.

The next Asphalt Task Force Meeting will be on April 7, 2010 at the Orange County Facility at 1:00 pm.
  - C. Concrete Ad Hoc Group

Rod Elderton reported on the March 11, 2010 meeting:

    - 1) Change No. 218NS - Aggregate review – The Group discussed the recommended updates to the tables and made some modifications. Ken will work on wording for the moving average test results for CV and

SE. A couple of the members are continuing to work on a “pump” gradation for the Combined Grading Table

- 2) Self Consolidating Concrete – Ken is working on wording to add viscosity modifying admixtures to the current admixture area of 201.
- 3) Rapid Strength Concrete – Mike Serra and others continue working on a Draft of language for the RSC and the two CTS Cement representatives are drafting the language to include rapid setting cement into the specification.
- 4) The EPA review of fly ash as a “hazardous material” will be finalized sometime in April, and the EPA is expected to allow the construction material use of fly ash as a “non-hazardous” category.

The next Concrete Ad Hoc Group meeting will be on Thursday April 8, 2010 at 10:00 a.m. at Catalina Pacific Concrete, Azusa.

D. Traffic & Street Lighting Task Force

No meeting of the Task Force and therefore no report.

Change No. 175NS remains with the Specifications Subcommittee for review and comment.

Change No. 204NS remains with the Editorial Standards Subcommittee for review and comment.

The next meeting of the Traffic and Street Lighting Task Force has not been scheduled and the Task Force remains on hiatus until items of interest are discovered.

E. Base Materials Task Force

No meeting of the Task Force and therefore no report.

The next meeting of the Base Materials Task Force has not been scheduled and the Task Force remains on hiatus until items of interest are discovered.

VII. New Business  
None

VIII. Next Meeting

The next New Materials and Methods – Surface Subcommittee Meeting will be held on **Tuesday, April 13, 2010** in the Conference Room at **1906 West Garvey Avenue South, Suite #100, West Covina, CA 91790** at **9:30 a.m.**

IX. Adjournment  
The meeting was adjourned at 11:00 a.m.

Submitted by:

**Rod Elderton**

Rod Elderton, Secretary  
New Materials and Methods – Subcommittee Surface