

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

**MINUTES**

**TUESDAY, November 16, 2010**

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- I. Jerry Ellison, Subcommittee Chairperson, called the meeting to order at 9:30 a.m.
- II. Self-introductions were not made by the participants: (from the sign-in sheet)

Buddy Coover	County of Orange
Mike Costello	County of Orange
Rod Elderton	Metropolitan Water District
Jerry Ellison	Consultant
Curt Gilley	AGCC – Terrain Engineering
Ken Sears	CSM – Standard Ready Mix
Don Vivant	Sully-Miller
- III. The minutes of Tuesday October 19, 2010 were approved as distributed.
- IV. Greenbook Committee Report

Jerry reported on the September 16, 2010 Greenbook Meeting:

  - A. A quorum existed and official business was conducted.
  - B. Typical Subcommittee reports.
  - C. The 2011 Combined Supplement should be complete prior to the beginning of 2011.
  - D. No Changes voted upon.
- V. Correspondence
  - A. Email correspondence between Erik Updyke and Jerry Ellison regarding manhole height adjustments – Passed along to Buddy for review and comment

- B. Email correspondence between Erik Updyke and Jerry Ellison regarding concrete crack acceptability – Passed along to Ken Sears for review and comment

VI. Old Business

A. Asphalt Task Force

Buddy Coover reported on the October 6, 2010 meeting:

- 1) Change No 205NS is being sponsored by Mike Costello and will be resubmitted to the Main Committee on November 18.
- 2) Change No. 125NS remains with Editorial Standards and Buddy is conversing with Erik on possible modifications.
- 3) Majority of the meeting dedicated to incorporating 203-7 into 203-6.

The next Asphalt Task Force Meeting will be on December 1, 2010 at the Orange County Facility at 1:00 pm.

B. Concrete Ad Hoc Group

Ken Sears & Rod reported on the October 12, 2010 meeting:

- 1) Change 218NS – The Group discussed the re-write of the Statistical Testing procedure into Section 211.
- 2) Change 221NS – Remains with the Subcommittee for review and comment.
- 3) Matt Jabbari of CTS Cement presented draft modifications to include Type K – Shrinkage Compensating Cement into the current cement modification of 201.
- 4) The Group is still in need of the word search for Portland Cement requested a few meetings ago.
- 5) This was the first meeting conducted at the AGC offices in West Covina. The attendance was low, but is expected to increase.

The next Concrete Ad Hoc Group meeting will be on Thursday January 13, 2010 at 10:00 a.m. at AGC offices, Azusa.

C. Traffic & Street Lighting Task Force

No meeting of the Task Force and therefore no report.

Change No. 175NS and 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.

D. Base Materials Task Force

Mike Costello reported on the October 26, 2010 meeting:

- 1) The Task Force discussed the draft specification for foamed asphalt. Future discussions on the material will be conducted following a demonstration of the product in January.

The next meeting of the Base Material Task Force is to be announced.

E. Supplement/Edition Changes

- 1) Change No. 164NS – The Change was accepted by the Subcommittee. Secretary was directed to forward to the Editorial Standards Subcommittee for review and comment. (*Done on 11-17-2011*)
- 2) Change No. 220NS – Editorial Standards Subcommittee returned the Change with hand-written recommendations. Rod reproduced the recommendations into a “clean copy” and presented it. The Subcommittee voted to return the Change to the Ad Hoc Group for review and comment.
- 3) Change No. 189NS – The Change was not reviewed with the Styles Guide requirements in mind and is held over until the next meeting.
- 4) Change No. 221NS –The Change was not reviewed and is held over for discussion at the next meeting.

VII. New Business

- A. Buddy reminded the Subcommittee of the APA conference to be held on November 4, 2010 at Ontario.
- B. Nelson Nelson posed a question regarding cracking in flatwork and the Chair referred it to the Ad Hoc Group for discussion.

VIII. Next Meeting

The next New Materials and Methods – Surface Subcommittee Meeting will be held on **Tuesday, January 18, 2011** 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 Subcommittee - Surface