

NEW MATERIALS AND METHODS UNDERGROUND SUBCOMMITTEE - MINUTES

June 19, 2007

11:00 a.m.

AGC Offices

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- I. Meeting called to order at 11:00 a.m. followed by self-introductions. See list below from sign-in sheet:

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Meeting minutes of May are approved with minor revisions. Change 167 NU status is revised to read: **“Revised/updated version is up for vote before the GB Committee on Thursday, May 17, 2007.”**

II. Announcements:

CG stated that no action was taken by the GB Committee during its last meeting due to lack of a quorum.

CG reiterated that teleconferencing is available for those who cannot attend the meetings in person.

III. Old Business:

A. Pipeline Rehab. Task Force Report: No Report.

- i. **Change 52 NU – Service Connections.** Ongoing. (Walt Shioji/Raja Abi-Hashim)

B. Reinforced Concrete Box Task Force Report:

- i. **Change 177 NU – Pre-cast Reinforced Concrete Box.** Ongoing. JC mentioned that progress is being made on the specifications, and work is starting on standard plans. A suggestion was made by CG and JE to work on these tasks separately. JC agreed, adding that work to complete the specifications was being done first; the standard plans will follow and be complementary to the specifications. Meetings are scheduled for the last Wednesday of each month at 1 p.m.

- C. **Change 118 NU – Corrugated HDPE Pipe.** 30-day hold for comments will end on Thursday, June 21, 2007. (Mike Kimberlain)
- D. **Change 124 NU – MANHOLE AND STRUCTURE REHABILITATION.** The NM & MU subcommittee worked through a final review and revision session in an attempt to make the cutoff for inclusion in the 2008 Cumulative Supplement. CG will present this revised version to the GB Committee on Thursday, June 21, 2007. (City of San Diego)
- E. **Change 149 NU – HDPE Testing and Inspection.** Minor corrections. (Mike Kimberlain)
- F. **Change 150 NU – HDPE Pipe Installation and Backfill.** On 30-day hold with the GB Committee. (Mike Kimberlain)
- G. **Change 161 NU – Sample Thickness for Chemical Resistance Test.** Comments have been postponed until next meeting. (JE)
- H. **Change 167 NU - Chemical Resistance (Composite/Non-Composite).** Continued 30-day hold with the GB Committee. Revised/updated version is up for vote before the GB Committee on Thursday, June 21, 2007. (Task Force)
- V. **New Business** – CG introduced Change 185 NU – Machine Spiral Wound Polyvinyl Chloride (PVC) Pipe Liner, submitted by City of Los Angeles, Mr. Keith Hanks. Since no one from the City was in attendance acting as an agent for this change, the number was logged in, but no discussion followed.
- VI. **Next Meeting:** July 17, 2007 at 11:00 a.m.
- VII. **Adjournment:** 3:30 p.m.