

**NEW MATERIALS AND METHODS-UNDERGROUND
SUBCOMMITTEE MINUTES
January 19, 2016
11:00am
AGC Offices
1906 West Garvey Avenue
West Covina, CA 91790**

I. Meeting called to order followed by self-introductions at 11:08 a.m.

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II. Old Business:

A. Change 275NU Cast-in-Place Box: RL is forming a taskforce to look at AASHTO and other requirements pertaining to the design and construction of cast-in-place construction of concrete box structures. He stated that the change will include double and triple box design.

B. Part 5 – Editorial Changes: DB discussed resuming the revisions to Part 5 beyond the changes included with the 2015 Edition of the SSPWC. The 4th sentence of the 1st paragraph under 500-1.1.4 referring to maintaining “95 percent of the original *diameter or area...*” will need to be revised or deleted to eliminate ambiguity. Some or all of the subparagraphs (a through e) listed under 500-1.1.7 will be numbered and renamed to be their own subsections. Other edits to the substance of these subparagraphs were also discussed.

C. New Business:

1) DS will contact several other construction specialists to work on improving the requirements under Section 308 - Microtunneling.

III. Adjourned: 12:45 p.m.

VI. Next meeting: February 16, 2016 at 11:00 a.m.

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