

Roadway and Structures

Activity Report

AASHTO Subcommittee on Construction

August 11 – 16, 2013 Detroit Michigan

2013 Section Leadership

Chairman – David Ahlvers, Missouri DOT

Vice Chairman (Structures) – Robb Stott, CA

Vice Chairman (Roadway) – Marc Mastronardi, GA

Secretary – Anthony Sarhan, FHWA

1. Reviewed survey results for IRI for acceptance on construction projects. The survey and specification provided by state DOT's is available at the posted link provided by the CP Tech Center and placed on the SOC website.
http://www.cptechcenter.org/t2/ttcc_and_ncc_meeting_presentations/sp2013_ttc/sp2013%20st%20rpts%20recd.pdf

2. The American Concrete Pipe Association presented guide specifications for drainage pipe inspection. The guide specification and presentation are available on the SOC website.



SOC PII Guidelines.pdf



SOC PII Construction
guide.pdf

3. Completed a survey of state DOT's regarding the current status of allowing regional certification for inspectors. The survey is available on the SOC website.



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4. Discussed the status of Buy America and the changes which exempt some components from the requirements. Requested comments to the Federal Register regarding Buy America requirements for utilities.
5. Identified SHRP2 areas relevant to SOC Roadway and Structures Section.
6. Reviewed the use of positive barrier in Utah. The presentation is available on the SOC website.
<http://construction.transportation.org/Documents/Meetings/Work%20Zone%20Safety%20Practices-Wight-EHR.pdf>