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**Here's Your 10/27/22 ACEC/Matters**

## Post-Election Wrap Up ACEC/MA Breakfast Program



**11/10 @ Simpson, Gumpertz & Heger, Waltham**

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## Effective Writing November 15-16 on Zoom

[ACEC/MA Diversity, Equity & Inclusion Resource Page](#)

**2-Session Course; 9 Seats Left**

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## ACEC/MA's Next PM Roundtable in Series to be Held on 11/17





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**Morphing Technical Staff into Successful PMs, With Alfred Jones, PE, Nobis Group**

**12 Noon on Zoom**

**Registration is Open for 11/17 PM Zoom Roundtable**

Each virtual session includes lecture, discussion, and breakout groups. This program is by project managers for project managers. [More about 11/17 PM Roundtable >](#)  
[More About the PM Roundtable Series >](#)

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**Government Affairs Update**

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**From ACEC Last Word Blog:**

- [Keeping the Energy of the Fall Conference Going](#)
- [How Member Firms Can Mitigate Inflation Impact](#)
- [ACEC Supports Proposed Changes to U.S. DOT Rules for Disadvantaged Business Enterprises](#)
- [Landmark Study Highlights Key Recommendations in Design-Build Project Delivery](#)

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**State News:**

- [LaHood: Timing Perfect To Restart MBTA From "Ground Zero"](#)
- [Report: Mass. Housing Affordability Problems Worsening: Rising Rates, Prices Cut Pool Of Potential Homeowners](#)

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**ACEC/MA's Government Affairs Comm (GAC) acts on bills impacting our Eng/PLS/A/E community.**

Next GAC Meeting (In-Person + Zoom) = 10/28/22, 10 AM

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## Accounting & Finance Forum

### Presentations for Reference

On 10/25/22, Our A&F Forum had presentations from:

- BDO USA LLP shared tax planning ideas for the upcoming year, including accounting methods and tax credits available for your company.

- [PDF of Presentation](#)

- DGC, a division of PKF O'Connor Davies

discussed key performance indicators and sharing benchmarking data from its 18th annual Engineering Study.

- [PDF of Presentation](#)

ACEC/MA Committees & Forums are Open to all ACEC/MA Members. As long as your firm is an ACEC/Massachusetts Member Firm, all of your employees can participate in the virtual sessions from anywhere in the USA.

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