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MBTA Design Standards & Guidelines (DSG) Quarterly Update

12/17/2021 MBTA Design Directives and Guidelines for engineers and other design professionals . . . [More >](#)

MassDOT Highway Update with Carrie Lavalley, PE

January 24, 2022

ACEC/MA Zoom Webinar Program

1 - 1:45 PM: Zoom Breakout Networking

1:45 PM: Short Break + Switch to Zoom Webinar

2 - 3: PM Zoom Webinar

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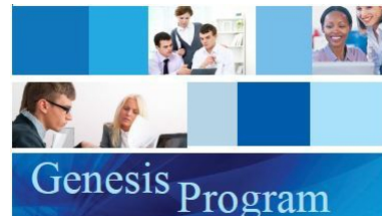
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Vaccination Mandate Updates from ACEC + ACEC/MA

[Vaccination Mandate Web Page](#) updates as of 12/21/21, including: Boston To Require Vax Proof To Enter Many Businesses: 12/17/21 6th Circuit Decision, steps employers should take... [More >](#)

Government Affairs

Resources from ACEC/MA WEEC Presentation on new MEPA Regulations: On 12/16/21, Tori Kim, Assistant Secretary and MEPA Director at the Executive Office of Energy and Environmental Affairs gave a presentation on the new MEPA Environmental Justice regulations. The MA

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Environmental Policy Act (MEPA) office has draft regulations and policies to incorporate Environmental Justice (EJ) into the MEPA process; they will be effective 1/1/2022. Here are resources from our 12/16 session with more information:

[PDF of Presentation](#)

[Video Recording of Tori Kim's Presentation](#)

ACEC Updates on PPP Loans / FAR Credits Clause

Issue: Our National advocacy for PPP Fairness is not over; ACEC continues to seek other federal legislative opportunities in early 2022. You can help! . . . [More >](#)

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts' FY2023 Budget

Process for ACEC/MA Members: Yup, it's time to start planning for FY2023, so we have a [budget tracking page for that work here.](#)

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

Next GAC Meeting 1/21/22 @ 10 AM on Zoom

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