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News from ACEC/Massachusetts

Dear ACEC/MA Member,

Here's Your 5/19/22 **ACEC/MAtters**

Legislative Alert:

Contact Your State Rep by 5/25 to **Urge Support of our Wipes Labeling Bill**

Contact your Massachusetts State Representatives to urge them to ask House Ways & Means to act favorably and quickly on H.897, An Act protecting water systems through the labeling of flushable wipes. Learn More > + a sample email to your State Representative.



ACEC/MA Board of Directors

ACEC/MA Diversity, Equity & **Inclusion Resource Page**

Briefings & Events

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June 2, 7, 9, 4-5:30 PM: Three session ACEC/MA Virtual Course More >



ACEC/MA Launches Project Management Roundtable Series

Call for Presentations for PM Roundtables Deadline for Fall 2022 Round: 6/1





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ACEC/MA's Leadership Education Committee (LEC) announces a new series: PM Roundtables -- an opportunity for emerging leaders, project engineers, and current project managers to learn from practicing project managers about tips, tricks, and lessons learned to take your project management skills to the next level. PM Roundtables will be virtual 1.5 hour sessions with practitioner-led discussions and breakout groups to share best practices.

We're seeking discussion leaders and presenters. More >



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Upcoming ACEC/MA Member Briefings*

Accounting & Finance Forum

5/31, 11 AM - 12:30 PM Zoom

Tax Incentives, ERC, Accounting Lease Standard+ SBA Size Standards with guest Dan Hilton, Director, Procurement Advocacy & International Affairs

Request Zoom Info >

Risk Management:

Project-Specific Professional Liability Insurance on Design-Build and Public-Private Partnership Projects in North America: A Path Forward

In January 2022 Donovan Hatem LLP established a Task Force consisting of professional liability insurance underwriters, brokers, engineers and architects, and lawyers knowledgeable and experienced in various aspects of Project-Specific Professional Liability Insurance on Design-Build and Public-Private Partnership projects in North America.

Full Report >

ACEC/MA Forums & Committees *Open to All Members

Government Affairs

Cape Bridge Replacement Costs May Soar To \$4 Billion

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Engineers and Land Surveyors Virtually @ the State House

Earlier this week, leaders of ACEC/MA, BSCES, and MALSCE held Zooms with State Rep. Mindy Domb, Acting Chair, Joint Committee on Environment, Natural Resources and Agriculture and State Senator Jamie Eldridge, Vice Chair, Joint Committee on Environment, Natural Resources and Agriculture to discuss key legislative issues.

The \$9.75B infrastructure bond bill that cleared the Transportation Committee earlier this week includes our Dig Safe language, a direct result of our advocacy on this important safety issue.

You can still sign up to participate in meetings with your own legislators on our key issues and help this Dig Safe language keep moving forward in the legislative process.

More here >

Senate Budget Debate Begins next week on FY23 Budget Proposal

Details: ACEC/MA Budget Resource Page

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

Next GAC Meeting: 5/20 @ 10 AM on Zoom

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Read the latest ACEC Private Industry Brief on the Health Care & Science+Technology Market

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