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**Here's Your 5/4/23 Issue  
of ACEC/Matters**



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Briefings & Events

Join a Committee or Forum

**Last chance to register for:**

### **Engineers & Land Surveyors @ the State House + Water's Worth It Day**

**May 11, 9 AM - 1:30 PM**

**Great Hall, 2nd Floor, MA State House**

**[Register by May 4](#)**

We arrange appointments with your State Senator & State Representative, based on where you live/vote.

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### **ACEC/MA Energy and Utilities Conference**

**May 17, 7:30 AM Hot Breakfast @ MHA Conference Ctr,  
Burlington or attend by Zoom**

**With:**

- **Melissa Hoffer**, Climate Chief, Commonwealth of Mass.
- **Joanna Troy**, Director of Policy, Planning, and Analysis, Department of Energy Resources
- **Fred Laskey, Dave Coppes, John Colbert, Kathy Murtagh**, MWRA



- **Jerry Fortier**, Eversource
- **John Tzimirangas**, Energy New England
- **José Costa**, Northeast Gas Association
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Register by May 12

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### **Note to Consultants working for MBTA:**

**MBTA Capital Programs is requesting that any outstanding invoices be submitted by June 9, 2023 to allow sufficient time for review and processing prior to final payments being made on or before June 30, 2023.**

[Memo](#)

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QBS Panel Presenters From Left: Maureen Chlebek (McMahon, a Bowman Company), Bob Galvin (Galvin and Galvin, PC), MassDOT Deputy Highway Administrator and Chief Engineer Carrie Lavalley, Erik Atkins (McFarland Johnson)

### **Benefits of QBS Featured at MassDOT Innovation Conference**

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### **ACEC Member Action Needed: Urge Lawmakers to Cosponsor**

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Members**

# **Legislation To Repeal R&D Amortization**

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## **ACEC Research Institute State of the Engineering Economy: Q2 2023**

**May 23, 12:30 - 1:30 PM Zoom**

**Open to all Members**

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Features ACEC/MA Treasurer **Bob Belitz**, CEO, Tighe &  
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## **Government Affairs**

**- ACEC Last Word Blog**

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**State News:**

**- Report Shows Greater Boston is Susceptible to  
Unpredictable Stormwater Flooding**

**- April Revenue Collapse Swings State Budget Into  
Red: FY2024 Budget Resource Page for ACEC/MA  
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**ACEC/MA's Government Affairs Comm (GAC) acts on  
bills impacting our Eng/PLS/A/E community.**

**Next GAC = 5/19, 10 AM**

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