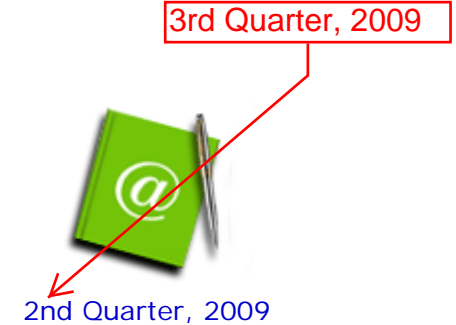




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CUNY Graduate Center

June 15th Technical Conference

Comments:

- * Venue and catering were excellent, very convenient
- * Great speakers
- * A slightly shorter agenda, fitting in with normal workday hours would be better

Questions:

How can we keep current with economic conditions in the construction industry?

Our keynote speaker at the conference, Jim Haughey has his own web community called Market Insights, the internet address is <http://www.reedconstructiondata.com/market-insights/>

Jodi Smits Anderson talked about "green building" in her presentation on Integrative Design, how can we find out more?

By visiting www.dasny.org and clicking on the DASNY Goes Green heading



A photo of the entrance to the CUNY Graduate Center, the location of the NYIEC Technical Conference.

Call For Articles

We're looking for articles for the NYIEC newsletter. Please send submittals to jmacaluso@empire.state.ny.us

An Alternative to Bailouts?

ENR has an editorial that would be of interest to all of us in the public sector. The title of the editorial is Public Works, Not Bailouts, Will Ease The Financial Crisis.

The link to the website is

<http://enr.construction.com/opinions/editorials/archives/080917.asp>

Networking



NYIEC is now on the business networking web site, LinkedIn. Over 42 million professionals use LinkedIn to exchange information, ideas and opportunities. There is no charge or obligation for becoming a member of LinkedIn. Simply visit their website at www.linkedin.com and signup. Once you signed up you can find NYIEC by using the search box, select find groups, and type in NYIEC.

there is a wealth of green building information pertaining to public sector projects.

Topics suggested for the next conference:

- Project Leadership
- Contract pricing
- Energy efficiency
- Asset maximization
- Creating, finding, developing & retraining engineering staff
- Where will we find the employees of tomorrow?
- What are we doing about brain drain?
- Agency/Consultant relationships technical and financial
- Public works funding, efficient spending of funds within a limited time span
- Inter-relationships between different engineering units
- Overseas material supplies
- Construction coordination for highways
- How to stimulate the construction industry
- Scheduling and risk management
- BIM
- Site development
- Upkeep of roads
- Zero energy building design
- Elements to be considered for research of designs
- Energy efficient design & construction, and renewable energy
- Keeping construction cost low enough so essential infrastructure can be built
- Update on regional mega projects
- Controlled/special inspection requirements and implementation
- Construction staging

Quarterly Meeting

Hosney Abdelgelil, Stephen Thomson and live internet Kimon Onuma gave a presentation on BIM Building Information Modeling and the Building SMART alliance. In addition to the many private organizations, the Cost Guard, US General Services Administration, and the Army Corp of Engineers are three government agencies that are heavily involved in BIM. Hosney and Stephen and Kimon, talked about the upcoming BIM Storm 2009 sponsored by the NY Metro chapter of the Building Smart Alliance. A BIM Storm is an event in which building professionals get together via the internet, to transform (virtually) an entire neighborhood. One such BIM storm brought together 133 individuals from Boston, Maryland, Hawaii, Canada, Mexico, Japan, the Netherlands, and the Philippines for 24 hours to simulate the design of transforming 60 blocks of Los Angeles, over 54,755,000 square feet, all without any of the participants leaving their seats. The NY Metro Building SMART alliance would like to recruit the NYIEC in participating in the upcoming BIM Storm. The next quarterly

meeting will be hosted by the NYC School Construction Authority and the NYC Department of Design and Construction. We plan on a follow up to this BIM presentation. If you are interested in attending this presentation, please contact your NYIEC delegate.

Annual Luncheon

The annual luncheon is held in November at the Union League Club in mid-town Manhattan. We're looking for suggestions for keynote speakers any suggestions?

Economic Stimulus Projects

Amount Allocated (\$ millions)

Brooklyn Bridge Rehabilitation \$47.21
Bruckner Expressway Bridges (2) Replacement of Protective Coating \$8.82
Greenpoint Avenue Bridge over Newtown Creek Rehabilitation \$6.00
Roadway Bridge (12) Rehabilitation \$9.67
St. George Ferry Terminal Ramps Rehabilitation \$175.00
Wards Island Pedestrian Bridge Upgrades \$14.30
Surface Transportation Program -ARRA Funding Total \$261.00
Surface Transportation Program -Displaced City Funding 132nd Street / Linden Place Extension \$7.00
Bedford Stuyvesant Gateway Business District Improvements \$7.10
Brooklyn Navy Yard Improvements \$4.75
Claremont Parkway Bridge Reconstruction (Bathgate) \$7.00
College Point / 32nd Avenue Reconstruction \$12.00
Coney Island Boardwalk Reconstruction \$15.00
East Houston Street Reconstruction (Lower East Side) \$23.55
Eastern Parkway Reconstruction (Prospect Heights) \$6.00
Flatbush Avenue Streetscape Improvements \$3.50
Hillside Avenue Sidewalk Replacement (Jamaica) \$10.00
Hugh Grant Circle Improvements (Parkchester) \$3.50
Hunts Point Improvements \$22.00
Kingston Avenue Reconstruction \$6.00
Long Island City Queens Plaza Improvements -Phase I \$22.00
Long Island City Queens Plaza Improvements -Phase II \$15.00
Nassau Avenue and Monitor Street Reconstruction (Greenpoint) \$12.90
Paulding Avenue Reconstruction (Bronxwood) \$21.06
Rockaway Boardwalk Reconstruction \$15.00
Shore (Belt) Parkway Bridges (6) Steel Structure Protective Coating Replacement \$6.80
Shore (Belt) Parkway East 8th Street Access Ramp Reconstruction \$14.05
Sidewalk Repairs Citywide \$3.67
St. George and Whitehall Ferry Terminals Retail Improvements \$6.00
Staten Island Railway Bridges (11) Rehabilitation \$8.22

West 125th Street Reconstruction \$1.90
 Watershed Agricultural Program \$1.00
 Adams Houses Roof Replacement and Asbestos Abatement \$3.93
 Amsterdam (830) Houses Water Tank Repairs \$0.50
 Armstrong Houses I and II Brickwork Repair and Roofing Replacement \$20.79
 Baisley Park Houses Roof Replacement and Brickwork Repair \$6.25
 Baisley Park Houses Women's Locker Room Installation \$0.20
 Beach 41st Street Houses Heating Upgrade \$0.27
 Beach 41st Street Houses Roof Replacement \$8.70
 Bedford Stuyvesant Houses Rehab Elevators Rehabilitation \$0.39
 Betances Houses Firestopping and Apartment Restoration \$3.00
 Boston Secor Houses Fuel Oil Tank Replacement \$0.40
 Brick Repair at Various NYCHA Locations Citywide \$4.00
 College Point Houses Rehab Roof Replacement \$1.20
 Conlon Lihfe Towers Houses Roof Replacement \$1.04
 Eastchester Gardens Houses Elevator Rehabilitation \$4.34
 Elevator Door Zone Locks Installation at \$2.83
 Various Locations
 Elevator Remote Monitoring Systems Expansion at Various Locations \$3.00
 Energy Efficient Gas/Electric Ranges at Various Locations \$3.00
 Energy Efficient Refrigerator Replacement at Various Locations \$21.00
 Floor Tile Installation in Public Spaces at Various Locations \$1.00
 Heating Valves and Traps Installation at Various Locations \$2.00
 Highbridge Anderson Houses Rehabs Brick Repair and Roof Replacement \$3.32

 Highbridge Gardens Houses Brick Repair and Roof Replacement \$1.94
 Highbridge Nelson Houses Rehabs Brick Repair and Roof Replacement \$4.40
 Installation of Steel Bar Fencing at Various Locations \$4.00
 King Towers Houses Elevator Replacement \$8.27
 Kingsborough Houses Heating Upgrade \$2.91
 Latimer Gardens Houses Roof Replacement \$1.33
 Leavitt Houses Roof Replacement \$1.00
 Lehman Village Houses Roof Replacement \$1.20
 Lower East Side 1 Houses Elevator Rehabilitations \$0.57
 Lower East Side Houses Rehab (Group 5) Roof Replacement \$0.83
 Lower East Side II Houses Roof Replacement \$0.90
 Manhattanville Rehab Group II \$0.29
 Manhattanville Rehab Group III Elevators Rehabilitation \$0.29
 Marcus Garvey Houses Roof Replacement \$4.79
 McKinley Houses (905 Eagle Ave) Roof Replacement \$1.27
 Middletown Plaza Houses Brick Repair \$5.46
 Millbrook Houses and Extension Elevator Rehabilitation \$7.41
 Mitchel Houses Rehabs Roof Replacement \$1.09
 Monroe Houses Structural Repairs to Rooftop Water Tank \$0.40
 Morris I Houses Roof Tank Replacement \$0.50
 Mott Haven Houses Structural Repairs to Rooftop Water Tank Enclosure \$0.42
 Ocean Hill -Brownsville Houses Brickwork Repair and Roof Replacement \$5.50

Queensbridge Houses North Exterior Compactor Installation \$0.91
Range Fire Suppression Systems Improvement at Various Locations \$1.00
Roof Repair -Spray-On Foam at Various Locations \$4.66
Rooftop Water Tank Replacements at Various Locations \$1.00
Saratoga Village Houses Brickwork Repair and Roof Replacement \$3.50
Sedgwick Houses Elevator Rehabilitation \$6.30
Sheepshead Bay Houses Heating \$0.77
Shelton Houses Brickwork Repair \$2.60
Shelton Houses Roof Replacement \$1.52
Soundview Houses Brick and Roof Replacement \$26.00
South Jamaica Houses I and II Steam Heating Zone Valve Replacement \$0.39
South Jamaica I and II Interior Stair Replacement \$2.00
Sumner Houses Elevator Rehabilitation \$8.62
Tapscott Houses Rehabs Roof Replacement \$7.15
Taylor Wythe Houses Elevator Rehabilitations \$2.73
Throggs Neck Houses Brick and Parapet Repairs \$15.00
Unity Plaza Houses (17, 24, 25A) Roof Replacement \$3.45
Unity Plaza Houses (4, 5A, 6) Roof Replacement \$6.00
Van Dyke Houses II Roof Replacement and Masonry Rehabilitation \$1.80
Washington Heights Houses Rehab IV (C) Roof Replacement \$1.00
Washington Heights Houses Rehab IV (D) Roof Replacement \$1.00
Whitman-Ingersoll Houses Apartment Renovations \$80.00
Whitman-Ingersoll Houses Apartment Soft Renovations \$7.00
Whitman-Ingersoll Houses Elevators Rehabilitation \$21.32
Woodside Houses Roof and Parapet Replacement \$20.00
Woodson Houses Electrical Upgrade \$1.73
Wyckoff Gardens Houses Roof Replacement \$4.10

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