PRESIDENTS MESSAGE

Dear RSBITE Members and Friends,
Welcome back! Hope everyone stayed cool this summer. It certainly was a hot one.

It’s time to begin our new year with our Kick-Off Luncheon! Are you ready?

I am excited to have as our first guest speaker, Neelam Dorman, the Western ITE President. She will be discussing the OneITE initiative. This is a significant topic for the Western District and will affect all Sections and Chapters. Let’s all attend the luncheon on September 13th at the Old Spaghetti Factory in Rancho Cucamonga and give her a big RSBITE welcome.

Finally, I’d like to thank our outgoing RSBITE President, Daniel David. We appreciate his leadership and guidance this past year and it will be an honor to serve as your new RSBITE 2018-2019 President. I’m looking forward to an exciting and informative year.

Regards,
Tracy Moriya
RSBITE 2018-2019 President

SEPTEMBER MEETING
ONE ITE TASK FORCE

Join RSBITE for our Kick-off meeting for the Year and in welcoming our presenter Neelam Dorman the ITE Western District President. The Western District One ITE Task Force was formed in June 2018 to examine the implications of ITE International's One ITE initiative, including the possible transitioning of Western District Sections and Chapters to another District. The goal is to work with ITE International's One ITE Task Force, provide guidance and information, and assist Sections and Chapters with their desired next steps. And if there are Sections in the Western District that want to form a new District, the Western District Task Force will serve as a resource during the transition period.


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Please welcome Ruby Pelayo as one of the recent additions to RSBITE. Ruby is working as an Assistant Engineer at KOA Corporation and is a recent graduate from Cal Poly Pomona. During her time at Cal Poly she was the Events Coordinator and Public Relations of Cal Poly Pomona’s student chapter of WTS (2016 -2018). Ruby really enjoyed being part of a student organization and is excited to be a part of RSBITE. In her free time, Ruby enjoys going to the beach or going to the local drive in movie theater. We are glad to have Ruby joining the RSBITE family and look forward to having her contribute to making this a successful year.

RSBITE is now on Instagram
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**Utility relocation contract completed for Gold Line extension to Montclair**

The Foothill Gold Line Construction Authority (Construction Authority) announced completion of the $2.6 million Utility Relocation design-bid-build contract, awarded to W.A. Rasic Construction Company, Inc. (Rasic) in September 2017. Over the last 11 months, Rasic crews successfully relocated and/or protected a dozen strategically-located sewer and water lines that cross the railroad corridor where the Foothill Gold Line is being built. Today’s announcement marks the successful completion of the first of three contracts to be awarded over the life of the $1.5 billion, six-station Foothill Gold Line light rail extension from Glendora to Montclair. The project will add new Metro Gold Line stations in the cities of Glendora, San Dimas, La Verne, Pomona, Claremont and Montclair.

For more information about this see the links below:

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**Save the Date**

December 5

**Holiday Mixer**

**Location TBD**

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**Section Chair Spotlight**

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JOB ANNOUNCEMENTS

LSA’s Riverside office is seeking an Assistant Transportation Planner/Engineer. Candidates should be familiar with the fundamentals of traffic engineering and level of service analysis. The ideal candidate will have experience in the four step traffic assignment process, research and technical analysis, intersection level of service software (e.g., Synchro, Vistro, Traffix), and microsimulation software (e.g., SimTraffic, Vissim, TransModeler). The candidate should also have the ability to convey technical information through report writing, including documentation of complex topics in a concise and understandable manner. Excellent written communication skills are a requirement.

Desired skills include familiarity with traffic operations software (e.g., Synchro, Vistro, Traffix); travel demand modeling software (e.g., TransCAD, Visum, Cube/Voyager); geographic information system (GIS) applications; drafting software (e.g., AutoCAD), research of transportation, land use, and environmental topics; and spreadsheet (e.g., Excel) applications.

The successful candidate must have a Bachelor’s or Master’s degree in transportation planning, traffic engineering, urban planning, or a related field.

SCRIBE REPORT WESTERN ITE ANNUAL MEETING

The Western ITE annual meeting was held at Keystone Resort and Conference Center in Dillon, Colorado. This was the first joint meeting between the Western ITE and Texas ITE sections. The attendees were treated to beautiful greenery and mountain views surrounding the conference center.

The Conference was off to a great start with attendees reconnecting with Friends and Colleagues at the Get Acquainted Social. Which was followed up by a longstanding Texas ITE tradition of a lively Texas Hold’em Vets and Rookies Competition hosting approximately 200 people, with a Rookie taking home the grand prize.

The Technical Program hosted eight tracks with four sessions per track over the course of three days. The main topics presented during the technical sessions included Bike and Ped, Big Data, Roundabout, Connected/Automated Vehicles, Safety, and Transportation Planning, and several more.

In addition to the technical sessions attendees had the opportunity to attend four technical tours. The tours showcased how Coloradans drive the divide and the CDOT TMC, the free rural transit system that services the Summit County communities, a Bike Tour of Breckenridge/Frisco, and a whirlwind tour of eight roundabouts in the mountains of Colorado.

Now if that wasn’t enough to fill your conference calendar three technical workshops were offered in addition to the conference. The workshops focused on focus on how to effectively use the USLIMITS2 web based tool, Roundabouts Design Optimization, and Intersection Control Evaluation for Roundabouts and Alternative Intersections.

In true Western ITE fashion it wouldn’t have been a Conference without a fun filled Family Night. The evening event was hosted just a short ride from the Resort at the Keystone Ranch. Attendees were treated to Bar-B-Que, a live band, a Horse drawn wagon ride, pony rides and many more activities for all to enjoy.

A major announcement was also made about OneITE Initiative which is the topic of our September Luncheon.

The City of Rancho Cucamonga’s Engineering Department is currently hiring three (3) Assistant Engineers for the following divisions: Land Development, Traffic/Transportation, and Construction Management/Capital Improvement. For additional information please visit the City’s webpage at https://www.cityofrc.us/services/employment_opportunities/eoe.asp All applicants are required to complete a City employment application and supplemental questionnaire online. Closing date is 5:00 pm on Tuesday, September 11, 2018 or until a sufficient number of applications have been received.
Your sponsorship of RSBITE provides for advertisement to a wide-range of members while providing much-needed assistance to the section. Your sponsorship will help to subsidize the attendance of public-sector members at luncheons and to support students in our section, among other activities.

Please consider a sponsorship today to help maintain a robust and vital RSBITE section.

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