

... just a reminder that you're receiving this email because you attend, have attended or have interest in transportation conferences, classes or seminars. This newsletter is ONLY sent out once a month and is to be used as a platform for locating national and local educational transportation conferences, classes, trade shows, and seminars.

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The Industry Conference Resource

September 2016

CRITICAL DATES

- **AASHTO TransComm Meeting** - *There is still time to register for this conference that takes place in Charleston, WV over the dates of September 11-15.*

Click [HERE](#) to register today.

- **IHEEP 2016** - *There is still time to register for this conference that takes place in Helena, MT over the dates of September 11-15..*

Click [HERE](#) to register today.

- **2nd Infrastructure Advancement Institute Summit** - *Sponsorships for this Summit are scarce. One of the few opportunities to sponsor a conference with attendees from TxDOT.*

Click [HERE](#) to register, sponsor and see who is already registered.

NEW RELEASES

- **2016 ARTBA National Convention** - *to register, sponsor, and/or learn more click [HERE](#).*
- **Designing Precast Concrete Retaining and Sound Walls for Better Solutions** - *to register for this free webinar click [HERE](#)*

SASHTO Article

SASHTO Attendees Unite to Provide Assistance to Flood Victims in West Virginia and Louisiana

The SASHTO 2016 meeting, hosted by the West Virginia Department of Transportation, accomplished much more this year than the overall conference agenda, relationship building, trade show and leadership insight. This year, through the use of an innovative system for donations, SASHTO attendees and friends joined together to raise over \$19,000 (currently) for those impacted by flooding in West Virginia and Louisiana.

Through an application called MobileCause (sponsored by Housman and Associates and Michael Baker International), the attendees were offered a method for contributing to the flood victims on their mobile phones. Simply by pressing a button, hundreds of participants donated to help the flood victims. There is still time to donate to the Flood Victims (see below for instructions).

Cards placed in the conference bags and posted on social media:

**Make a Difference in the 75-year History of the SASHTO Region with Vital Flood Relief:
We support each other!**

Any donation will change lives and futures in West Virginia and Louisiana.

Use our App (it's simple):

- **Send text Message to the number 41444**
- **Type SASHTO (space)**
- **Amount donating (space)**
- **Your name (space)**
- **And a message if you like**

If every participant at SASHTO gave only \$50.00, we would raise over \$40,000.00 for the flooded families, which will change their lives. Pay it forward today and make a difference in someone's life. SASHTO will provide an international press release following the donations with the total amount donated by the SASHTO community and the top sponsors.



Social media was a part of the program as Shawn Wilson, Ph.D., Secretary, Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development (@onevisionary) used his virtual influence by getting the word out on Twitter. He was joined in the social media efforts by Housman and Associates, Byline7, AASHTO, Michael Baker International and others in reaching the audience for a successful donation effort. Many thanks go to all of the agencies, companies, organizations and individuals who donated and continue to donate!

2016 Conference List

SEPTEMBER 2016

- **Transportation and Communities Summit**

September 8 - 9 | Portland, OR
University Place Hotel

To learn more about this conference click [HERE](#).

- **IBTTA Fall Board of Directors & Committees Meeting**

September 8 - 10 | Denver, CO
Hyatt Regency Denver at Convention Center

Click [HERE](#) to learn more about this conference.

- **84th IBTTA Annual Meeting and Exhibition**

September 11 - 14 | Denver, CO
Hyatt Regency Denver at Convention Center

Having the top leaders and decision makers in the industry on hand, makes this the most significant gathering of toll professionals in the world. To be apart of the experience and gain valuable information the tolling industry click [HERE](#).

- **AASHTO Transportation Communications**

September 11 - 15 | Charleston, WV
Charleston Marriott Town Center

During the conference, transportation officials will connect with each other to enhance collaboration efforts in transportation safety, best practices, emerging technologies, crisis management and communication skills development. It is the best conference for people who analyze and communicate about transportation finance, policies, programs, safety and projects with customers, congressional, state and local elected officials, communities, transport and business owners, media, special interest groups and all roadway users. Click [HERE](#) to register.

- **International Highway Engineering Exchange Program**

September 11-15 | Helena, MT
Helena Colonial Hotel - Red Lion, 2301 Colonial Dr., Helena, MT 59601

The premier IT transportation conference covering topics of Advances with 3D -4D-5D Highway Construction Modeling, Advances in E-Construction Practices, Highway Engineering Technology Improvements, Data/Document Management and Joint IT/Engineering Success Stories. To learn more about this conference, sponsorship options and/or exhibiting click [HERE](#).

- **2016 FTR Transportation Conference**

September 13 - 15 | Indianapolis, IN
Union Station

Meeting website is under construction and will be available soon. Click [HERE](#) to learn about what took place at the 2015 conference.

- **TCCE/TEA/PUG Conference**

September 14 - 22 | Grand Rapids, MI
The Amway Grand Plaza Hotel

The TEA-PUG is the annual meeting for the Technical Committee on Cost Estimating (TCCE), Transportation Estimator Association (TEA), and Project Users Group (PUG). It brings transportation professionals together for several days of idea-sharing and professional development. Approximately 125 attendees are expected to attend the workshop from DOTs across the U.S. Staff from various national transportation organizations are expected to attend as well. Click [HERE](#) to register.

- **AgileAssets International User Group Conference**

September 26 - 29 | Austin, TX
The AT&T Executive Education and Convention Center

At the 2016 AgileAssets International Users Conference we focus our attention on the value of transportation asset management, through case stories, new features, peer exchange and storytelling. We want to tell the world how valuable your infrastructure is and how what we do plays a vital part in keeping the wheels spinning. Click [HERE](#) to learn more.

- **AMOTIA 8th Annual Conference**

September 28 - 30 | Dallas, TX
The Westin Dallas Downtown

To learn more about this conference click [HERE](#).

OCTOBER 2016

- **AASHTO Standing Committee on Rail Transportation**

October 4 - 7 | Chicago, IL

AASHTO's Standing Committee on Rail Transportation Annual meeting is an opportunity for members and delegates to engage in peer exchange and technical sessions relating to both freight and passenger rail. A focus on safety will be a top priority along with the advancement of new technologies. Members will also engage with federal leaders from the USDOT, FRA, Amtrak, Class I and Shortline Railroads, the Shipping and Research Communities. To register or sponsor click [HERE](#).

- **2016 ARTBA National Convention**

October 4 - 6 | Tucson, AZ
JW Marriott Tucson Star Pass

The theme for this year's October 4-6 ARTBA National Convention, "Really Putting Safety First," is no coincidence. Through ARTBA's Foundation, these industry leaders will announce a game-changing safety program that has been years in the making. The program goal: to significantly boost the hazard awareness and risk management skills of all transportation project professionals who are in positions of influence—from project inception through completion—to cause a decline in safety incidents. To register, sponsor and/or learn more click [HERE](#).

- **23rd ITS World Congress**

October 10 - 14 | Melbourne, Australia
Multiple Hotel Listings

ITS technologies include communication, data processing and electronic technologies for in-vehicle, vehicle-to-vehicle, vehicle-to-infrastructure and mode-to-mode systems that increase transport safety and mobility, improve the sustainability of travel, reduce congestion, and improve the performance and competitiveness of all modes of transport. Registration is now open, click [HERE](#) to register today!

- **Infrastructure Advancement Institute**

October 12 - 13 | College Station, TX
Hilton College Station and Convention Center

Infrastructure Advancement Institute is a non-profit organization established in the State of Texas. The Institute is organized to foster development in infrastructure construction, operation, and maintenance, while encouraging cooperation between public and private sectors. The Institute will strive to collaborate with other appropriate associations and agencies in considering matters of mutual interest in serving the public need as well as to educate the general public about infrastructure in United States of America. To learn more click [HERE](#).

- **11th Mississippi Transportation Institute Conference**

October 17 - 18 | Jackson, MS
Hilton Garden Inn Jackson Downtown

Please put this event on your calendar and join us for an informative and enjoyable conference that will be attended by federal, state, and local officials along with leaders from the intermodal transportation community. For those that are involved in Mississippi's transportation community, there is not a better platform than the MTI Conference to network with fellow transportation friends and supporters. To learn more click [HERE](#).

- **20th Construction Financial Management Association (CFMA) Conference**

October 19 - 21 | Las Vegas, NV
Caesar's Palace

Financial professionals in the construction industry come together to discuss latest industry issues and their financial implications. Registration is available and can be found [HERE](#).

- **Association of Metropolitan Planning Organizations Annual Conference**

October 25 - 28 | Seattle, WA

Hotel info to come

The AMPO Annual Conference brings together MPO staff, Policy Board members, federal and state employees, and consultants to share information on a variety of MPO issues. Click [HERE](#) to learn more.

- **2016 TPTA Conference & Expo**

October 25 - 28 | Memphis, TN

Cook Convention Center

Mark your calendars for the 2016 Tennessee Public Transportation Association Conference and Expo. Meeting website is under construction and will be available soon.

NOVEMBER 2016

- **The Colorado Transportation Matters Summit**

November 1 | Denver, CO

Grand Hyatt Downtown

The focus of the meeting will be the user experience and we will take a closer look at how we all experience our transportation systems and the effects that experience has on our daily lives and our ability to conduct business to keep our state moving forward in a highly competitive world. The meeting will be a half day format with a lunch keynote followed by 2 rounds of break-out sessions. CDOT anticipates to have 500+ attendees. More information on this conference can be found [HERE](#).

- **The Year in Infrastructure Conference**

November 1 - 3 | London, UK

Hilton London Metropole

Each year, Bentley Systems hosts the Year in Infrastructure Conference and Be Inspired Awards celebration. This event brings together industry experts and global thought-leaders to share best practices and to define the future of infrastructure project delivery and asset performance. We invite you to join us in London, November 1-3 and be among the industry leaders who are shaping the future. We're confident you'll find the offering of Forum options to be on point, session topics to be stimulating, and the speakers to be informative and dynamic. Click [HERE](#) to learn more.

- **51st California Transit Association Annual Fall Conference and Expo**

November 16 - 18 | Oakland, CA

Oakland Marriott City Center

This is the signature event of the year for the California Transit Association. There are over 700 transit professionals of all levels along with over 100 suppliers that attend. Registration, sponsorship and exhibit information can be found [HERE](#).

- **4th Annual Florida Automated Vehicles Summit**

November 29-30 | Tampa, FL

Tampa Marriott Waterside Hotel

The 4th Annual Florida Automated Vehicles Summit is an event dedicated to showcasing Florida's progress in preparing for automated vehicles. With an organized agenda full of industry experts, keynote speakers, and ongoing live demonstrations, attendees will have the opportunity to gain insight into what Florida is doing to create the ideal climate for the implementation and deployment of

DECEMBER 2016

- **Self Help Counties Coalition Focus on the Future Conference**

December 4 - 6 | Hollywood, CA
Loews Hollywood Hotel

Over 800 transportation professionals attend this Premier Transportation Conference. Registration, exhibitor and sponsorship information are coming soon and can be found [HERE](#).

- **Georgia Transit Association Annual Conference**

December 7 - 9 | Athens, GA
Hotel information coming soon

The GTA Conference provides a unique opportunity for transit leaders across the state to come together to share best practices, find solutions, and improve services throughout communities in Georgia. This year's conference will once again have high caliber speakers, innovative exhibitors and high quality networking opportunities such as our ever-popular casino night.

The Georgia Transit Association continues to advance the policies and priorities of our rural and urban transit entities. This year's conference will be hosted in coordination with the Southeast Chapter of the Association for Commuter Transportation (SEACT), a leading advocate for commuter transportation and transportation demand management. This partnership will provide a state-wide forum to exchange valuable information, ideas and experiences. Our collective work facilitates adequate and stable funds for public transit while crafting a positive image for transit and alternative transportation across Georgia and the Southeast. To learn more click [HERE](#).

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