



CAPITAL AREA SECTION



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MINUTES OF THE AUGUST MEETING

The October meeting was held on October 15th, 2010 at the City of Austin's offices on Toomey Road. The guest speaker was Gilmer Gaston from Pape-Dawson Engineers. Gilmer gave an overview of current applications of superstreet configurations in Central Texas.

The Nomination Committee, led by Brian VanderWalle, provided the following candidates for serving as officers in the upcoming year:

For President – Alan Hughes

For Vice President – Anna Martin, HDR

For Secretary Treasurer – Eric Bollich, City of Austin and Eduardo Garcia, PBS&J

No additional nominations were received from the floor. Ballots will be e-mailed, and may be emailed back to Brian Vanderwalle or brought to the meeting on December 3rd, 2010.

NEXT MEETING:

Friday, December 3rd, 12:00pm

Location: City of Austin

1501 Toomey Road
Austin, Texas 78704

Please join us for a BBQ lunch to celebrate the holiday season and participate in the 2011 Officer Elections

Current Officers

Please contact any of the following officers, if you have questions about the Capital Area Section, TexITE, or ITE.

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The Section Secretary-Treasurer can provide you with a National membership application and the local section application is printed at the end of every newsletter.

ITE Website Addresses

If you are interested in the latest developments at ITE, check out the following websites:

- ITE – www.ite.org
- TexITE – www.texite.org

You can find section meeting information at this website: <http://www.texite.org/austin/mainaustin.htm>. Thanks to Isam Bandak for his continued work to maintain the ITE Capital Area Section website!

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End of Year Luncheon and Officer Elections

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About Our December Meeting

The Capital Area Section of TexITE will be having our yearly elections at the December 3rd meeting.

There will be a Bar-B-Q lunch buffet for anyone interested. The cost for the buffet will be \$5 with reservations, and \$8 without reservations. Meals can't be guaranteed for those who do not RSVP.

If you wish to attend and have lunch, Please RSVP by Monday, November 29th to Anna Martin at anna.martin@hdrinc.com so we can give the restaurant a head count.

Future Meetings

Tentative 2011 future meeting dates for your calendar are:

February 4th
April 8th
June 3rd
August 5th
October 7th
December 2nd

If anyone has a suggestion for a meeting topic or would like to present a topic at a future meeting, please let one of the officers know.

ITE News



ITE 2011 Technical Conference and Exhibit
April 3-6, 2011
Lake Buena Vista, FL

TexITE 2011 Winter Meeting

The 2011 winter meeting will be held in Fort Worth, Texas on March 24-26, 2011.



Professional Development Hours (PDH)

As a reminder to all professional engineers, the Texas Board of Professional Engineers, Continuing Education Program rule requires 15 Professional Development Hours (PDH) per year for license renewal. At least 1 PDH must be in the area of professional ethics.

Attendance at each Capitol Area Section Meeting counts as one hour towards your 15 PDH requirement.

Section News

If you have news items, technical information, or upcoming events you would like to place in future newsletters, please send them to Anna Martin at anna.martin@hdrinc.com.

UT Student Chapter

If you would like to speak at one of the Student Chapter meetings, please contact their officers at utexasite@gmail.com.