



Transportation Committee Meeting Agenda

Wednesday, June 5, 2024 | 11:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Harris County Pct. 4 Service Center | 14444 Holderrieth Rd. | Tomball, TX 77377

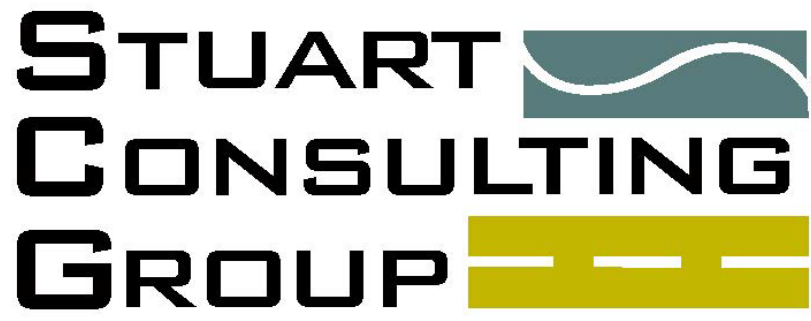
- I. **Welcome and Introductions:** Telfryn John, Committee Chair
- II. **Sponsor and Host Recognition:** Telfryn John, Committee Chair

Lunch Sponsors:
Stuart Consulting Group

Meeting Host:
Harris County Pct. 4

- III. **Organization Updates:** Telfryn John, Committee Chair
- IV. **Introduction of Speaker:** Telfryn John, Committee Chair
- V. **Speaker:** Martin Rodin, TxDOT, Director of Professional Engineering, Procurement Services
Topic: TxDOT PEPS Division Update
- VI. **Approval of Prior Month Committee Meeting Minutes:** Telfryn John, Committee Chair
- VII. **Next Transportation Committee Meeting**
Date: Wednesday, September 4, 2024
Speaker: Varuna Singh, P.E., Deputy District Director, TxDOT
Topic: Houston District Update
Location: Harris County Pct. 4 Service Center | 14444 Holderrieth Rd. | Tomball, TX 77377
- VIII. **Upcoming Meetings and Events**
 - **Thursday, June 13, 2024, 11:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. | Water Committee**
Speakers: Marcelo Moacyr, Director of Business Development, BGE, Inc., Chris Doherty, Stormwater Practice Leader, Associate BGE, Inc.
Topic: Buffalo Bayou Community Plan
Location: SJRA Ops Bldg. Training Room | 2436 Sawdust Rd. | The Woodlands, TX 77380
 - **Thursday, June 20, 2024, 11:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. | Environment Committee**
Speaker: Sue Theiss, Advanced Project Development Director, TxDOT, Miranda Maldonado, Environmental Project Manager, Stantec, Kelly Lark, Senior Environmental Project Manager, JACOBS
Topic: Environmental Justice and Title VI
Location: SJRA Ops Bldg. Training Room | 2436 Sawdust Rd. | The Woodlands, TX 77380

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MARTIN L. RODIN, PE

Martin Rodin currently serves as TxDOT's Director of Professional Engineering Procurement Services (PEPS) Division. In this position, Martin is responsible for the procurement of over \$2 Billion annually in professional engineering services for engineering, architectural and surveying needs statewide.

Mr. Rodin works with the twenty-five TxDOT Districts and eighteen of the TxDOT Divisions to translate their needs into professional services contracts, while also overseeing management of TxDOT's annual consultant contracts budget of \$1.5 Billion, as well as serving as the Departments liaison with the American Council of Engineering Companies (ACEC).

Mr. Rodin began working as an Engineering Assistant in 1985 for the TxDOT Dallas District Bridge Design Section. In 1987, he moved to the Amarillo District to manage a Bridge Design Group. While with the Amarillo District, Martin advanced to the position of District Design Engineer in 1990 and Director of Transportation Planning and Development in 1994. Martin left TxDOT service in 1997 to join the engineering consultant industry working for multiple firms including LOPEZGARCIA GROUP, URS and CobbFendley.

Mr. Rodin brings a wealth of experience in transportation design and engineering management from serving as a project manager for development of over 200 PS&E projects in his career. He is an award-winning design engineer, having received recognition from the Amarillo Independent School District, the Texas Chapter of the Associated General Contractors (AGC), the Texas Society of Professional Engineers (TSPE) and the Texas Tech Academy of Civil, Environmental and Construction Engineers.

In 2015, Martin found his way home to TxDOT when hired to become the PEPS Division Director.

Mr. Rodin holds an MBA from West Texas A&M University and a B.S. in Civil Engineering from Texas Tech University.



Transportation Committee Meeting Minutes

Wednesday, May 1, 2024, | 11:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

George Bush Community Center | 6827 Cypresswood Dr. | Spring, TX 77380

- I. **Welcome:** At 12:05 p.m., Telfryn John, Committee Chair, welcomed speaker Eric Heppen, Harris County Pct. 3 calling for self-introductions of those attending.
- II. **Host and Sponsor Recognition:** Telfryn John, Committee Chair, thanked facility host George Bush Community Center and Lunch Sponsors Half and Stuart Consulting.
- III. **Attendees (46)**

Bobby Adams, DEC – A Part of Gannett Fleming	Peniamina (Ben) Lesa, HNTB
Donna Adams, AtkinsRealis	Curran McDowell, Geotech Engineering & Testing
Matt Brannen, BGE, Inc.	David McMaster, Metropia / Houston ConnectSmart
Marlisa Briggs, NHA	Cissa Oliveira, WSB
Brad Brown, AECOM	Claudia Ornelas, Congressman Wesley Hunt
Jerry Bustamante, RS&H, Inc.	Sandra Ortiz, Woolpert
Christopher Chestnut, HNTB	Rich Patrick, Stuart Consulting Group
Brennan Cook, Harris County Precinct 3	Ashley Purkey, Half
Michael Copeland, HNTB	Rachel Ray-Welsh, Walter P Moore
John Dean, EHRA	Regina Recinos, Texas General Land Office
Jose Diaz, Raba Kistner	Ingrid Romero, NHA
Imelda Diaz, Diaz Engineering	Imani Spivey, NHA
Craig Houston, WSB	Rich Squire, AECOM
Tim Ervin, Ninyo & Moore	Jennifer Steen, CobbFendley
Agueda Guerra, Half	Jorge Villalta, ENTECH
Chad Hall, STV Infrastructure, Inc.	Derron Vincik, PGAL
Zenab Haq, Walter P Moore	Nathan Wilson, Woolpert
Eric Heppen, Harris County Precinct 3	Stephanie Zertuche, Diaz Engineering
Natasha Hill, Hill International	Marty Cristofaro, Stuart Consulting Group
Jubair Hossain, HTS Inc. Consultants	Tyler Reeves, Vogt Engineering
Yousef Husain, Woolpert	Rob Maxwell, Westwood Professional Services
Telfryn John, GeoScience Engineering & Testing	Hunter Brennan, Civitas Engineering Group
Michael Kurzy, Baxter & Woodman, Inc.	London Reed, Harris County Precinct 3
- IV. **Introduction of Speaker:** Telfryn John welcomed Harris County Pct. 3 Engineering Team
- V. **Speaker Presentation:** Harris County Pct. 3 Project Update
- VI. **Approval of Minutes:** Minutes from the April 3 committee meeting were distributed digitally for review prior to the meeting. A motion was made and seconded, with minutes being approved as distributed.
- VII. **Call for Organization Reports:** Marlisa Briggs provided an update on the public comments for HGAC TIP and the TPC. Michael Copeland from HNTB shared an update on the Subcommittee meeting for the SMP. Claudia Ornelas from Congressman Wesley Hunt's Office reported on the drainage project.

VIII. Next Transportation Committee Meeting

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IX. Upcoming Meetings and Events

- **Tuesday, May 7, 2024, 7:30 a.m. – 9:00 a.m. | Development Committee**

Speaker: Jesse Thompson, Sr. Business Economist, Federal Reserve Bank

Topic: Mid-Year Economic Outlook

Location: CityNorth Conference Center | 12190 Greenspoint Dr. | Houston, TX 77060

- **Thursday, May 9, 2024, 11:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. | Water Committee**

Speaker: Lars Zetterstrom, P.E., Vice President, Federal Program Manager, LAN, Inc.

Topic: Halls Bayou Project Update

Location: SJRA Ops. Building & Training Room | 2436 Sawdust Rd. The Woodlands, TX 77380

- **Thursday, May 30, 2024, 11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. | State of the Counties & Awards Ceremony**

Speakers: Judge Mark Keough, Montgomery County, Commissioner Tom Ramsey, Harris County Precinct 3, Commissioner Lesley Briones, Harris County Precinct 4, Dimitri Millas, Norton Rose Fulbright - Moderator

Location: Hilton Houston North | 12400 Greenspoint Dr. | Houston, TX 77060

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