
SAME LAKE MICHIGAN POST INDUSTRY DAY

May 26, 2022 – Lake Forest IL

Event MC Steve Blinderman, President, Blinderman Construction

8:00AM Breakfast and Registration

9:00AM WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS

9:15AM FEDERAL AGENCY PRESENTATIONS PANEL

MODERATOR: Dave Guseman, Vice-President Federal Programs, Blinderman Construction and Steve Blinderman, President, Blinderman Construction

PANELISTS:

- Cmdr. Andrew Hunt, Public Works Officer, Naval Station Great Lakes
- Fran Gomes, Director, Central Region, Office of Construction and Facilities Management, U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs
- Col. Paul Culberson, Commander and District Engineer, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (USACE) - Chicago District
- Leon (Kip) Bordelon IV, Procurement Analyst, Acquisition Management Division, Great Lakes Region, Public Buildings Service, U.S. General Services Administration

10:45AM INDUSTRY AND FEDERAL AGENCY DISCUSSION ON FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES

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- Lt. Cmdr. Alex Palmer, Deputy Public Works Officer, Naval Station Great Lakes
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11:45PM Lunch and Keynote Speaker:
Congressman Brad Schneider (IL 10th)



- 1:00PM STATE & LOCAL FUNDING PRESENTATIONS & DISCUSSIONS (A)
MODERATOR: Charles Frangos, PE, CEO/President, Orion Engineers, PLLC
- Timothy McMahon, Implementation and Legislative Affairs,
 - Chicago Metropolitan Agency for Planning
 - Tara O'Malley, Principal Financial Analyst, Regional Transportation Authority Illinois (RTA)
 - Kurt Woolford, Executive Director, Lake County Stormwater Management Commission
- 2:00PM BREAK
- 2:15PM STATE & LOCAL FUNDING PRESENTATIONS & DISCUSSIONS (B)
MODERATOR: Charles Frangos, PE, CEO/President, Orion Engineers, PLLC
- Jose Rios, Region 1 Engineer, IDOT
 - Lanyea Griffin, PE, Interim Executive Director, Illinois Tollway
 - Jennifer Killen, Superintendent, Cook County Department of Transportation and Highways
- 3:15PM LIGHT NETWORKING
- 4:00PM END OF DAY

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