



July 2, 2015

MEMORANDUM TO: Pennsylvania Concrete Paving Industry & Local Organizations
FROM: John M. Becker, P.E., ACPA Pennsylvania Chapter
SUBJECT: 2015 PennDOT/ACPA Concrete Pavement Bus Tour & Meeting

In cooperation with the Pennsylvania Department of Transportation, your company is invited to participate in the 2015 PennDOT/ACPA Penn Chapter Concrete Pavement Tour. This event will bring together the industry with key individuals at PennDOT and elsewhere to discuss concrete pavement issues and to observe completed and ongoing concrete paving projects in western Pennsylvania.

The Concrete Pavement Field Tour and Meeting are scheduled for Wednesday, August 5 and Thursday, August 6, 2015. The bus tour on August 5 will start at **8:00 a.m. at the Carpenters Training Facility, 652 Ridge Road, Pittsburgh**. The agenda calls for a brief overview and issue identification meeting; buses will leave promptly from the training facility upon conclusion of this meeting. The remainder of the day will be utilized to observe various completed and active concrete pavement construction projects in PennDOT Districts 11 & 12. **Hardhats, boots and safety vests are required attire for the field site visits; please bring them with you!** The buses will return to the training facility by 5:00 p.m.

On August 6, we will meet from **8:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon**, also at the **Carpenters Training Facility** for several pertinent presentations and a roundtable discussion of concrete paving issues and potential resolutions. Please suggest on the registration form any topics that you would like to see discussed. Arrangements have also been made to tour the training facility for anyone so interested.

We are able to only accommodate 98 individuals for the August 5 tour (which includes PennDOT, Turnpike and FHWA representatives) and 130 individuals for the August 6 meeting. In order to accommodate as many companies as possible, we are limiting, the number of attendees to three per contractor and two per all other companies/organizations.

The Hyatt Place Pittsburgh Airport has a block of rooms reserved under "ACPA Penn Chapter Bus Tour" at \$119/night for the nights of Tuesday, August 4 & Wednesday August 5. Their phone number is 412-494-0202. Reservations need to be made by Friday, July 24.

Please indicate on the registration form all of the functions that you will attend, and kindly email (cmueller@pavement.com) or mail the completed registration form as soon as possible, but no later than Friday, July 31 to the ACPA Penn Chapter. If you have any questions, please contact me at 717-215-0509 or Cindy Mueller at 717-441-3506.

