President's Message

It's hard for me to believe that my turn as President has arrived. It seems like just yesterday that James Foster called to ask if I would be willing to run as a candidate for Secretary / Treasurer. I remember wondering then if I was qualified to lead this fine organization --- several of its Past Presidents having been my mentors (and bosses!). I am so glad now that I agreed to give it a try. The past two years have been a great experience, and I am very hopeful for the future of ALSITE.

Your Board of Directors has been hard at work creating an improved vision for our organization. We began in December by meeting with a reassembled Strategic Planning Committee to talk about our goals and the things we struggle with as a Section. We had an excellent brainstorming session to kick things off. We also set a framework schedule that would help us to develop a revised Strategic Plan for the Section by June of this year. Look for more information about our Strategic Planning efforts in Darrell Skipper's article in this newsletter. There is a survey form included as an insert in this newsletter that will prompt you to think about your own goals for our Section. I urge you to fill it out and return it so that your concerns will be included in our planning efforts. Also, plan to attend the business session at our Spring Meeting in Auburn where you will have the opportunity to participate in a guided discussion about the goals and objectives we have for improving our Section. I know that in the corporate world, strategic planning can be tedious, boring, and unproductive. I guarantee you that with Dan Turner assisting in December, our session was anything but boring! As your President, I am committed to making this a meaningful effort. We have a great deal of talent in our organization and with some renewed energy and focus we can do many positive things together.

Speaking of positive, I think we all owe a pat on the back to our colleagues at the Alabama Department of Transportation for their prompt response to the recent bridge closing on Interstate 65 in Birmingham. As a Birmingham resident and frequent traveler to Tennessee, I have a renewed appreciation for the critical link provided by our interstate highway system. The department's maintenance and design personnel and folks from the City of Birmingham, many of whom are ALSITE members, have really hustled to provide thorough public information. They will need our encouragement and support as the process of re-building continues.

As you prepare to attend the Spring Meeting in Auburn on March 5th, remember that our hosts are the members of the Auburn Student Chapter. The purpose of this bi-annual meeting is to show our Section's support for the Student Chapter. Make it a point to spend some time at the meeting talking to a student. Encourage them in their studies and future career. Remember that the student you show interest in this year has the potential to be a future leader in our Section.

While you're thinking ahead to March, go on and think about attending the Southern District Annual Meeting from April 21-24. It's being held in New Orleans at the historic Royal Sonesta Hotel. I can't think of a better place to spend a few days 'suffering for ITE'. I'll be there, and I'll look for you. C'mon along and... laissez les bons temps rouler!

Becky White
"Lassiez le bom temps roule!"

("Let the good times roll!") The next Southern District meeting will be our 50th Anniversary, in New Orleans, LA, April 21-24, at the Royal Sonesta Hotel. Don't miss this milestone event! It's a great opportunity to increase your professional knowledge, learn about new technology, earn continuing education credits, see your old friends and most of all "meet new friends!"

Meeting special highlights will include: a look back over the last 50 years; a Mardi Gras parade; and the ABD group will have a special "Rollin' on the River" event. For information about this meeting, contact the conference co-chairs, Steve Strength (504) 437-3105, or Douglas Robert (505) 736-6530. Hotel reservations (Royal Sonesta) (504) 586-0300.

If you are attending the New Orleans meeting, please let me know by e-mail (jfoster@mobile-county.net) or phone (251) 574-8595, and we will try to get together as a Section at the Section Breakfast on Tuesday, April 23.

On December 3, 2001, the Southern District had our "Year-End Board Meeting" at the Adam's Mark Hotel in Winston-Salem, NC. Topics that were discussed included: Strategic Planning activities at the Section level; Improving the District's and Section's interaction with student chapters; Sharing Section activities with other Sections; and Improving the District's Website.

The Board voted to increase the award amounts for the student paper competition. This year there will be two student divisions, (Graduate and Under-Graduate), and the award amounts were increased to $200 (1st Place) and $100 (Runner-up) for each division. The Board also included with the award, up to $400 in travel reimbursement to the Annual Meeting. If you have any involvement with students, please encourage them to participate.

I have been directed by the Board, as Chair of the Education / Student Chapter Committee, to research and present a possible new way to involve student members at the Southern District meeting. Maybe some type of competition? A "Traffic Bowl" Competition? A "Group Design" Competition? If you have any thoughts, please let me know.

The following future Annual Meeting have been scheduled:

- 2003 Winston-Salem, NC
- 2004 Covington, KY
- 2005 Savannah, GA
- 2006 Mississippi (TBA)
- 2007 Tennessee (TBA)

James Foster

The Southern District ITE Annual Meeting is scheduled for late April in New Orleans. Because the New Orleans meeting is the 50th Anniversary meeting, SDITE would like to deviate from the traditional format a little. What they would like to do is have each State reflect on the last 50 years of their State's Traffic/Transportation activities and discuss some of the highlights from the last 50 years (even if our Section/Division didn't exist that far back.)

It could be some key legislation, highway taxing authority, road building program, development of a university program, special activity that generated large amounts of traffic problems, construction of a critical bridge segment, or any special project that we are proud of. The ALSITE general membership can get involved (without actually attending the meeting) by providing examples and offering suggestions on the topic. So, let's open up those closed vaults in our minds and reflect over the previous 50 years (for those of you who can) and send your information to Stacey Glass or Dan Turner.

In Sympathy...

ALSITE would like to extend its deepest sympathies to Zeke and Linda Willis at the death of their daughter, Kristie Lynn. Kristie passed away on January 30, 2002. In July 1993, Kristie had become the fourth person in the world to receive a living-related lung lobe transplant. Memorial contributions may be made to:

Alabama Organ Center
500 South 22nd Street, Suite 102
Birmingham, AL 35233
or
Cyclic Fibrosis Foundation
3918 Montclair Road, Suite 201
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2002 ALSITE Scholarship Awards

Applications for the following 2002 Scholarship Awards are now available.

**Charles E. Alexander Transportation Engineering Scholarship**
Description: $3,500 award

**Billy Jones Memorial Traffic Engineering Scholarship**
Description: $2,500 award

Students at the University of Alabama can obtain an application from Dr. Daniel S. Turner. Auburn University students should contact Dr. Robert L. Vecellio for an application.

Eligibility: Recipients must be students in an accredited civil engineering curriculum at a university within the state of Alabama and shall be academically classified as a Junior or above during the 2001-2002 academic year.

Application Deadline: March 1, 2002

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**SPRING MEETING NOTICE**

**Auburn University**

**March 5, 2002**

8:00 - 9:00 a.m.  Registration
9:00 - 9:10 a.m.  Alabama Section Welcome
                 Ken Cush, Vice President

Auburn University Welcome
Dr. Joe M. Morgan, Associate Dean
College of Engineering

**TECHNICAL SESSION I**

Presiding: Emily Fuqua, ITE Student Chapter

9:10 - 9:40 a.m.  "Guidelines for Geometric Design of Very Low-Volume Local Roads"
                 Joe W. Ruffer, Mobile County, Mobile, AL

9:40 - 10:00 a.m. "The I-65 Disaster-Traffic Engineers in the Spotlight"
                  John A. Garrett, Traffic Engineering, Birmingham, AL

10:00 - 10:25 a.m. BREAK

**TECHNICAL SESSION II**

Presiding: David J. Welch, ITE Student Chapter

10:25 - 10:55 a.m. "Traveling as a Visually Impaired Person"
                   Theresa Sorrell, Dothan Regional Center of the Alabama Institute for the Deaf and Blind,
                   Dothan, AL

10:55 - 11:15 a.m. "Procedures for Screening Traffic Data"
                   Rod E. Turoch, Department of Civil Engineering, Auburn University, Auburn, AL

11:15 - 11:50 a.m. "Alabama Cities and LEDs"
                   Moderator: Mike Vickery, Temple, Inc., Decatur, AL
                   Panel: Jerry Northington, Birmingham; Tim Barnett, Huntsville; Bill Metzger, Mobile;
                   Bubba Bowden, Montgomery; Jon Howell, Tuscaloosa

12:00 - 1:00 p.m.  LUNCH
1:00 - 1:30 p.m.  Business Meeting
ALSITE Fall Meeting Minutes  
November 2, 2001  
Chattanooga, Tennessee

I. Call to Order:
President Stacey Glass called the meeting to order at 9:10 am.

Minutes:
President Stacey Glass called attention to the Annual Meeting Minutes published in the Newsletter. A motion was made by Bob Wolfe and seconded by Rod Long to accept the minutes. The motion was passed by voice vote.

II. Officers/Director’s Reports:
A. Secretary/Treasurer’s Report:
   June 5, 2001 - November 1, 2001

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B. Vice-President’s Report:
   • Vice-President Becky White reported that the Spring 2002 meeting would be held in Auburn on Tuesday, March 5th, hosted by the Student Chapter.
   • The 2002 Annual meeting dates will be June 12, 13, & 14 in Gulf Shores.
   • The Fall 2002 meeting will be in Tuscaloosa with exact date TBA or a Joint Meeting with ASCE in Birmingham on October 24th.

C. Past President’s Report:
   Tim Taylor expressed that he is pleased that the Section has adopted International’s criteria for retired member status and that the Section will only charge ½ meeting registration fees to those members with retired member status.

D. District 5 Representative Report:
   James Brown announced that the year-end Southern District Board Meeting would be on December 3rd in Winston-Salem. He also reminded the members of the Annual Southern District Meeting in New Orleans beginning on April 20th. ITE Learning Gateway is offering on-line Continuing Education courses for $300 (www.iteonlinelearninggateway.org). He also noted that Hibble Neel would be a 2004 candidate for International Vice President. He also requested that we be prepared to respond to the Professional Activities Questionnaire that will be incorporated into the Section’s Annual Report. James Foster expressed his appreciation to the Section for the opportunity to serve as the 2002/2003 District Representative.
E. Affiliate Director’s Report:
Tim Franklin had no report.

III. Committee Reports:
A. Membership:
Dayla Baugh and Ronnie Ellis were welcomed to the Section respectively as a new Member and an Affiliate I.

B. Scholarship:
No report.

C. Newsletter:
Stacey expressed his appreciation to Zeke Willis for being ALSITE’s Newsletter editor and announced that Natalie Mirasola Hobbs will be the new Newsletter editor.

D. Technical:
Bob Vecelio thanked the 5 speakers that presented and announced that December 1st would be the revised deadline for submission of papers for the District competition.

E. JECA
Robby Anderson reported that a lobbyist is on retainer (not full time). His fees will only be increased if a Bill is presented that will require action. It is unclear whether the “architects” Bill will be revived. Robby also urged the membership to attend JECA’s Legislative Reception on February 19th at the RSA Plaza Terrace at 6pm. JECA will meet with the Board of Registration on November 8th and Robby agreed that he would express the Section’s concerns that Alabama not adopt restrictive continuing education requirements, as implemented in Florida.

F. Technology Transfer:
John McCarthy presented for Brian Bowman; that a Millennium MUTCD seminar, presented by Bob Canfield, will be held November 27-30th.

F. State Safety Coordinating Committee:
No report.

IV. Old Business:
No report.

V. New Business:
Becky again requested that anyone wanting to be on the Section’s email list submit his or her email address to her.

VI. Adjourn:
A motion was made to adjourn the meeting by Tim Taylor and seconded by Robby Anderson. President Glass adjourned the meeting at 9:55 am and passed the gavel to Vice President White.

Respectfully Submitted,
Ken Cush
Secretary/Treasurer
SECTION BOARD SETS SCHEDULE TO UPDATE STRATEGIC PLAN

At a joint meeting of the ALSITE Board and Strategic Planning Committee on December 12, 2001, the ALSITE Board set in motion a schedule to update the current Section Strategic Plan. The Section’s current Mission Statement with specific Goals and Objectives was adopted in late 1998. Significant progress has been made in reaching those goals and objectives, however, the ALSITE Board feels the direction of the Section should be evaluated at this time and updated to ensure support to its membership, professional development and other elements related to the Section activities is appropriately focused.

An implementation strategy to update the strategic plan was adopted by the Section Board at the December meeting and includes a nine-step process as follows:

I. **Establish a Strategic Plan Task Force** – the establishment of a strategic plan task force was accomplished by appointment of the current strategic planning committee and the ALSITE Board to the task force.
II. **Obtain feedback from the ALSITE membership** – develop a questionnaire for submission to the general membership to function as a guide for the strategic plan task force in updating the current strategic plan.
III. **Develop historical data** – historical data related to ALSITE will be developed for use by the committee in its strategic plan update process.
IV. **Strategic Planning Task Force Workshop** – a strategic plan task force workshop would be conducted in late March or early April. The purpose of this workshop would be to develop a “Draft Mission Statement with Goals and Objectives” for presentation to the membership for review.
V. **Submit Draft Plan to Membership** - the draft plan would be submitted to the general membership in the mid-May newsletter for review and comment.
VI. **Gain Approval of the Plan from the Membership** – the task force would like to gain approval of the draft strategic plan update at the Annual meeting in Gulf Shores. This would be accomplished through a work shop held at the annual meeting as part of the technical program.
VII. **Define and Assign Responsibilities** – task managers for each objective would be chosen. Specific assignments for each task manager would be defined.
VIII. **Monitor Progress** – the task force, with input from the membership would monitor the progress in meeting the goals and objective of the strategic plan. Time tables would be established that reflect the effort required, etc.
IX. **Communicate progress** – progress on meeting the goals and objectives of the strategic plan would be transmitted to the general membership through a combination of email articles, newsletter articles and other methods as deemed appropriate by the ALSITE Board.

How, can you as a member of ALSITE participate in the process of updating the strategic plan?

1. A questionnaire is included in this newsletter for comments and direction. Make sure you respond to the questions asked and provide any other comments that you feel should be considered.
2. A draft of the proposed ALSITE Strategic Plan will be submitted to the membership in the mid-May newsletter. Take time to review the proposed plan and provide comments.
3. A Strategic Planning Workshop will be held at this year’s annual meeting. Be sure to attend and participate.

Darrell B. Skipper

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Spring 2002
The Alabama Section is in the process of developing a Strategic Plan for the Section. As part of the plan development process, the ALSITE Board of Directors would appreciate hearing from each of you. Please take a little time to fill out this questionnaire and return your response as indicated at the bottom of the page.

1. Why is the Alabama Section ITE important?

2. What are the three things that the Section does best?

3. What are the things that need to be improved in the Section?

4. What new or improved services do you feel the Section should provide to better serve the membership?

5. What can we as a Section do to have more impact on transportation in Alabama?

6. Other comments or items for the Board to consider or address:

Please mail or fax your comments by March 1, 2002 to:

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ALABAMA SECTION ITE
2002 TRANSPORTATION SAFETY AWARD

Nominations are needed for the 2002 Transportation Safety Award. Please consider your fellow members in ALSITE for this prestigious award. If you wish to make a nomination, please complete this form and mail it to the address below.

Nominee's Name ________________________________________________

Position Title __________________________________________________

Employer's Name ________________________________________________

Business Address ________________________________________________

________________________________________________________________

Immediate Supervisor's Name _______________________________________

Briefly state this individual's contribution to transportation safety ______

________________________________________________________________

The Nomination Committee may want to discuss this nomination with you. Please provide the following information.

Name of Nominator ________________________________________________

Address _________________________________________________________

________________________________________________________________

Telephone Number ________________________________________________

Relationship to Nominee ____________________________________________

Thank you for your assistance. Please complete this form and mail or fax to:

Mr. Stacey Glass, P.E.
Alabama DOT
1409 Coliseum Boulevard
Montgomery, AL 36130
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Spring 2002
Personal Updates


Jennifer K. Gray, P.E. has joined Sain and Associates, Inc. as a Transportation Project Manager. Jennifer is serving as Vice President of the Birmingham Section of the Society of Women Engineers and Secretary/Treasurer of the Birmingham Branch of the American Society of Civil Engineers.


Alicia H. Rudolph, P.E., Volkert and Associates, Inc. was recently promoted to Assistant Vice President, and is serving as President of the Birmingham Section of the Society of Women Engineers.

*Please email Personal Updates to Rosemary Ginn Sawyer at rsawyer@volkert.com.*

AU ITE STUDENT CHAPTER NEWS

The Auburn Student Chapter hosted a meeting on October 11, 2001 with Harry G. Rice of PBSJ. He spoke on "Atlanta Transportation Projects and How to be an Effective Transportation Consultant". Thirty students learned details about the I-285 project and the East-West Connector project in Atlanta. Also, the I-10 project in Biloxi, MS was described. Mr. Rice stressed the importance of having non-technical courses in the CE curriculum.

The ITE Student Chapter sponsored a trip to the City of Montgomery's sign and signal shop on November 27, 2001. Ten students were provided the opportunity to inspect the contents of traffic control cabinets, handle the new 12-inch LED signal heads, see real-time video surveillance and demand-responsive traffic control in operation, and learn how traffic signs are fabricated. The time, effort and courtesy extended by Bubba Bowden, Tony Blankenship, Tim Foster and other staff members of the city of Montgomery are sincerely appreciated.

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Project Spotlight

The 1991 Intermodal Surface Transportation Efficiency Act (ISTEA) required that all cities with a population exceeding 200,000 to implement a congestion management system. As a result of this directive, the South Alabama Regional Planning Commission (SARPC) monitors congestion and system performance in the Mobile area. Since ISTEA did not define the methodology to monitor system performance and congestion, the SARPC needed to create one. Kevin Harrison of the SARPC explained, "Initially we wanted to use level of service to come up with an index, but the Federal Highway Administration felt that travel speed would be a more appropriate measure. After we researched the methods of collecting travel speed, we felt that using a GPS system to collect the data and then derive the index, would be the most efficient method. Also, ISTEA requires that congestion management projects have performance measures so that there is a way to measure the performance of a road before and after a project is complete, and travel speed is a way to do that".

After the SARPC outlined the equipment and general procedures, Volkert and Associates, Inc. was contracted to develop an area-wide congestion index for the Mobile urban area using Global Positioning Satellites (GPS) and Geographic Information System (GIS) technology to measure travel speeds for roadways in the congestion management system network. The network is comprised of a group of 18 major roadways which are Mobile's freeways, principal arterials and selected minor arterials that the SARPC has designated as heavily traveled.

During evening peak hours, vehicles equipped with mobile GPS units were driven on the roads of the congestion management network to collect position and time data. The position and time data collected were then used to calculate travel speeds.

Volkert created a customized GIS application to download GPS data and calculate travel speeds for all of the roadways in the Mobile congestion management system network. The custom GIS application significantly reduced the time to process and analyze travel time information.

The custom GIS application imports the GPS data, assigns the data to the selected roadway, and develops travel times for each segment on that roadway. Based on vehicle miles traveled (VMT), the application develops a weighted travel speed which is reported as the congestion index.

The SARPC will use the methodologies and technology created for this study to monitor future system performance and congestion in the Mobile urban area. The congestion index measured in the study area will be used as historical data and will be compared with future VMT weighted travel speeds as additional data becomes available.

Thanks to Kevin Harrison of the SARPC for his contributions to the article.

ALSITE Project Members: SARPC-Bill Morgan and Kevin Harrison; Volkert-Malcolm Beasley and David Webber

Please email information for the Project Spotlight to Rosemary Ginn Sawyer at rsawyer@volkert.com.

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Alabama Section Meetings
Spring Meeting - March 5, 2002, Auburn, AL
Annual Meeting - June 12 - 14, 2002, Gulf Shores, AL
Fall Meeting - TBA, Tuscaloosa, AL

Southern District Meeting
April 21-24, 2002 - New Orleans, LA

ITE International Events
Spring Conference and Exhibit - March 24-27, 2002, Palm Harbor, FL
Annual Meeting and Exhibit - August 4-7, 2002, Philadelphia, PA

The mission of the Alabama Section Institute of Transportation Engineers is to provide a leadership role in providing a transportation system in Alabama that improves mobility and safety for the traveling public. Activities of the Section focus on advancing the transportation profession and developing our members through education and training.

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