



North Dakota Society of Professional Engineers

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Engineering Notes of the North Dakota Society of Professional Engineers

2011 Annual Meeting

April 11-13, 2011
Doublewood Inn, Fargo

June 2010 Update

Kevin Nelson, PE/PLS, F. NSPE - Governor John

Hoeven reappointed Kevin to the North Dakota State Board of Registration for Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors. Kevin was NDSPE's recommended candidate to the Governor. Kevin is serving his second term on the Board and is currently the Board President.

Congratulations Kevin and thanks for your dedication to our profession.

Tom Neigum, PE - Tom was re-elected to his second

term as North Dakota Society's delegate to the NSPE House of Delegates for the two year term July 31, 2010 to July 31, 2012. The role of the delegate is to represent ND in National, NSPE issues. Tom will attend and represent North Dakota, NDSPE, at the National Conference in Orlando, Florida July 14th - 18th. Tom - thanks for making North Dakota shine.

Member Services - On July 1st NDSPE takes over the billing of National/State/Chapter dues. In the past this charge was led by National. The NDSPE Board of Directors elected to take on this responsibility to provide enhanced member services. If you have any questions, or need assistance contact Nancy Buechler and Mona Hurt, NDSPE Exec Sec, 1811 East Thayer Ave, Bismarck, ND 58501, phone 701-222-3499 and email at info@ndspe.org. Your NSPE/NDSPE contact is now in state - full service. Let us know how we can improve.

2011 NDSPE Conference, April 11 - 13, 2011, Fargo Doublewood - Brian Weiss, Conference Committee Chair, and Tracy Eslinger, Ch 4, have locked into the 2011 Conference dates and location. Note that they have selected a Monday - Wednesday format. Please add the Conference to your calendar. Roger Kluck, Ch 1, Bryan Ziegler, Ch 3, Scott Zainhofsky, Ch 3 and Adam Walker, Ch 4 make up the remainder of the Conference Committee.

NDSPE launches new website - We recently completed a total makeover of our website - check it out at www.ndspe.org. Our goal is to grow the site so that it becomes your one stop location to find info on State and Chapter activities. Your use and feedback is requested.

Michael Gunsch, PE - The ND Society of Professional Land Surveyors, NDSPLS, has taken on the task of rewriting the Land Surveying Definition in ND State Law.

Michael, NDSPE Legislative Committee Chair, is assisting NDSPLS and the State Board of Registration in preparing the document and testimony. Thanks Michael for your efforts to assist our sister society.

'Making Engineering Leaders' - The NDSPE motto is an opportunity - it's an opportunity for your participation in the Society, an opportunity for you to help strengthen the profession and at the same time grow your skill set. It's simple, volunteer to help at the next Chapter or State function.

Respectfully,

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