



SEPTEMBER, 2005 NEWSLETTER

INSTITUTE OF TRANSPORTATION ENGINEERS - Northern California Section



September Meeting Presentation

Ken Ackeret, Senior Vice President with Kimley-Horn Associates, kicked off the 2005/2006 ITE meeting year with an entertaining account of the story behind the construction of a railroad underpass in Las Vegas. The project provided an example of the need to go back to fundamentals and have an attitude to accomplishment on difficult projects. He reminds us to use engineering judgment to challenge and question initial assumptions behind computer design and modeling results.

New Section Board Sworn In

Ken Ackeret, ITE District 6 President, swore in the new Northern California Section Board members at the September meeting as shown above. The new board members are:

- President – Kate Binning, City of Sacramento
- Vice President – Matt Darrow, Sacramento County
- Secretary – Larry Wymer, Omni-Means
- Treasurer – David Tokarski, DKS Associates



FUTURE MEETINGS

- October 20, 2005
- November 17, 2005

Bob Grandy receives Presidential Proclamation

Bob Grandy was recognized with a Presidential Proclamation from ITE District 6 President Ken Ackeret. The proclamation noted Bob's years of service and dedication to ITE, and his involvement with younger members including students from the Sacramento State, Chico State and U.C. Davis chapters.

Bob is with Fehr and Peers Associates and is the Principal-In-Charge of their Sacramento office.

