KCITE Chapter Meeting Minutes
July 14, 2005
Phillips Hotel

Chapter Board Members Present:
Alonzo Linan – President
Mike Wahlstedt – Vice President
Gary Graham – Director
Steve Noble – Affiliate Director
Mark Stuecheli – Past President

Attendance:
KCITE Members – 35
KCITE Affiliates – 16
Student Affiliates –
Non-Members – 55
TOTAL - 106

Section Board Members Present:
None

Registration Activities:
Meeting fees were collected and receipts were passed out during registration. 2005 Membership Applications were distributed and dues collected. PDH forms were distributed.

Introductions:
Alonzo Linan welcomed the attendees and opened the meeting with introductions. The boards of the KCITE, APA, and APWA were recognized.

Chapter Business:
None

Chapter Activities:

Alonzo announced that the new web site is up and running. We will be updating the site over the next few weeks.

Alonzo discussed the possibility of KCITE hosting Training Seminars. There were forms for leaving suggestions at the registration table.

Membership – Currently at 117 members

Excellence in Transportation Award – Alonzo informed the chapter of the award and encouraged members to nominate projects. A flier describing the award was available on the registration table.

Presentation:

The topic of the discussion for the meeting was "KC Downtown, Balancing Transportation & Development".

Presenting was:

- Sean O'Bryne – Director of the Downtown Council
- Dick Jarrold – Project Manager for KCATA
- Clyde Prem – Transportation Planner for HNTB
- Brian Pitts – President of the Downtown Neighborhood Association
- Stan Harris – Director of Public Works for Kansas City, MO

The presenters discussed the various different projects that are occurring in downtown Kansas City, Missouri, and what future projects are in store for the area. Each presenter brought a unique perspective to the problems, challenges, and possible solutions on how to keep the downtown growing.

Adjournment:
Alonzo announced the next meeting will be on September 8, 2005 and adjourned the meeting. The topic will be "The Kabul to Kandahar Highway – Repaving 389 KM of War Torn Highway in 207 days" – Forrest Terrell, Vice President for Military Programs a the Louis Berger Group