**Associated Schools of Construction**

**Region I**

**Regional Meeting**

**November 13, 2015**

**Morristown, NJ**

Attendees: See attached list.

Subject: Meeting Minutes

Phil Dunn, Region I President opened the meeting with attendee introductions.

1. Conference overview:

Commercial Competition: 16 schools

Design/ Build 11 schools

Heavy/Highway 9 schools

25 Faculty attendees

212 students

12 Sponsors

Jesse Ottesen, Weeks Marine is our new industry representative.

Financial Update:

Funds available: $64,500

Approximate hotel expenses: $37,000

The increase in registration fee had no effect on school participation.

The Region has three Canadian schools who could participate in our competition.

2. ASC Updates:

Phil Dunn updated the attendees about the latest ASC National Meeting. He also reminded the attendees that the next ASC National Meeting will be in Provo, Utah on April 13, 2016.

3. Election of New Officers for 2016-2018:

Michael Emmer-New President

Erin Vitale-New Secretary

Todd Dunn-Career Fair Coordinator

Michael Emmer-Website Master

Hotel Reservations Coordinator: Christine Fiori

4. Awards: Region I is recommending Amine Ghanem for ASC National Teacher of the Year.

5. New Business:

1. Change of venue. It was decided to relocate the competition to Albany, New York for the 2016 competition. Michael Emmer will be coordinating / investigating hotels in that area. Michael was given authority to make arrangements for next year’s lodging, food and presentation areas.
2. Adding a new competition category.

A discussion concerning adding a new competition category provided two new competition opportunities:

* Residential
* Building Information Modeling

General Note: JF White will continue to sponsor the Heavy/Civil competition for one more year.

The meeting adjourned at 11:00 a.m.

Barr and Barr made a presentation on Cornell University’s new building program on Roosevelt Island, New York.

