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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Our October meeting was well attended with approximately 45 members in attendance. Mr. Darrell Elliot, Technical Service Manager for Lone Star Industries, Inc. gave an excellent presentation on slag cement. For those of you that would like to hear more about slag cement or those who could not attend the meeting, Mr. Elliot will be giving a presentation at our Spring Conference in April.

Our November meeting is dedicated to recognizing the Acadiana Branch's Past-Presidents. The Acadiana Branch was founded in 1982 and the following is a list of the Past-Presidents:

Walter Vodrasha, P.E.	1983	Patrick J. Landry, P.E.	1991
Allen L. Martin, P.E.	1984	Joe Maniscalco, P.E.	1992
Wendell W. Holman, P.E.	1985	Todd Vincent, P.E.	1993
Barry Bleichner, P.E.	1986	Thomas A. Carroll, P.E.	1994
Paul L. Miers, P.E.	1987	George G. Glaubrecht, P.E.	1995
Dr. Kam Movassaghi, P.E.	1988	Dr. Paul Richards, P.E.	1996
Gene Williams, P.E.	1989	Raymond J. Reaux, P.E.	1997
Mark B. Dubroc, P.E.	1990	Philip Herrera, P.E.	1998

I would like to invite the Past-Presidents to join us at the November Meeting where they will get lunch on us for their hard work. I would like to take this time to express my gratitude to these men for contributing their time and effort to ASCE. The Acadiana Branch's enthusiasm and attendance has increased throughout the years. This is a direct result of the hard work of the Acadiana Branch Board members.

Each year the task of finding volunteers and future board members becomes more difficult. I would like to encourage each one of you to become more involved in ASCE. We are all very busy and most of us have families. However, take a look at those names above. They have families and are very busy individuals also.

Pamela G. Miller, E.I.

NOVEMBER BRANCH MEETING

- DATE:** Wednesday, November 11, 1998
- TIME:** 12:00 P.M.
- PLACE:** 5th Avenue - On Kaliste Saloom across from Randols
- SPEAKER:** Mr. Mike Hollier
Lafayette Consolidated Government
Planning Manager
- LUNCH:** Entrée with Salad, Starch, and Beverage
- PRICE:** \$12.00 Per Professional
\$6.00 Per Student
- RSVP:** Reservations are not required but are encouraged. Please RSVP with Jean @ (318) 234-3798 by November 9, 1998