# WACA/WSDOT Meeting Minutes For Wednesday, March 5, 2025

Day/Time: Wednesday, March 5, 2025, on Microsoft Teams, 10:00 AM – 12:00 PM.

Next WACA Meeting Date: Wednesday, December 3, 2025, on Microsoft Teams, 10:00 AM – 12:00 PM

#### **Meeting Minutes:**

The link below will take you to past meeting minutes and show upcoming WACA meeting dates. https://partners.wsdot-sites.com/washington-aggregates-concrete-association/

Note: All future WACA Teams meetings will be recorded and transcribed

\*\*Link for WACA Meeting Recording, PowerPoints, and Meeting Minutes\*\*

Follow the link below to access the Teams meeting recording, all presentations, and a copy of the meeting minutes. If interested, feel free to save these files to your network.

https://ftp.wsdot.wa.gov/incoming/QuarterlyWACA

#### **New Business topics:**

• WSDOT-WACA Tech Meeting will be held on Wednesday, December 3<sup>rd</sup>. This meeting will be hybrid and in person attendees will come to WSDOT HQ Materials Laboratory. *Recording Time Stamp: 0:00 to 3:21* 

Notes:

- Donny will provide a spreadsheet to be filled out and returned within 3 weeks of the next WACA meeting to set up the sign in sheet and badges for access to the State Materials Laboratory.
- State Materials Laboratory 1655 S. 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave SW Tumwater, WA 98512
- Cement / CAPS Program Update: Katie Dafoe / Steve Davis update.

Recording Time Stamp: 3:21 to 4:10

*Notes:* 

- o Everything has been submitted and is good.
- E-Ticketing, E-Construction and Industry Guidance on using RCA in Construction: Ryan Zakerski and Wendy Stroschein, update.

Recording Time Stamp: 4:10 to 5:21

*Notes:* 

- o Introduced Ryan Zakerski stated that there is not much of an update on E-ticketing.
- E-construction Wendy stated that there is nothing to report.
- RCA Tier 4 Update: Donny Henderson & Garrett Webster.

Recording Time Stamp: 5:21 to 6:28

*Notes:* 

- The GSP should be published by March 17<sup>th</sup>.
- **GSP for Concrete:** Donny Henderson *Recording Time Stamp: 5:21 to 6:28 Notes:*

## WACA/WSDOT Meeting Agenda For Wednesday, March 5, 2025

- The GSP for concrete has some revisions that need to be made but is not ready for distribution yet.
- Questions from WAPA: Steve Davis Update.

Recording Time Stamp: 6:28 to 28:07

*Notes:* 

- o Meetings with industry to discuss specifications and possible updates.
- Industry Questions:

Recording Time Stamp: 28:07 to 40:46

*Notes:* 

- An updated Contact List for each region phone tree / responsible personnel so our members know who to contact.
  - Work with the PEO administering the contract to get proper contact information. With all the movement between offices points of contact change on a regular basis.
  - Provide as part of the agenda and meeting minutes the updated RME list for each region.
- Process for vetting/including a new product in the WSDOT approved products/mix designs, etc.
  - Products that are submitted for either a New Product submittal or Qualified
    Products List submittal are evaluated and approved by Subject Matter Experts.
  - Industry will communicate with WSDOT to set up meetings to review topics and possible revisions.
- Any plans WSDOT has for EPD's and clarity on whether WSDOT is going to go the GWP reduction route.
  - No direction on whether WSDOT will go the GWP reduction route.
  - Involve industry in these conversations if and when they occur.

#### No Update:

• Synthetic Fiber Reinforced Bridge Deck Concrete Update: Anthony Mizumori Recording Time Stamp: 40:46 to 41:10

*Notes:* 

- Discussed second pilot project and that it is under construction but decks are not poured yet with a third project on the way.
- Discussion on Global Warming Potentials (GWPs) for Portland Cement: Update
- Naturally Occurring Asbestos in Aggregates: Update
- RCA on WSDOT projects.

Recording Time Stamp: 45:18 to 47:49

<u>Notes</u>

- Onny asked industry to provide questions and topics to discuss so that we can circulate it around to find the correct individuals to discuss this with.
- Use of RCA in Concrete Greater than 3000 psi. Update

Recording Time Stamp: 47:49 to 49:15

Notes

- O Discussed setting up a meeting with a smaller group to discuss the details of this and get the correct individuals involved.
- Additional comments / discussion:

Recording Time Stamp: 49:15 to 50:42

<u>Notes</u>

### WACA/WSDOT Meeting Agenda For Wednesday, March 5, 2025

• Discussion on better collaboration between WSDOT and industry on relatable topics.

<u>Old Business:</u> The topics listed below will be removed from future meeting agendas unless there needs to be additional discussion or there is an update regarding these topics.

• FHWA Low Carbon Construction Materials (LCTM) Grant and Climate Challenge Update: Update from Mohamed Nimeri.

Recording Time Stamp: 41:10 to 45:01

<u>Notes</u>

- Mohamed is no longer with WSDOT but he did provide an updated PowerPoint before he left that I can provide to anyone that is interested.
- Introduced Karen Carlie and she discussed the stat of the LCTM grant and Climate Challenge update.
- WSDOT T113 Degradation Test Method update and discussion.

#### **Attendees:**

Henderson, Donny

See, Peter

Josephson, Erik (Vancouver) USA

Liniger, Michael (American Rock Products)

(External)

Cory Shaw (External) Kevin Vaughn (External) Clayton, EJ (External) Mizumori, Anthony Spencer Kull (External)

Norton, Patrick

Frye, Sterling R (Redmond) USA

Dafoe, Katharine Landers, Steven L Diego Coca (External)

Methvin, Dave (Central Pre-Mix) (External)

Davis, Steven Dan Paduch

Fisher, Dave (Interstate Concrete and Asphalt)

(External)

Webster, Garrett Carlie, Karen

Hill, Kentin (External)

Zakerski, Ryan

Rory Bosma (Unverified) Michael Gardner (External)

Kim Schofield - WAPA (Unverified)

Fred Aguayo (External)

Sears, Josh Johnson, Matt Bower, Nate Stroschein, Wendy

Forsyth, Heidi E (Redmond) USA

Dave Germer (External)

Legaspi, Erica

Alex Richardson (External) Alexander, Kelly (External) Ryan Matteson (External)

David Gent

Balick, Pete J (Seattle) USA Rob - Lafarge (Unverified)

Hammond, Mike

19712352540 (Unverified)

Moore, Dean

# WACA/WSDOT Meeting Agenda For Wednesday, March 5, 2025

# **Region Materials Lab Contacts**

Olympic Region
<b>Danika Washington (RME) (253) 307-9849</b>
danika.washington@wsdot.wa.gov
South Central Region
Nate Bower (RME) (509) 577-1736
nate.bower@wsdot.wa.gov
Eastern Region
Riley Bender (RME) (509) 324-6170
riley.bender@wsdot.wa.gov
Ryan Vincent (Asst. RME) (509) 324-6180
ryan.vincent@wsdot.wa.gov
Northwest Region
Amir Ahmadi (RME) (206) 768-5907
amir.ahmadi@wsdot.wa.gov
North Central Region
Bob Romine (RME) (509) 677-3038
bob.romine@wsdot.wa.gov
Southwest Region
Leon Winger (RME) (360) 905-2231
leon.winger@wsdot.wa.gov