

22nd Annual Architects, Engineers & Surveyors Legislative Day

Tuesday, March 7, 2017

Christman University, Ground Floor, The Christman Building
208 N. Capitol Ave., Lansing, MI

Schedule of Events

8:00 – 8:45 AM	Welcome Reception with Continental Breakfast
8:45 – 9:30 AM	Legislative Update and Briefing
10:00 – 11:00 AM	Speaker: Al Pscholka, State Budget Director
11:00 AM – Noon	Educational Session – Christman University
10:00 AM – Noon	Scheduled Meetings with Senators and Representatives
11:30 – 1:30 PM	Luncheon Reception with Legislators – First Floor, Capitol Bldg.
1:30 – 2:30 PM	Educational Session – Christman University
1:30 – 4:00 PM	Scheduled Meetings with Senators and Representatives
4:00 – 6:00 PM	Reception - Kelley Cawthorne Office – Third Floor

As an added value for our members, we are providing Educational Sessions. However, please note that the Legislative Appointments need to take priority in your schedule – that is the purpose of Legislative Day!

To determine your legislators, visit: www.legislature.mi.gov. The staff at Kelley Cawthorne will arrange all appointments with legislators for individual members. Please note that legislative visits are sometimes difficult to secure and visits with legislators are coordinated as conveniently as possible.

Registration and Payment Deadline:

Feb. 21, 2017

Registrations received after Feb. 21, may not have confirmed appointments.

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Why Attend Legislative Day?

The Architects, Engineers & Surveyors Legislative Committee (AESLC) represents the design profession by advocating on your behalf in the Michigan Legislature. Over the past several years we have been able to pass or oppose many pieces of important legislation, for example:

- 2016 Passage of Public Act 435, Improvements to Article 20
- 2015 Passage of SB 309, Amendment of the State Condominium Act
- 2015 Passage of Public Acts 174-180, Increased funding for Transportation
- 2014 Passage of SB 1043, Corner Recordation Act
- 2014 Passage of SB 472, Amendment of the State Remonumentation Act
- 2013 Passage of HB 4585, Electronic Seals and Signatures
- 2012 Passage of HB 5466, Establish Fairness of Indemnification Provisions in Public Contracts
- 2011 Passage of SB 77, Statute of Limitations Amendments
- 2010 Passage of SB 1443, Grants for SRF Loan Applications
- 2008 Passage of SB 1515 & 4938, Increased Penalties for Unlicensed Activities

Currently, the AESLC is working on several issues that directly affect design professionals and our business practices. Three of these issues will be our focus during the upcoming Legislative Day:

- Rebuilding Our Public Infrastructure
- Qualifications Based Selection Use in Public Contracts
- Clarify the Lien Law to Protect Design Professionals

It is essential that we build relationships with our legislators in order to effectively represent our interests. The best way to do that is by having constituents visit with them and explain why the issues are important. Appointments will be scheduled for you with each of your legislators. Our lobbyist will provide an update and briefing to familiarize you with each of the legislative issues. A packet of information is provided for each legislator. We will also have a chance to meet with the legislators and staff members at the luncheon and reception.

Legislative Day Registration Form

Name & Designation (AIA, PE, PS, etc.):

Organization: ☐ AIA-MI ☐ ACEC-MI ☐ MSPE ☐ MSPS

First Time: ☐ Yes ☐ No Student: ☐ Yes ☐ No

Sponsor Registration: ☐

Firm: _____

Email: _____ Phone: _____

Home Address: _____

Business Address: _____

(Home)

Senate District: _____ Senator: _____

House District: _____ Representative: _____

(Business)

Senate District: _____ Senator: _____

House District: _____ Representative: _____

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ACEC-MI Members: Make \$75 personal checks payable to CEPAC

MSPE Members: Make \$75 personal checks payable to MSPE-PAC

MSPS Members: Make \$75 personal checks payable to SURPAC

Students: Make a \$25 personal check to the appropriate PAC listed above.

Send Legislative Day Registration and personal checks to:

Kelley Cawthorne (Attn: Melissa McKinley)

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Fax: (517) 371-3207

E-mail: AESLC@Kelley-Cawthorne.com

Lunch Sponsor Form

The Architects, Engineers & Surveyors Legislative Committee (AESLC) is looking for generous firms and associated businesses to sponsor the day's Luncheon Reception with the Legislators.

Sponsorship cost is only \$250 and includes full day event registration for one designated person. Sponsors will be acknowledged with sponsorship signage at the luncheon and recognition in the member packets.

Sponsoring Firm: _____

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If the attendee will be visiting with legislators, please also complete the Legislative Day Registration Form, checking the box for Sponsor Registration.

Send Sponsor Form and payment to:

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