



Structural Engineers Association of North Carolina

Structural Engineering Emergency Response (SEER) Committee

MEETING NOTES

DATE: February 3, 2015
LOCATION: Conference Call
PARTICIPANTS: Rob Stevenson (SEA of NC) and Scott Nacheman (NCSEA SEER Committee Chair)

Discussion Items:

1. The NCSEA SEER Committee is collaborating with ASCE to create a single certified emergency response program for design professionals.
 - a. Program will also include the AIA, ICC and the American Public Works Association (APWA)
 - b. Effort was mothballed while ASCE recently restructured; just now getting ready to re-launch
2. Not sure why NCSEA has not scheduled CalOES SAP program training for 2015; contact Jeanne Vogelzang to inquire
 - a. Preferred instructor is Jim Barnes
3. Scott is willing to travel to provide in-person training for the CalOES SAP program
 - a. Reimburse for travel cost and time
 - b. Other options for good instructors are Chad Fisher and Bill Bracken
4. CPR certification is not mandatory in most cases, but most SEER Committee members and public agencies think it is a good idea.
5. The goal in collaborating with your state emergency management agencies is to set up a memorandum of understanding as discussed in Chapters 13 and 14 of the NCSEA SEER Plan Manual
 - a. For southeast alliance, look into a cross-state licensure waiver
 - b. Assure liability protection
 - c. Consider mechanism for reimbursement, if interested.

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