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Utility-Infrastructure Chair: Kathy Freeman, Mortensen Utility-Infrastructure Vice Chair: Vacant

Highway & Transportation Chair: Doug Donegan, Granite Construction Highway & Transportation Vice Chair: Jaime Castillo, Mountain States Constructors Inc

## Agenda

- 1. Welcome & Introductions
- 2. NIOSH Work Zone Safety Update (Virtual Presentation)

Speaker: David Fosbroke, Statistician, NIOSH, Division of Safety Research (DSR)

The Division of Safety Research (DSR) is part of the National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH). DSR conducts research to reduce a wide variety of occupational safety hazards. David will present key findings from recent research related to internal traffic control plans (ITCP). He will also discuss considerations when developing effective traffic control plans, and innovative approaches to increasing work zone safety.

3. Common Ground Alliance (CGA) Update (Virtual Presentation)

**Speaker:** Erika Lee, Vice President, Programs & Strategic Initiatives, Common Ground Alliance (CGA)

Established in 2000, CGA is committed to saving lives and preventing damage to North American underground infrastructure by promoting effective damage prevention practices. Erika will review various CGA initiatives and discuss how contractors can engage/partner with the association on all aspects of damage prevention issues.

4. Adjourn

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## **Speaker Bios**

David Fosbroke, Statistician, NIOSH, Division of Safety Research (DSR)

David Fosbroke is a statistician at the National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH), Division of Safety Research, Surveillance and Field Investigations Branch in Morgantown, West Virginia. Since joining NIOSH in 1991, his research has focused on the analysis of fatal and nonfatal injuries among workers in the U.S. construction industry, collaboration with the roadway construction industry to evaluate injury prevention measures and advocacy for improvements in worker safety at roadway construction sites.

Fosbroke continues his interest in work zone safety while assisting the NIOSH Center for Motor Vehicle Safety conduct program evaluation and long-term planning. He received his master's degree in forestry from West Virginia University in 1993.

Erika Lee, Vice President, Programs & Strategic Initiatives, Common Ground Alliance (CGA)

Erika Lee is Vice President of Programs and Strategic Initiatives of the Common Ground Alliance, a stakeholder-run organization dedicated to preventing damage to underground utility infrastructure and protecting those who live and work near these important assets through the shared responsibility of stakeholders. Erika oversees the CGA's operations and programs, ensuring alignment and implementation of the organization's strategic objectives, and she drives member and stakeholder engagement across all committees and initiatives.