FHWA Local Road Coordinator Report

KCHA Executive Committee Agenda May 29, 2020, 10:00 a.m. Via – Zoom Conference Call

We held our first planning committee meeting for MINK 2020 Conference on May 6th, 2020. The date set for the conference is September 23-24th, 2020 at Saint Joseph Missouri from Noon to Noon. If we cant have a in-person conference, there is discussion about holding a online conference. Cost for the inperson conference would be \$65 and online would be \$25.

Topics ideas include the following:

- 1) Durability of high early strength materials
- 2) Fresh air content testing using super air meter
- 3) Have an electric utility cover their presentation on potential hazards and injuries around power lines.
- 4) Epoxy bridge injection
- 5) Foam injection behind abutments, the vendor or one of her staff could cover this.
- 6) Experiences with last year's flooding, which Pam would cover.
- 7) Eric should be able to give an update presentation for FHWA.
- 8) U.S. Fish and Wildlife used to have money available for culverts, etc. to make them passable. That could be a potential topic if the program still exists. Jim will check around for who it was that he saw talk about this.
- 9) Eric asked if Norm Bowers could talk about lessons learned throughout his career.
- 10) Lisa will check with Emily on what leadership topics of relevance to the group she could cover.
- 11) Public relations videos what the different MINK states are doing for engineering topics

These topics are not set in stone at this point. Our next meeting will be on June 3, 2020 at 10:00 A.M.

Other:

<u>Item 7a:</u> We turned off the online registration for the 2020 KCHA spring conference when we postponed the conference. RegFox (online registration platform) offered a Pre-Registration with Card on file. This feature allows you to set any event page into pre-registration mode which allows attendees to register as usual, but simply **put a card on file instead of being charged**. Then if your event can proceed, you can **mass charge all your pre-registration attendees.**

<u>Item 7c:</u> Minimal work has been accomplished on the Constitution and By-laws since the last meeting. Postponing this item to be presented next year is acceptable and recommended.

Item 8e: the KCHA website states the Nominating committee is

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