ARIZONA UTILITY COORDINATING COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES  
February 7, 2017

The Arizona Utility Coordinating Committee serves its members by promoting professional excellence and public awareness through education, advocacy and the exchange of knowledge.

PRESENT

Connie Peretz  AZUCA      Dennis Aust      Chandler
David Cross  MCDOT       Gregg Kent      Tempe
Lori Greco  Mesa         Jami Erickson  Phoenix
Matt Vig   Cox           Jamie Lando     SRP
Will Fielder SW Gas      Jeanne Sapon    DBA Construction
Al Field    Al Field and Assoc.    Jeremy Elser    SW Gas
Anthony Patterson SRP       Leann Johnson  Chandler
Bob Trzezkowski SRP          Ray Almanzar    Phoenix
Brian Dick  Scottsdale    Steve DiDomenico Mesa

Meeting Called to Order/Attendance
✓ Will Fielder, Chairperson, called the meeting to order at 9:33 am
✓ Introductions/Attendance sheet circulated. Quorum was met.

Previous Meeting Minutes
✓ December 6, 2016 meeting minutes reviewed and approved as stands.

Safety Minute
✓ Remind contractors working at night to remember to wear appropriate PPE with reflective qualities including a Class 3 vest with sleeves and pants. Especially while directing traffic.

Guest Speaker-

Arvid Veidmark, SSC Global – MAG 608 HDD Standard (page 68) While working on the 602 standard, it became apparent to MAG committee members that with the thirteen different types of tools for horizontal directionally drilling for utility installation, there was a need for a standard. This installation method, which has only been around 25-30 years, has gained in popularity due to lower costs and post construction repairs in Right-of-Way applications. HDD is used for wet and dry utility installation. North American Society for Trenchless Technology (NASTT) has the HDD Good Practices Guideline available for anyone who is interested in reference material. The MAG Sewer & Water Working Group took this information and working with industry stakeholders developed this standard. They classified the different jobs based on length. Bore sizes also affect the design and permitting requirements. This is the first specification with a table in it. The table aids in determining size. We reviewed the different sections and applications of this standard.

Update AUCC Contact List – A call for confirmation of continued participation on the committee was put out.

Project Updates-

SW Gas – East of 7th St. & Thunderbird, East side of street. Between 19th Ave. & I-17 on Northern. Tempe by Four Peaks. 24th Street & Thomas going north.
Mesa- An updated City of Mesa CIP interactive map with mill and overlay projects is now available.
Chandler- Construction at intersection of Chandler & Alma School
MCDOT- Riggs Rd. to Alma School – 3 miles. Boring in ITS. McDowell & 99th Ave. Mill and overlays in Mesa on Riggs Road
SW Gas- Westside-Buckeye 83rd to 97th Ave. 12” high pressure replacement. 15th Ave. & Missouri. Replacing 8”- 2 miles.
SRP- S Mtn. Freeway with AODT- Pecos conversion of overhead to underground. Water and transmission are working on project.
Cox- Rural & the 60 to Southern. Project is in design phase.
Scottsdale- Zayo going 15 miles of installation in Scottsdale.

Staffing Updates- None

Next Meeting: April 4th @ Arizona 811, 9:30 am