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NEWS and EVENTS

April 6, 2017 (Thursday!)

Dinner meeting
ACEC Ohio Update - Beth
Easterday & Kevin Futryk; Megan
Timmerman ETHOS Reflection
Location TBD

May 2, 2017 (Tuesday!)

Dinner meeting
DOT Roundtable (Members Only)
Location TBD

June 7, 2017

Lunch meeting
Five Rivers Metroparks
Location TBD

June 14, 2017

ACEC/ODOT Partnering
ConferenceDetails coming!

Meeting Speakers:

Do you have recommendations for future speakers? Please let a Board member know! We are always interested in your feedback.

DINNER MEETINGS

5:30 - 6:30 pm: Social Hour
6:30 pm: Dinner and Business
Meeting Begins

LUNCH MEETINGS

11:30 am - 12:00 pm: Networking
12:00 pm: Lunch and Business
Meeting Begins

March 1, 2017 Meeting Announcement Mark Policinski, OKI Chief Executive Officer Where: The Phoenix, 812 Race Street, Cincinnati When: 11:30-12:00pm—Registration & Networking 12:00pm Lunch and Program

Join us for March's Chapter meeting featuring Mark Policinski, CEO of OKI Regional Council of Governments. The Ohio-Kentucky-Indiana Regional Council of Governments (OKI) is a council of local governments, business organizations and community groups committed to developing collaborative strategies to improve the quality of life and the economic vitality of the region. Formed in 1964, OKI has spent 50 years cultivating partnerships and alliances that range from the federal government to local councils. Its 118 members represent governmental, social and civic groups from nearly 200 communities in the eight-county, three-state region. OKI works collaboratively with stakeholders to solve interstate dilemmas, create far-reaching development plans, break through political bureaucracy, provide services to the public and advocate for federal funding. OKI has final authority over all federal dollars spent on surface transportation in the region. Each year, OKI approves roughly \$40 million in funding for projects in the region.. You can find out more here: <http://www.oki.org/>

Mr. Mark R. Policinski joined OKI as executive director in November 2003. Prior to starting with OKI, Mr. Policinski held senior level positions in the private sector including chief executive officer of the Brown Publishing Company and vice president of The CoStar Group. He currently serves on the Ohio Governor's 21st Century Transportation Task Force.

Mr. Policinski's presentation will focus on the importance of transportation and leveraging technology to meet the region's priorities.

Please email Andy Shahan, ashahan@LJBinc.com, with your reservations by noon on **Friday, February 24, 2017**. Late reservations are not guaranteed, so make your reservations now. We look forward to seeing you there.

The cost for non-members is \$75 payable to ACECO Southwest Chapter at the meeting. Southwest Chapter members will be invoiced for the actual cost of the meal.

