



# LOS ANGELES BASIN CHAPTER

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### STRUCTURAL CODE COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES

February 18, 2021, Thursday, 10:00AM–11:30AM

2021

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## 1.0 CALL TO ORDER @ 10:08am

Committee Member	Jurisdiction/Chapter/Company	Present
Gregory Bowser	LBDS (Chair)	X
Cynthia Zabala	WEHO (Board Liason)	X
Ciara Barnett	COLA	X
Jameson Lee	JLee Engineering	X
Steve Lam	COLA	X
Razmig Shamim	COLA	X
Uykheang Keo	Torrance	X
Kristin Norman	COLA	X
Jason Cui	COLA	X
Philip Yin	LBDS	X
Cairo Briceno	Parsons (Co-Chair of Seismology and Hazards, SEAOSC)	X
Gabriel Acero	AECOM (Co-Chair of Seismology and Hazards, SEAOSC)	X
Aleeta Dene	APA	X

## 2.0 APPROVAL OF PREVIOUS MINUTES

2.1 Minutes approved (motion by Ciara Barnett, second by Razmig Shahim).

## 3.0 COMMUNICATION

### 3.1 General Communication

#### 3.1.1 Ciara

##### 3.1.1.1

Stuart Tom Excellence Award – Scholarship applications are on the chapter website.

#### 3.1.2 Cynthia

##### 3.1.2.1

SAP Trainings, (3) 2hr sessions (3/2 – 3/4), \$10/\$25 non-members. More to come on this.





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**3.1.2.2**

March 11 – General Chapter Meeting, Outdoor dining (equipment, structures, accessibility)

**4.0 NEW BUSINESS**

**4.1 Committee Members Monitor Organizations (Ongoing)**

**4.2 Open/General Discussion**

Discussion:

- Manufactured steel shear panels on hillside homes (Kristin Norman).
  - Discussion regarding use of proprietary wall frames for downhill direction. Consideration of variable stiffness seems reasonable but may not comply with the hillside provisions. Changes should come from manufacturers. Building official can make interpretation of intent, and let the manufacturers take the reins on this push for use of their products.
- Uniform Soils Report Guidelines for Liquefaction (Brad Fliehm) -TABLED
- FEMA P-1100-2A (Victor Cuevas)-TABLED
- Special Inspection requirements for Type IV Concealed connections/fireproofing – MORE TO COME (SEAOSC Seismology and Wood to meet and share more)
- Proposed Shipping Container Changes (Ongoing) – No Action at this time
- Design of Temporary Structures (Greg Bowser) – **Coordinate with Ali Fattah**
- Goals/Directions for the Year (Input from the Committee)
  - Training on Conventionally Framed Design/Wood Frame Prescriptive
  - 3-D Printing
  - Seismic Retrofit Bulletin and/or seismic/building resiliency program, Include FEMA 2018.
  - Temporary Structures (Code proposal??)
  - Incorporate more SEAOSC committee reps into this committee (there are new committees)
  - General Discussion Items
- APA Resources (MARCH)
- ASCE 7, 12.13 – Differential Settlements – How is this considered in plan check. What conditions are critical? **(Gabriel to put together some info to discuss next month).**

**4.3 2021 Participation**

- We would like to expand participation in the committee, not just from AHJs, but also throughout the industry (designers, contractors, etc.). Please spread the word to anyone who you think might be valuable to the group. **Have any interested people contact me and I can make sure they are invited to a meeting.**



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**5.0 EXISTING BUSINESS**

**5.1 Web/Social Media Presence and Outreach [Ongoing]**

- We are working with Bethany Moss to improve the website and Social Media.

**5.2 Committee Members monitoring other Organizations**

- Cairo – SEAOSC Seismology is looking into use of CLT in high rise, especially inspections. Information on these meetings should be sent to Inspection Committee for input.

**5.5 Checklist and Standard Development [Ongoing]**

Action Item(s):

- Steel Moment Frame and QA/QC
- Masonry Checklist (Greg to post)
- Wood-Frame Prescriptive Provision (Greg to post)
- Structural Plan Review Checklist (Greg to post)
- Other LARUCP/LABC checklists from past (Greg to try and track these down and see they can be used).

**6.0 ESTABLISH NEXT MEETING**

6.1 The tentative schedule for future meetings is noted below, including the method to access the online web conference meeting, audio call-in number, and meeting number (access code).

<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Meeting Number</u>	<u>Weblink</u>
March 18th	10 am	TBD	

**7.0 ADJOURNMENT 11:38am (Motion by Kristin Norman, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Jameson Lee).**

**NOTES:**

***Please inform the Chairperson at any time prior to the next scheduled meeting if you wish to introduce new business for discussion with the committee. With adequate notice, items requesting committee discussion can be included in the next meeting agenda that will be distributed to the members.***

***For copies of past meeting minutes and other related documents produced by this committee, please refer to the Los Angeles Basin Chapter's website at <http://www.icclabc.org/structural.html>.***