



CANADIAN DESIGN-BUILD INSTITUTE

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DESIGN-BUILD: Partnering for Progress **May 3-4, 2007, Vancouver, BC**

By now you should have received in the mail a copy of the conference brochure with the full program and registration form. CDBI's 2007 annual conference will take place at the Hyatt Regency Hotel in beautiful downtown Vancouver. A limited number of rooms are reserved at a special group rate until April 16th so do not delay. No other forum can provide you with access to such an elite group of professionals within Canada's design-build construction industry.

There will also be a separate "**Fundamentals of Design-Build**" one day Tutorial May 2, 2007

For additional copies of the conference brochure please download the PDF file from the web site or contact the CDBI office. <http://cdbi.org/events/index.html>

Design-Build Documents 14 & 15

The Canadian Construction Documents Committee (CCDC) continues to keep CDBI up to date and current on the development & changes to the new CCDC Design-Build Documents 14 *Design-Build Stipulated Price Contract* & 15 *Design-Builder/Consultant Contract*. A consultation draft of Document 14 should be ready some time in April. CDBI are considering in consultation with CCDC on becoming an official endorsement body for these documents.

CDBI Committees Report Highlights

Communications and Education

- The 2007 annual conference May 3rd & 4th will be held in Vancouver, BC in conjunction with a one day Fundamentals of Design-Build Workshop on May 2nd
- Both the conference and the tutorial will be recognized by the CCA Gold Seal Program and the Architectural Institute of British Columbia/CES (Continuing Education System) and will award eligible attendees points for attending. Please see the web site for more information
- A CDBI membership brochure has been produced; if you require any copies to hand out to clients or potential new members please contact the CDBI office and they will provide you with them.

Membership

- A letter has been developed to use as a tool in recruiting new members
- Increasing architect & engineers members will continue to be a focus of the committee
- We will also try to better focus on trade contractor's interests.

A Special Committee of the Canadian Construction Association

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Owners Committee

- The Owners Committee will now be co-chaired by Doug Campbell of DND and Randy Dhar of PWGSC. The Committee will meet to establish their goals & priorities for 2007.

Risk Management

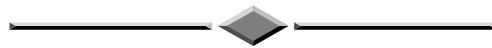
- The Risk Management Committee will soon begin publishing regular bulletins on current issues affecting the industry. These bulletins will be emailed to members and posted on the web site.

Standards of Practice

- The Series 400 'Project Delivery' first draft has been reviewed and will now undergo some further changes. The document will also have to incorporate the current revisions of the new CCDC 14.

Trade Contractors

- The Design-Build Teaming Agreement draft will be presented to the CCA Board of Directors for their review and comments at their next meeting this March. Once this is done it will go through a legal review; then after CDBI Council approval be sent back to CCA at their June meeting for final endorsement before being published.



Welcome New CDBI Members

- ✚ County of Dufferin, an Owner situated in Orangeville, ON
- ✚ The Maricor Group, Canada Ltd., an Engineering firm from Halifax, Nova Scotia
- ✚ Fowler Bauld & Mitchell Ltd., an Architect firm from Halifax, Nova Scotia
- ✚ Mike Moore & Sons Construction Ltd., a General Contracting firm from Sault Ste. Marie, ON
- ✚ H.H. Angus & Associates Ltd., an Engineering firm from Don Mills, ON
- ✚ Infrastructure Ontario, an Owner from Toronto, ON
- ✚ Delcom Engineering Ltd., an Engineering firm from Summerside, PEI
- ✚ Paragon Project Management Inc., a Project Management Consulting firm from Revelstoke, BC
- ✚ Classic Design Contracting, a Design-Build firm from Salt Spring Island, BC
- ✚ Bender Engineered Concrete Solutions, a Trade Contracting firm from Mississauga, ON
- ✚ R.W Beck, Owner's representative firm from Orlando, Florida.

DESIGN-BUILD AWARD OF EXCELLENCE

The Canadian Design-Build Institute Awards will be going into its 5th year. Please note starting this year some minor changes have been made to the submission requirements for clarification purposes. These changes are posted on the CDBI web site.

Submissions shall be received no later than **April 1st** of each calendar year.

The awards will be announced and presented during the annual conference at a special luncheon on May 4th 2007 in Vancouver.

For full information regarding Submission Requirements and the Terms of Reference for the competition, please visit the CDBI website at <http://cdbi.org/awards/index.html>

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