

# The Green Mountain Civil Report

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## E-Week Time!!

### January Meeting

Wednesday, January, 17, 2001

The January Meeting is being hosted by VSPE. Meals will be ordered from a limited menu at the meeting. Cost is \$24 for Members; \$19 for student Members. Please e-mail reservations to: Jill Marsano at [Jmarsano@forcieraldrich.com](mailto:Jmarsano@forcieraldrich.com) or call 879-7733 by Tuesday, January 16. Checks should be made payable to VSPE and sent to P.O. Box 8765, Essex Jct., VT 05451 or paid at the dinner.

**Date:** Wednesday the 17th of January, 2001.

**Location:** Perry's Restaurant, Shelburne Rd, South Burlington, VT (1/4 mile south of I-189 on US 7)

The **schedule** is as follows:

- 4:30 - 5:30 VSPE Board Meeting
- 5:30 - 6:30 Social Hour
- 6:30 - 7:30 Dinner
- 7:30 - 8:30 Speaker, Scott Johnstone

**Speaker** Scott Johnstone, Secretary of the Vermont Agency of Natural Resources, will discuss the VT ANR's role as it affects Vermont Growth, Engineers, Act 250, Alternative Wastewater Systems and the Legislative process of adopting rules.

A summary of this year's activities is provided below. Please review the attached flyers for complete details:

UVM Competitions	02/15/01
Engineers Under the Dome	02/21/01
Order of the Engineer Ceremony	02/23/01
Engineers Week Banquet	02/23/01
ACEC Engineering Excellence	
Mall Exhibit	02/25/01

### E-Week Banquet:

Engineers Week festivities will close with the annual Banquet. It will be held on the Norwich campus on Friday, February 23. We are excited to welcome Neil Poulin, Wafer Fab Engineering Manager, of IBM. Mr. Poulin's presentation will briefly review current trends in the Semiconductor industry, as well as review the mission of the IBM Microelectronics facility in Essex Jct., VT, including advanced products currently being designed and manufactured.

### 2001 ASCE Meeting Schedule

**February 23** – Engineer's Week Dinner

**March 14** – UVM Student Chapter

**April 20** -- Boston Big Dig Trip

**May 16** -- Dog Team Tavern, Middlebury

### President's Note

With the New Year comes a new opportunity to contribute to ASCE and to the community at large. For the high point of our year must surely be Engineer's Week or "E-Week" in February. Not only does the E-Week Banquet provide a tremendous place for all disciplines of engineering to convene and exchange ideas and news, but the many school and public outreach programs and radio and TV announcements go a long way to raising the profile of engineering in Vermont.

For information on ways to get involved and contribute your time and expertise towards E-Week activities, please contact your President-elect, Kevin Worden (e-mail: [KevinW@engineeringventures.com](mailto:KevinW@engineeringventures.com)). There will shortly be a posting for the E-Week activities on our website – please check it out.

Please welcome our new Secretary, Lynnette Whitney. Lynnette recently graduated from the University of Maine. She is no stranger to ASCE, having been active in UMaine ASCE Student Chapter, serving there

as Secretary during FY 97. She has been already active in Vermont - recruiting a new member and volunteering for nomination as Secretary. I would also like to thank our outgoing Secretary, Luce Hillman, for the years of service she has put in.

Start the true "New Millenium" off with a bang, and make arrangements to attend this month's meeting, which promises to be an excellent affair. Meeting details are enclosed. Happy New Year!

*Russel Ryan, P.E.*

President, VT ASCE

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