# Superintendents & Mechanics Conference & Trade Show Tentative Program

## Wednesday, October 18th, 2017

#### 11:00 Registration / Lunch / Outdoor Equipment Display

#### **Superintendents Sessions**

#### 12:15-2:00 Round Table Discussion

Bring your work related questions and solutions for a lively and informative discussion Paul Gruner, PE, PS Montgomery County Engineer

# 2:00-2:50 ODOT System Preservation / Maintenance\*

Thomas Lyden, PE, PMP, Administrator ODOT Office of Maintenance Operations

#### 2:50-3:20 Break

Visit the outdoor equipment displays

# 3:20-4:10 Dealing with Guns, Marijuana, and Background Checks in the Workplace – Top Employment Policies for Risk Reduction\*

Jonathan Downes, Esq. Zashin & Rich Co., LPA

This session will provide insight into changes that have occurred at both the state and federal level and how they may impact employment policies and procedures. Areas discussed will include: the impact of Ohio's recently passed concealed carry law, Ohio's medical

marijuana and ban-the-box laws; navigating reasonable accommodation law; and leave abuse policies.

#### **Mechanics Sessions**

#### 12:15-2:00 Round Table Discussion

Bring your work related questions and solutions for a lively and informative discussion Jeff Linkous, PE, PS Clinton County Engineer

#### 2:00-2:30 Break

Visit the outdoor equipment displays

#### 2:30-3:20 Truck Performance Issues

Jon Davies, Allison Transmission Development Manager WW Williams

This session will cover specification issues due to green house gas engines, Allison computer modeling program, and true duty cycles

#### 3:20-4:10 Spec'ing Trucks

Doug Burke, PE, Equipment Engineer ODOT

#### 4:10-5:00 COMBINED SESSION

#### Workplace Standards & Supervisor Responsibilities\*

Jonathan Downes, Esq. Zashin & Rich Co., LPA

Basics of discrimination and harassment in the workplace - what every employee and supervisor should understand. Examples and clear language will be used to explain what the law requires of employees in the workplace.

#### 5:00-6:00 Dinner

#### 6:00-9:00 Trade Show & Refreshments

Visit our exhibitors and network with your counterparts. Refreshments will be served

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## Thursday, October 19th, 2017

6:00-7:00 Coffee

7:00-8:00 Breakfast

#### SUPERINTENTS SESSIONS

#### **MECHANICS SESSIONS**

8:00-8:50 Superintendents Session: Safety Inspections

Jason Easton, Pinnacle Safety

8:00-8:50 Mechanics Session: Communicating with Supervisors and the Decision Making

**Process for Equipment Maintenance and Repair**Mark Zimmerman, PE, PS, Seneca County Engineer

## **COMBINED SESSIONS**

9:00-9:50 Fleet Management: Good Equipment Management Makes Your Whole Business

Stronger

Steve Pirnat, Equipment Manager

Ohio CAT

These days, equipment management matters more than ever. With competition, rising cost, and other pressures, your budgets are continuously being squeezed. Effectively managing your equipment can mitigate your operating cost, reduce down time, and strengthen your bottom line.

10:00-11:15 Underground Utility Location Services Presentation and Demonstration\*

Jason Kail, SUE Services Manager

Woolpert

Woolpert presents the history, challenges, standards, and technology used in locating underground utilities. The presentation focuses on the advantages of Subsurface Utility Engineering (SUE). Woolpert will also be demonstrating some of the equipment commonly used on projects.

11:15-11:30 Town Meeting & Wrap Up

Paul Gruner, PE, PS, Montgomery County Engineer Jeff Linkous, PE, PS, Clinton County Engineer

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