

# 2012 25<sup>th</sup> Annual TEA Workshop Agenda

(A work in progress)

<b>Wed, October 10</b>	
Noon-5:00PM	Registration and information
6:00 PM – 10:00PM	TEA Reception
<b>Thursday, October 11</b>	<b>Continental Breakfast</b>
8:00 AM	<b>General Session</b>
	TEA Conference Opening, (Roll Call, Introduction of Vendors, Welcome to Ohio, Keynote)
Morning Session	<b>Session 1 Construction Cost Estimates</b>
	Planning Estimates
	Official Engineer's Estimates
	<b>Break</b>
	<b>Session 2 Estimating Methods</b>
	Guidance
	Technical Committee on Cost Estimating (TCCE ) Update
11:45 AM – 1:00 PM	<b>Lunch – provided</b>
Afternoon Session	Tools
	AASHTO Estimating Technical Review Team (TRT) update
	<b>Session 3 Analyzing Bids</b>
	What does FHWA Want
	<b>Break</b>
	Contractor Panel/Industry Reps
6:00 PM	<b>Banquet</b>
<b>Friday, October 12</b>	<b>Continental Breakfast</b>
8:00 AM	<b>Session 4 Analyzing Bids (continued)</b>
Morning Session	Bid Analysis Techniques
	Awarding and Rejecting Bids
	<b>Session 5 Staffing the Estimating Function</b>
	Qualifications
	Certification of Estimators
	Discuss staffing issues specific to cost estimating
	<b>Session 6 More on Estimating Methods</b>
	Bid-based Estimates
	Cost-based Estimates
	Identifying Risk
	<b>Break</b>

	<b>Session 7 Business Meeting</b>
	<b>Business Session</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• General Business Session</li> <li>• Election of Officers</li> <li>• Invitation to 2013 Conference</li> <li>• Vote on 2014 Conference Site</li> </ul>
11:45 AM – 1:00 PM	<b>Lunch – on your own</b>
Afternoon Session	<b>Session 6 More on Estimating Methods</b>
	<b>The effects of “Innovative Contracting”</b>
	<b>Design – Build Breakout Session</b>
	<b>Alternate/Option bidding Breakout Session</b>
	<b>Estimating Costs for Alternate Contracting Methods Breakout Session</b>
	<b>Estimating Method exercises</b>
	<b>Break</b>
	<b>Session 8 Estimating Related Issues</b>
	<b>Highway Cost Trends and Forecasts Workshop</b>
	<b>Best practices</b>
	<b>Performance Measures and Tracking</b>
	<b>Future of Estimating in a changing Economy</b>
	<b>Adjourn</b>