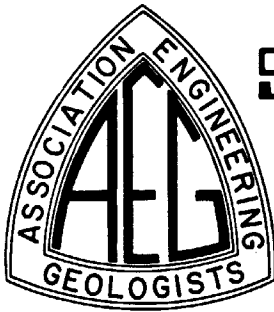


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## JUNE MEETING

**DATE:** Tuesday, June 10, 1986  
**PLACE:** Stevens Steak House  
5332 Stevens Place  
Commerce (T.G. 53 F2)  
**COST:** \$14.00 (Tip included)  
**RESERVATIONS:** Kovacs-Byer & Associates, Inc., 818-980-0825  
Please make reservations by noon on previous  
Friday.  
**TIME:** 5:30 Social Hour  
6:30 Dinner  
7:30 AEG Business  
8:00 Speaker  
9:00 Section Affairs, if scheduled  
**SPEAKER:**

Due to a last minute cancellation we unfortunately do not have a speaker scheduled as this newsletter goes to print. An interesting, well known, speaker will be scheduled by meeting time.

## BULLETINS

John Wolf announces that the Directory of Registered Geologists, Registered Geophysicists and Certified Engineering Geologists, printed in March 1986, is now available. There are a limited number of copies available for free distribution when a request in writing is made to the state board.

Stephen M. Testa, past co-chairman of the Washington Section of AEG, has recently relocated to the southern California area. Steve has accepted a position as general manager of Engineering Enterprises, Inc., Western Region.

Dr. John H. Foster has been named vice president and general manager for Hydrotech Consultants, Inc., Irvine, California. Hydrotech Consultants is the newest subsidiary of the Irvine Consulting Group. The company offers technical consulting services in the area of groundwater and hazardous waste management.

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### SUMMARY OF ANNOUNCEMENTS

The following announcements were made at the May meeting by Gary Guacci.

1. Please pay your dues if you haven't already.
2. Note that there are changes in the phone numbers for Bob Zweigler (818-980-0825) and Gary Guacci (213-433-5865).
3. The Southern California Waste Management Forum is having an all day Waste Conference on May 16.
4. A seminar entitled "The Hazardous Buildings Ordinance: A Key to Earthquake Safety and Economic Recovery: will be held at the Pasadena Hilton Hotel on May 22, 1986.
5. Mark Osborne requests information for the Associations national quarterly newsletter. The deadline is June 15.
6. The door prizes were furnished by Lucy Birdsall (publications) and Dave Adams (case of beer).
7. Contact Steve Jensen regarding papers for the Baja field trip which will be held this summer or fall.
8. The speaker for this month's meeting (May 21) of the San Diego Association of Geologists is Dick Barry, who will be speaking on "Clay Mineralogy of the Otay Formation".
9. Joseph Cobarrubias has reviewed the 1985 LA County Fire Code and discussed the revisions with the County. According the

County, the only item dealing with the geologic element was that the maximum clearance areas from buildings was changed from 100 feet to 200 feet/with the proximal 30 feet devoid of vegetation and the remainder held to 18 inches in height. Thanks for the review Joe!!

10. Charles Daugherty will become the next newsletter editor, replacing Mark Osborne. You can reach Charlie at Apt. 203, 640 South Lake Avenue, Pasadena, California 91106. Phone: office - (213) 489-6964; home - (818) 796-3933.
11. Guidebooks for the recent meeting of GSA at CSULA are still available. See Mike Hernandez or Martin Stout at CSULA.

#### SUMMARY OF ASSOCIATION SPRING MEETING IN DENVER

1. The Association's quarterly newsletter will now have themes: April - remote sensing; October - landslides; January 1987 - tentatively tectonics.
2. The Academic & Research member category was eliminated.
3. The education requirements, with some changes, for members and associate members were approved.
4. Voting privilege of affiliate level membership was approved, but affiliates are excluded from being chairman of the sections, newsletter editors, or chairman of the membership committees.
5. A senior level member category definition (Fellow) was approved and will be placed on a ballot for approval by Association members.
6. The experience level was kept at 5 years for membership requirements.
7. Student members are strongly encouraged to apply for Association membership.
8. The Southern California Section is to provide the Association with 2 copies of our Industrial Safety Manual for review.
9. Each section is to have a public relations plan by October.
10. Individuals must be members of the Associations and Section to have their names in the quarterly and section newsletters.
11. The Board approved to adopt a policy of pursuing registration of engineering geologists in states lacking registration. A committee has been established and is chaired by Gary Rasmussen.
12. The Association is striving to use successful annual meetings to help bring down the cost of dues. This can only be

The following summary of the May talk was prepared by Jim Shuttleworth.

#### MAY SPEAKERS

The May speakers were Dr. David Harkrider, Cal Tech Professor of Geophysics, and our own Robert Bean. Dr. Harkrider gave a very interesting talk on seismic yields - tectonic versus those produced by nuclear explosions. He was followed by Bob, who spoke about the threat of nuclear war.

Our continued thanks to Lucy Birdsall of our local USGS office for the donation of some interesting geologic publications. You may not realize it, but some of you now own some very old, and rare publications. Have you checked the cost of out print pubs lately ?

We also want to thank Dave Adams and his employer the Jack Raub Co. for the donation of two cases of Millers beer. Bob Testa won one case and the other will be raffled next month.

WIN A PERMA PLAQUE AT THE JUNE MEETING ! We will be raffling off a free Perma Plaque. Perma Plaques are the wood laminated documents you see on doctors' and lawyers' walls. Good for any document - for instance your diploma or CEG certificate.

A special thanks to Joe Cobarrubias for the miracles he has performed in getting speakers plaques made up at virtually the last minute. Joe is always willing to go that extra mile for AEG ! We appreciate it.

#### EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

SENIOR ENGINEERING GEOLOGIST. San Diego Soils Engineering, Inc., a subsidiary of the Irvine Consulting Group, Inc., is seeking a California-certified engineering geologist with a masters degree in geology and a minimum of five years prior experience in Southern California, to provide peer review and project management for geotechnical investigations. Position based in San Diego. Excellent salary and benefits. Submit resume to: Career Development Manager, Irvine Consulting Group, Inc., C.O. #86006/C/AEG, 15 Mason, Irvine CA 92718. An Equal Opportunity Employer.

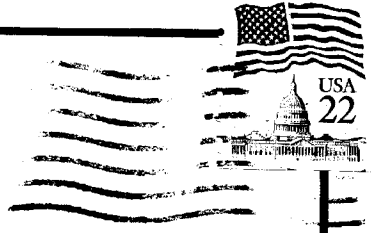
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Don Lamar announces a new vastly improved Zip-A-Dip. Now 33% thicker, made with a special (expensive !!) die which produces a smoother edge and greater precision. Still ridiculously cheap at: \$3.00 each; \$2.50, 2-10; \$2.00, 11-49; \$1.50, 50+. Please buy some and help Lamar pay for the die. Send money to:

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