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DINNER MEETING

- Tuesday, April 12, 1988
- The Quiet Cannon Restaurant
901 N Via San Clemente
Montebello, CA
- \$20.00 (includes tip)
- For reservations call
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MAKE RESERVATIONS BY NOON ON
THE FRIDAY PRIOR TO THE MEETING

- 5:30 Social Hour
- 6:45 Dinner
- 7:30 Announcements
- 8:00 Speaker
- 9:00 Section Affairs

PROGRAM

Charles W. Dauherty
Lead Engineer, Geotech Section
and
Richard F. Escandon
Senior Engineering Geologist

of PDCD, the Metro Rail construction
manager will present an

UPDATE ON L.A. METRO RAIL CONSTRUCTION

SPEAKER & TOPIC

UPDATE ON L.A. METRO RAIL CONSTRUCTION

After years of struggling to have government funds released, the Southern California Rapid Transit District finally achieved its short term goal and started Metro Rail construction in April, 1987. One year later, nine major contracts are underway in downtown Los Angeles and notice to proceed should be issued for the final two within a matter of weeks. The initial 4.5 miles of the planned 22-mile system is scheduled to be ready for passenger service by mid-1993.

This program will begin with an overview of the first 4.5 miles and then concentrate on the specifics of one of the mined tunnels that is well underway and of interest to engineering geologists and anyone else interested in underground construction. A series of color slides will illustrate details of mining and safety equipment, tunneling and ground support sequences, geologic mapping, and special operations such as sniffing for gas and use of a magnetometer to detect abandoned oil well casings ahead of the tunnel face.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

FROM THE BOARD OF REGISTRATION

The State Board of Registration for Geologists and Geophysicists has announced its 1988 exam schedule:

Geologist and Geophysicist-Sept. 16
Engineering Geologist -Sept. 17
For more information contact the board at
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(916) 445-1920

GEOLOGY REGISTRATION EXAM REVIEW COURSES:

Courses will be held in San Francisco, Sacramento and Los Angeles this year. The Los Angeles course is composed of two classes (May 21 and June 18). The course will be held at the offices of Brown & Caldwell, 150 South Arroyo Parkway, Pasadena. Preregister by sending name, address, and phone number and a check for \$198 registration fee made out to Patti Osiecki at 411 Alger Drive, Palo Alto, CA 94306. Late registration fee (after May 7, 1988) is \$250. A study manual (included in the course price) is available separately for \$75. For additional information on this or other courses call: Patti Osiecki (415) or Lisa Dirth (415) 658-6878.

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DEADLINES

Material for the Southern California Section Newsletter must be received by the editor by the following dates to be included.

May newsletter	April 21
June newsletter	May 26
July newsletter	June 23

Material for the "member news" column in the next national AEG News should be received by the section newsletter editor no later than June 7.

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Awards, honors and whatever _____

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