MEETING MINUTES

September 4, 2018
MoDOT Southwest District Office, Springfield, MO

ATTENDANCE:

MoDOT: Kristi Bachman
       Steve Campbell
       Andrew Mueller
       Frank Miller
       Laurel McKean
       Stacy Reese

ACEC/MO: Neil Brady
         Todd Chandler
         Steve Prange
         Rob Krewson
         Rod Lacy
         Jon Robison
         Chip Touzinsky
         Bruce Wylie, President

Introductions
A list of the attendees is provided above.

MoDOT Southwest District Update
General Update from MoDOT - EPA consent decree on environmental impact goes away in near future. Construction inspection work by consultants – more help is needed because of staff time dedicated to design-build projects. The overall MoDOT DBC budget is at its $55 million limit. Currently District has $4 million in on-call contracts and $11 million in regular consultant contracts. Are having more bridges that need to be replaced. Some upcoming design work will come out as design-build procurement. Not experiencing any increase in materials costs yet because of new federal tariffs. The August bids did come in about 20% higher than estimates. Starting to use consultants for right-of-way work.

ACEC Missouri Discussion Items
Wylie gave update on Proposition D – 10cent gas tax increase on the November 6 ballot. He also gave an update on activities of the Mercury Alliance, the statewide transportation advocacy organization that is now 3 years old. He also talked about MoDOT HQ liaison meeting discussions held in mid-August.

Next Meeting Date
The next meeting will be in early 2019.

These minutes constitute our understanding of the issues discussed at this meeting. Should there be any additions or corrections or comments, please contact the undersigned for modifications, otherwise these minutes will stand as presented.