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## ASPHALT INSTITUTE - VIRGINIA OFFICE UPDATE

Second Quarter 2020

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Greetings. I hope each of you and your families are doing well and staying safe. Asphalt Engineer's Regional Engineers travel is still limited for the time being. However, we are staying busy and being productive while working from home. I am keeping in touch with all seven of my states and many members. Here are a few things that have been going on with AI and me specifically in the second quarter 2020:

### **SEAUPG Annual Meeting**

The 2020 SEAUPG Annual Meeting is scheduled for Knoxville TN November 16-19. At this time, a tentative decision has been made to hold a combination in-person/virtual meeting with very few or no agency personnel being able to attend. That decision could change and I will keep you advised on the status of the annual meeting in future reports.

### **Constructing Quality Asphalt Pavement (CQAP) one-day seminars**

I told you about eight one-day CQAP seminars that AI put on in January through mid-March that I was involved with. More CQAP seminars are scheduled for fall 2020. You can find more information about CQAP seminars and take a look at the locations for the fall seminars [here](#). Planned CQAP seminars in Jackson MS and Baton Rouge LA on October 20 and 22 are not listed yet. The newly published MS 22 third edition will be used as the course textbook in all CQAP seminars going forward.

### **What Else?**

I completed an article that was published in the summer edition about "Virginia DOT's Experience with Cold Central Plant Recycling". The digital version of the magazine is attached. I developed and presented a webinar titled "Asphalt Pavement Compaction: Best Practices for Durability and Smoothness". You can access all of AI's recorded webinars, including the 10 new webinars that AI hosted in May and June [here](#).

Thank you for being a member of Asphalt Institute. As always, please let me know if I can assist you in any way.

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