

DES TECHNICAL COMMITTEES, TEAMS, SPECIALISTS

Note: Consultants are to direct their questions to the project's Structure Liaison Engineer. The Office of Special Funded Projects & Structures Local Assistance has representatives on most DES Technical Committees and access to Technical Specialists. Questions regarding projects in other States must go to the respective State Bridge Engineer who is ultimately responsible for interpretation of AASHTO Specifications in that jurisdiction.

DES TECHNICAL COMMITTEES

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DES TECHNICAL SPECIALISTS

AASHTO/Loads: Kammy Bhala

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Culverts and Underground Structures: Dallas Forester

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Shannon Post, Manager

Railings and Sound Walls: Greg Kaderabek, Tillat Satter

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TECHNICAL TEAMS

Material Testing & Evaluation: Phil Stolarski, Deputy Division Chief

- Welding and Steel
- Precast and Prestress
- Source Inspection
- Mechanical Testing
- Consistency

Structure Design: Tony Marquez, Deputy Division Chief

- Detailing: Brian Mori, Chair
- Ofelia Alcantara, Manager

Transportation Architecture; Electrical, Mechanical, Water/Wastewater

- Buildings
- Electrical
- LEED
- Mechanical
- Water/Wastewater

Bob Travis and Steve Schoff, Managers

Structure Construction: Rob Stott, Deputy Division Chief

- Falsework
- Concrete Materials
- Reinforced Concrete
- Substructures
- Structural Steel
- Prestressing
- Joints & Bearings
- Bar Reinforcing Steel
- Deck & Barriers
- Bridge Construction Surveying
- Building Construction & Sound Walls
- Earth Retaining Systems
- Safety
- Computer
- Administration

Geotechnical Services (link to:

http://www.dot.ca.gov/hq/esc/geotech/page/Tech_teams.pdf

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