Monday, May 6, 2013 – Capitol Room A

8:30 a.m.  Breakfast - Hosted

9:00  Welcome Remarks – Steve Lee – President, Professional Engineers in CA Government (PECG)

9:15  Ed Wytkind – President, Transportation Trades Department, AFL-CIO

9:45  MAP-21 Outsourcing Provisions and What We Can Do About Them?  
      Presenter: Nadine Westcott, PECG

10:15  Public-Private Partnerships – A Coordinated Response to USDOT’s Request for  
      Comment on “Standard Public-Private Partnership Agreements”  
      Introduction: Ted Toppin - PECG
      • Bruce Blanning, PECG
      • Joe Dorant, Massachusetts Organization of State Engineers and Scientists (MOSES)
      • Vince Oliveri, Professional and Technical Employees Local 17

11:00  Beth Osborne, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Transportation Policy, U.S. DOT

      Moderator: Nadine Westcott - PECG
      • Brendan Danahar, Senior Legislative Rep, Transportation Trades Department, AFL-CIO
      • Andrew Dohrmann, Majority Staff, Senate Environment and Public Works Committee
      • Jim Kolb, Minority Staff, House Transportation and Infrastructure Committee

12:30 p.m.  Lunch - Hosted

2:00  Panel Discussion: Outsourcing, Privatization, Contracting Out – Current Outsourcing Trends and How to Communicate About the Dangers Effectively
      Moderator: Dennis Houlihan, American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees (AFSCME)
      • Scott Amey, Project on Government Oversight
      • Axel Aubrun, TOPOS Partnership
      • Nancy Tate, Executive Director, League of Women Voters

3:00  In The Public Interest’s Transportation and Infrastructure Working Group
      • Shar Habibi, In The Public Interest
      • Dennis Houlihan, AFSCME
      • Emily Wurth, Food and Water Watch
3:45  BREAK

4:00  Outsourcing Opposition Strategy Session – Identifying Allies and Coalition Partners
Facilitators: Dennis Houlihan, AFSCME and Ted Toppin, PECG

6:30  NASHTU Group Dinner – We, The Pizza (305 Pennsylvania Avenue, SE)

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**Tuesday, May 7, 2013 – Capitol Room A**

8:00 a.m.  Breakfast – Hosted

8:30  Rep. John Garamendi (D-CA), Member, House Transportation and Infrastructure Committee

9:00  Rep. Nick Rahall (D-WV), Ranking Member, House Transportation and Infrastructure Committee

9:30  Rep. Rick Nolan (D-MN), Member, House Transportation and Infrastructure Committee

10:00  Panel and Discussion: An Educational Perspective – Debunking the Myths of Outsourcing
Moderator: Dennis Houlihan, AFSCME
• Ellen Dannin, Fannie Weiss Distinguished Faculty Scholar and Professor of Law, Dickinson School of Law, Pennsylvania State University
• Elliott Sclar, Economist, Columbia University

11:00  Rep. Donna Edwards (D-MD), Member, House Transportation and Infrastructure Committee

11:30  Lobbying NASHTU’s Legislative Agenda
• Mary Richards - MOSES
• Ted Toppin - PECG

12:00 p.m.  Lunch - On your own

1:00-5:00  Lobbying on Capitol Hill

5:30-7:30  Congressional Reception – LBJ Room (S-211)

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Wednesday, May 8, 2013 – Columbia Room B

8:30 a.m. Breakfast - Hosted

9:00 Rep. Rick Larsen (D-WA), Member, House Transportation and Infrastructure Committee

9:30 Panel and Discussion: Developments at Highway Departments Throughout the Nation
Moderator: Dennis Houlihan - AFSCME
• Ned Statchen, Connecticut State Employees Association
• Joe Dorant, MOSES
• Paul Gendron, New York Public Employees Federation
• James Garity, AFSCME Council 40
• Bruce Blanning, PECG
• Anissia Goodwin, OCSEA/AFSCME Local 11

10:00 Lobby Day Reports

10:45 Action Plan for NASHTU for 2012-2013
• Dennis Houlihan – AFSCME
• Mary Richards – MOSES
• Jimmy Tarlau – CWA
• Ted Toppin - PECG

11:30 Adjournment