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## Southeastern Branch

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### **Board Meetings**

Board meetings are held monthly and are tentatively scheduled for the first Thursday of each month. The next meeting will be held on February 3, 2005. The Board meets at 7:00 a.m. at *Nello's Restaurant* in Royal Oak on 25994 Woodward Avenue, just north of I-696. All members are welcome to attend the Board meetings.

### **Branch Mailing**

The Branch is working to eliminate sending hard copies of event flyers and announcements through the regular mail. In addition to posting this information on our website ([www.ascesoutheast.org](http://www.ascesoutheast.org)), we will send an e-mail with attachments to those members on our current electronic mailing list. This process has already started, so you will be receiving both the regular mail and e-mail versions this month. Please see the enclosed flyer on how to update or add your name to this list.

### **Upcoming Programs and Events**

**The Southeast Branch Student Night, hosted by the University of Detroit-Mercy, February 8, 2005. See the enclosed flyer for more information. Sign up today!!**

**A joint ASCE/SEAMI program will be held February 16, 2005 to discuss changes to the Seismic provisions of the Michigan Building Code. See the**

**enclosed flyer for more information.**

**MSPE is holding a meeting to discuss Legislative Affairs on February 10<sup>th</sup> at "Kiernan's" Restaurant in Dearborn.**

**The Southeast Branch Annual Meeting will be held at the Gem Theatre in Detroit, May 14, 2005.**

**A joint ASCE/SEAMI program is tentatively scheduled for May, 2005. Steve Maranowski, AA Spartan Specialties, will discuss "Foundation Repairs".**

**The 2005 Michigan Section Annual Meeting, hosted by the Southeast Branch, September 29<sup>th</sup> and 30<sup>th</sup>, 2005 in Detroit.**

### **Branch Annual Award Nominations**

Enclosed are nomination forms for the Branch awards for "Project of the Year", "Project Quality of the Life", "Engineer of the Year", and "Young Engineer of the Year". Please submit the nomination forms to Carey Suhan by March 15<sup>th</sup>.

*The Southeast Branch of the American Society of Civil Engineers publishes the Southeast Branch Newsletter almost monthly. Contact Jerry Luttmann, editor, for information, suggestions or comments at 734-915-2066.*

**Dates to Remember**

- Southeastern Branch Board Meeting.....February 3,  
2005
- Annual Student Night.....February 8,  
2005
- ASCE/SEAMI Seismic Provisions Program.....February 16,  
2005
- Southeastern Branch Annual Award Nominations Due.....March 15,  
2005
- Southeastern Branch Annual Meeting .....May 14,  
2005
- ASCE/SEAMI “Foundation Repairs” Program.....May,  
2005
- CYM Golf Outing – Greystone Golf Course, Romeo.....June 23,  
2005
- Michigan Section Annual Meeting – Detroit.....September 29-30,  
2005