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This presentation will cover bridge project development from the owner's perspective in Texas. Mr. Hohmann will provide a basic overview of taking a bridge project from inception to construction. The main topics of discussion will include bridge programming, funding, preliminary planning, bridge layouts, and project development through PS&E (plans, specifications and estimates) completion. The discussion will also cover related interaction with the public as well as other governmental agencies throughout the process.

Biographical Sketch:

David Hohmann, P.E., is Director of the Bridge Division at the Texas Department of Transportation. Division responsibilities include planning assistance, structural plan preparation, construction assistance and reviewing bridge specifications. The division is also responsible for inspection the state’s 50,000 bridges. In addition, the division develops policies, design standards, manuals, and guidelines for the design, maintenance and construction of a safe and comprehensive state bridge system.

David became director in January 2009 and has over 28 years of experience, all within the Bridge Division. He was recently appointed Vice-Chair of the AASHTO Subcommittee on Bridges and Structures. He also serves on the Technical Committee for Steel Design and chairs the Technical Committee for Concrete Design. He earned his bachelor’s degree in civil engineering from the University of Texas at Austin in 1982 and became a registered professional engineer in 1987.

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