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Navigating Design-Build: Best Practices and Principles from Owner Representatives and Process Experts

Event Date(s): 8/26/2010

Event Time / Additional Information: 11:00 AM to 6:00 PM

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One of the nation's most effective and efficient alternative delivery methods of construction that bridges the public and private sectors in partnership is the topic of a day-long seminar sponsored by Pannone Lopes Devereaux & West LLC (PLDW) and the Design-Build Institute of America, New England Chapter on Thursday, August 26, 2010 from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. at the Naval Station Newport, Officer's Club in Newport, Rhode Island. Keith Stokes, Executive Director of the Rhode Island Economic Development Corporation, will present welcoming remarks on behalf of the State of Rhode Island.

The seminar is entitled, Navigating Design-Build: Best Practices and Principles from Owner Representatives and Process Experts, and will include a panel of owner representatives who will discuss the challenges and opportunities of this alternate construction delivery method, and design-build process experts who will share information on the 'nuts and bolts' of getting a design-build project off the ground from contract development, procurement, and environmental and operational function areas.

Representing on-going or completed design-build projects include Commander Gregor Bo, Naval Station Newport Public Works Officer; Julia A. Forgue, PE, Director of Utilities, City of Newport, Rhode Island; David Guertin, DPW Director, Town of Provincetown, Massachusetts; and Richard Brown, City Manager, City of East Providence, Rhode Island. This panel discussion kicks off at 11:30 a.m. followed by a buffet luncheon and presentation on 'How to do Business with the

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