

# ITE Indiana Section

**INDOT Design Memo  
22-10: Highway Lighting  
Revisions Posted!**

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## Newsletter

October  
2022



## Get Involved! Diversity and Inclusion e-Committee

ITE believes that differences in background and experience enrich the culture and experiences of ITE for our membership as they do for the communities in which we live and work. Because personal experience and identity shape how people see the world, greater inclusion will provide a more thoughtful, open, and integrated sharing of ideas and experiences across the entire global membership. It is to the benefit of all our members to seek greater diversity of ideas and experiences that will help us to be in a position to tackle transportation's biggest challenges and to develop the preparedness and resilience that ITE will need to address future challenges that cannot be currently defined.

Actively encouraging participation from traditionally underrepresented groups to pursue careers in transportation and to become members as well as leaders within ITE is one means to bring a more diverse and inclusive membership into ITE.

With that in mind and in support of our strategic plan, ITE President, Michael Sanderson, established the Diversity & Inclusion Committee. This committee, led by Alyssa Rodriguez is working to identify both activities and systematic policies to strategically enable diversity and inclusion efforts throughout ITE.



ITE benefits from having a strong foundation of diversity and inclusion policies because we create an environment where our members feel valued and they are encouraged to share different perspectives, putting us in a position to help our members benefit from innovative and creative solutions.

Please join the ITE Diversity and Inclusion e-Community to stay up to-date on discussions and reference materials.

1. Go to the [Diversity & Inclusion e-Community](#).
2. Click "Join Community" in upper right-hand corner.
3. Select your preferred communication frequency and click "Yes join the community".

### Upcoming Events

- Fall Technical Lunch Meeting on October 20th
- Purdue Student Dinner on November 17th.
- January Social in 2023 is tentatively being planned be at the Fort Wayne Curling Club [[fortwaynecurling.com](http://fortwaynecurling.com)].

### ITE Job Corner

If you have a position you need to fill, please contact [Secretary@indianaite.org](mailto:Secretary@indianaite.org)!



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## Great Lakes District Announces New GLITE Scholarship

Big news from the District! They have announced the first Great Lakes District ITE Student Scholarships! There are two annual scholarships to go to two (one undergrad and one graduate) students in the states of MN, ND, SD, WI, IN, IL, OH, and MI for \$1,000 each. Scholarship winners will also receive free registration to the 2023 Great Lakes Annual Meeting in Grand Rapids, MI.

Get the word out so each student interested has an opportunity to apply and have the chance to receive funding assistance in 2022. Our deadline for submittal is end of the day on **NOVEMBER 4, 2022**.

It's a short time frame for 2022 but in future years students will have all year to apply. Click on the link(s) to check out the applications, send to your friends, or disburse across your networks.

[Undergraduate Application](#)

[Graduate Application](#)

[Click Here to visit the GLITE Student Web page](#)

*Do you know a student interested in getting their Student chapter involved within the District? Reach out to the Indiana Section Rep, [Lauren Maenhout, EMCS](#) for more info on keeping up to date on activities, logistics, contacts, and more. Keeping student groups connected to their District and Section is important!*

## INDOT La Porte District Traffic Engineers roll out checklist for Interstate Highway Closure Policy requests for review

LaPorte District Technical Services finds common and repeated mistakes during review of policy exceptions for contract work. The checklist attached aims to bring designers' attention to these items **before** and during preparation of policy exceptions to prevent time-consuming rework by designers. The designer of any contract that may close or restrict lanes, ramps, or shoulders of an interstate highway should follow this LaPorte District checklist and abide by the most current Interstate Highway Congestion Policy.

[Click Here for the checklist](#)

## INDY ELEVEN game vs Louisville



What a great time! Thanks to everyone who came out for the game against Louisville!

## ITE International Highlights



Click on the logo to visit the official web page of the ITE Great Lakes District .



Click on the logo to visit the official web page of ITE.



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## Event



### Virtual Drop-Ins

ITE is hosting Virtual Drop-In sessions recorded and posted for playback on the [ITE YouTube Channel](#) and ITE Member Forum. These sessions are Monday-Thursday from 3:00-3:30 p.m. Click [here](#) to see the upcoming or recorded sessions.

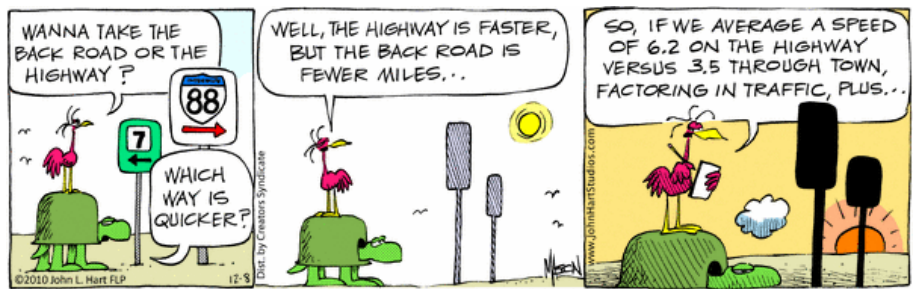
### Edward J. Cox Memorial Scholarship Golf Outing was a hit!

Thank you to all who came out and took part in the golf outing. The weather was perfect golf weather (as predicted) and, as you can see from the photos, it was a great event!



### FHWA Announces Final Rule to Reduce Roadway Fatalities in Dark Conditions by Improving Visibility with Retroreflective Pavement Markings

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**COMING IN DECEMBER**  
**Annual Meeting**

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