

## e-update June/July 2019

#### **PSP3** launch and roadshows

The MHA's Professional Services Partnership 3 was awarded on April 29 and a number of awareness sessions took place to mark the launch. These events took place across Leicester, Milton Keynes, Wolverhampton and Derbyshire and were all well received.

More about the roadshows including presentations from the four suppliers can be found on the <a href="news-page">news-page</a> of the website

## **NEC User's Group Annual Seminar**

MHA Manager, Peter Barclay, recently attended the NEC Users' Group Annual Seminar in London. Over the day he saw several presentations including Ian Cowling, Head of Commercial Services, BAM Nuttall Ltd.

Peter also had the opportunity to attend a workshop on digital contract documents.

On the second day Peter also had the opportunity to meet the Hong Kong delegation.



He said of the second day: "We had a round the table debate on Early Contractor Involvement and the use of Clause X22 and it was fascinating to see how similar Hong Kong's experience of ECI was to ours"

More information about the day can be found in Ice's event page

#### **NEC Peoples Conference**

MHA Framework Manager, John Hooper, delivered a presentation alongside Dave Collis of Leicestershire County Council and Phil Reid of Eurovia at the recent NEC Peoples Conference hosted by Built Intelligence and GMH Planning Ltd.

John found the collaborative workshop in the afternoon particularly interesting and had the chance to exchange views with colleagues from Anglian Water, with similar views to our MHA view point.

The full presentation, as well as other presentations from the day are available on the <u>BuiltIntelligence YouTube</u> channel.

#### **Highway Inspector Training Framework**

The UK Roads Liaison Group Asset Management Board, with support from the Department for Transport, the Highway Inspectors Board, the Midlands Highway Alliance and the Midlands Service Improvement Group, has produced a revised Highway Inspector Competence Framework to outline the high-level requirements for this role.

#### **MHA Annual event**

Save the date, the next MHA annual event will be held on 12 September. Full details to come over the next few months.

#### Coming soon...

The new MHA Information Sharing platform will launch soon replacing SharePoint, keep an eye on the website and our e-updates for further information

#### **Upcoming learning, training and development events**

Request for registering of interest for:

NEC4: Project Supervisor accreditation to equip delegates with the skills necessary to be able to fulfil the role of a Supervisor using the NEC 4 Engineering and Construction Contract.

NEC: Highway Design and Detailing using the DMRB – An intensive two day training course that provides the technical background, hands on experience and considered opinion necessary to enable you to produce effective engineering solutions on your projects.

## **NEC4: Introduction to the Professional Service Contract (PSC)**

A new virtual learning module NEC4: Introduction to the Professional Service Contract (PSC) (online) is set be made available soon to support PSP 3 users.

For now information is available on the <u>PSP3 section</u> of the website you could link to the PSP3 website page

A new one day face-to-face learning event to support PSP3 and using the NEC4: PSC is also planned for September 2019. Keep an eye on future e-updates for more information

#### Last few places remaining...

We have a few (3) places on the 23 July event – NEC4 ECC: stage two – subcontracting, compensation events and payment (SC)

Book your spot on the training on our <u>calendar here</u>.

# 2018 NEC4: ECC Stage one – Managing ECI, Communications, Incentives, Early Warnings & Early Programme (SC)

This one-day MHA event will cover the practicalities of applying some of the collaborative management processes that are an essential part of the ECC.

Delegates will be provided with invaluable practical guidance on managing an **NEC:4 ECC Option C** contract within the Midlands Highway Alliance Framework

This session will be held on October 3, between 9am-5pm at NSPCC National Training Centre 3 Gilmour Close Beaumont Leys Leicestershire LE4 1EZ

Course information is available here

## **NEC:** be an effective Project Sponsor (SC)

This is a bespoke MHA learning event that has been evaluated and further developed with ICE, to support MHA members who are undertaking the project sponsor role. The updated content takes account of Project 13 Highways England Project Control Framework and NEC4.

This session will be held on October 22, between 9am-5pm at NSPCC National Training Centre 3 Gilmour Close Beaumont Leys Leicestershire LE4 1EZ

Information is available on this course <u>here</u>

## NEC4 ECC: stage two – subcontracting, compensation events and payment (SC)

This one-day workshop covers the practicalities of applying some of the collaborative management processes that are an essential part of the ECC.

It is commissioned from Thomas Telford – the knowledge business of the Institution of Civil Engineers (ICE), providers of technical training for ICE members and those in the wider construction sector.

The training will be held on Dec 5 at Kents Hill Park Training & Conference Centre Swallow House, Timbold Drive. Kents Hill Park, Milton Keynes MK7 6BZ between 9am-5pm

Please click the following <u>link</u> to register interest in the course

## Make the most of the Learning Management System (LMS)

Members can access a range of learning, training and development opportunities provided by the MHA skills community, sector partners and MHA members through the <u>Learning Management System (LMS)</u>.

Detailed information on all MHA events is available on the MHA calendar.

#### Social media

The MHA has a new LinkedIn page in addition to the old LinkedIn group now. The page can be viewed <u>here</u> and the group <u>here</u>.

The MHA Twitter account can be followed @midlandshighway

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