



Spring Meeting
Dallas Texas
4-22-26
Safety Working Group

- 1) Call to Order
- 2) Welcoming comments and introductions
- 3) Committee member sign-in sheet sent around the room.
- 4) Safety Minute – Attendees?
- 5) Old Business:
 - a. ANSI A10.23 – 2026 - Drilled Shafts - is now complete, and available for purchase. It includes the term “Working Platform” and defines it according to the ADSC, DFI, PDCA Recommended Industry Practices for Safe Working Platforms for Construction Equipment, which is also listed as a reference in the standard.
 - b. “Site Investigation” – remains as before but with one addition that will favor ADSC contractor members. It now requires the entity that develops the geotechnical report to include:

“A discussion of the engineering aspects of the site and proposed project. The discussion shall address foundation types for proposed structures, retaining systems, grading considerations, stability of cut-slopes and constructed embankments, settlement of the site and adjacent sites due to existing conditions, **site improvement for anticipated construction equipment**, and proposed surface and subsurface drainage requirements.”
 - c. As a result of the 2021 fatal accident in Philadelphia involving an improper lift with a drill rig, there is more clear and restrictive language regarding the use of a drill rig’s auxiliary winch.
 - d. ANSI A10.30 – 2020 – Ground Anchors and Micropiles was updated and submitted in mid-December 2025. I am still awaiting initial technical review.

- 6) New Business:
 - a) Guest Safety Articles? Topics such as accident occurrence and recovery actions, positive safety stories, OSHA or Ministry of Labour inspections and results, lessons learned, etc.
 - b) Safety program for IFCEE 2027
 - Outdoor Set Up and Tear Down
 - Live demonstrations
 - Who will monitor /enforce it?
 - c) FDR / AMP Operator Certification
 - What will it take to get ADSC Members to have their operators certified?
 - Need more people to participate in the Exam Management Committee (Contractor and Associate members)
- 7) Other New Business to discuss?
- 8) Adjourn