



The PENJERDEL Council's 55th Annual Awards Luncheon

The PENJERDEL Council honors the Men and Women of Philadelphia Police and Fire Departments, Urban Engineers, PECO

Tuesday, November 16th at the Crystal Tearoom was a red letter day for the Council. 340 supporters turned out to honor the best of the best. This pause in a busy day in the busiest of seasons confirmed PENJERDEL's mission – "dedicated to informing and educating the business community in the tri-state region by leading and supporting issues and projects affecting the infrastructure, mobility, sustainability and growth."

Philadelphia Commissioners Ramsey and Ayers accepted their Citizens of the Year Awards which honored the men and women whom they lead. About two dozen of their people were in the audience. The Commissioners gave full credit to them, commending their bravery and dedication.

Ed D'Alba, President and CEO of Urban Engineers introduced a short film which was created to celebrate Urban's 50th anniversary. His partner, Joe McAtee was in the audience as were several dozen employees and colleagues. After accepting the Company of the Year Award, Ed, always eloquent, ended his comments by saying "...let's continue to engineer great communities together."

For all that they have sensitively contributed to greening and regional sustainability, PECO, an Exelon company, was awarded the Green Vision Award.

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From The ... Executive Director



Andrew L. Warren

"The PENJERDEL Council is dedicated to informing and educating the business community in the tri-state region by leading and supporting issues and projects affecting infrastructure, mobility, sustainability and growth."

The preceding mission statement is a tangible result of last year's All Member Afternoon Workshop.

Brian Cohen of Liberty Property Trust, Barry Eiswerth of H2L2 Architects/Planners, Jane Rowan of Bioengineering Group and Loretta Simon of Comcast Cable made up the designated working committee tasked with rewriting the PENJERDEL mission statement.

The inviting new brochure, also a recommendation of the "2010 and Beyond" work session was presented with the creative compliments of H2L2 Architects. How fantastic a job!

Employing the mission statement words of "inform and educate" as their mantra, the collective PENJERDEL committees presented an exciting program series throughout this past year. Notably: Jeff Leonard who is Vice Chair of Business Law at Cozen O'Connor, hosted and co-chaired a Real Estate Committee event; a Member/Guest luncheon featuring Harold Schweitzer, former Chief Operating Officer of The \$70 Billion Troubled Asset Relief Program (TARP), who spoke to guests about early days at TARP, punctuated by the challenge of being the man-in-charge as the administration transitioned from Bush to Obama.

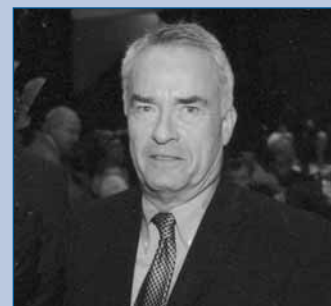
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The best of the best: Philadelphia Police Commissioner Charles Ramsey along with Fire Commissioner Lloyd Ayers accepted Citizens of the Year Awards. The Commissioners were pleased to accept the awards in honor of the men and women of their departments.



Ed D'Alba, P.E. the President and CEO, proudly acknowledged Urban Engineers' many contributions to the tri-state scene as they accepted the Company of the Year award. It coincided with Urban's 50th Anniversary.



Jeffrey W. Gordon, manager of corporate affairs for PECO, an Exelon company, cited many of his company's accomplishments as he accepted the third annual Green Vision Award for them.

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Spring saw us at the Chart House Restaurant along the Delaware as Dan DiMucci, of Pennoni Associates, led the Transportation Committee in an exhilarating meeting featuring top tri-state transportation leaders. Mark Gale (PHL), John Matheussen (DRPA), Dennis Rochford (Maritime Exchange) and Barry Seymour (DVRPC) presented the diverse yet demanding goals and objectives of their respective organizations.

In October, Bruce Katcher of Manko, Gold, Katcher & Fox, showed us the future of that vast prairie of South Broad Street land once home to the Navy Yard. Meeting at Urban Outfitters' newly renovated location, we saw and heard what fantastic opportunities have presented themselves down there.

Looking ahead: we invite you to join us as we surge onward - making the PENJERDEL region an even better place to work and to live!

Call 215-972-0900 for PENJERDEL membership information. Add your organization's name to the growing, important list of regional business leaders.

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In order to try and thank Jim Carll for his years of unconditional loyalty and leadership, Executive Director Andy Warren presented Jim with a recognition award. Jim, chair of the Council's Board is also chair of his firm, Archer & Greiner.

It must be noted that any single success is based on the help of many. PENJERDEL is most grateful to its Benefactors: Pennoni Associates, Inc., Quaker City Foundation and Urban Engineers, Inc. We thank our Sponsors: Archer & Greiner, P.C. and H2L2 Architects/Planners. Our Patrons included: Ballard Spahr, Cozen O'Connor, Drexel University and PECO. Our Supporters were: Aegis Property Group, Comcast Cable, Federal Reserve Bank of Philadelphia, Kenny Construction, Liberty Property Trust, Manko Gold Katcher & Fox, Penn Mutual Towers, Philadelphia Eagles, Philadelphia Phillies, STV, Inc., Temple University and UM Holdings, Ltd. Thanks to all of them and to all who participated and otherwise supported this successful 55th annual event.

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November 16, 2010



The Brave Blue Line. Police Commissioner Ramsey is flanked by men and women from his department.



Paul Coomes, Dale Carnegie Institute; Karen D'Alba and Award winner Ed D'Alba and Jim Allsmann of Urban Engineers.



Recognizing years of dedicated leadership, Executive Director Andy Warren presents a special award to Board Chair Jim Carll of Archer Greiner.



Liberty Property Trust's Brian Cohen presented the Green Vision Award to PECO. Accepting was Jeffrey Gordon.



Philadelphia's Mayor, Michael Nutter congratulated The PENJERDEL Council on its 55th Awards Lunch and noted the Award recipients: The Men and Women of the Philadelphia Police Departments, Urban Engineers and PECO.

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Gregory Sharp, Collette McGovern, John DiValentia and Lauren Walter, all from Urban Engineers, were among the more than 340 guests attending the 55th Annual Awards Lunch.



The Winners Circle. Board Chair Jim Carll; Brian Cohen, Liberty Property Trust; Jeffrey Gordon, PECO; Police Commissioner Charles Ramsey; Fire Commissioner Lloyd Ayers; Urban Engineers' Ed D'Alba and PENJERDEL Executive Director Andy Warren.



PENJERDEL members David Scheuermann and Michael Sheward, of the Sheward Partnership are shown at the VIP reception prior to the Awards Luncheon.



Shown at the VIP Reception are Jeff Kolansky, Board Chair Jim Carll, former Philadelphia District Attorney Lynn Abraham, Gerry Rigby and Fire Commissioner Lloyd Ayers.



Jim Price of Aegis Property and his guest, Bruce Looloian of AMTRAK, enjoyed the reception prior to the Awards Lunch.



Phil Kenny, Anne Madol and Charles Duncan met and greeted colleagues at the Awards Lunch at the Crystal Tearoom.



Joe Comas and Robert Blanks were part of the Fire Department team which accepted a Citizen of the Year Award.



Joe McAtee, PE, Executive Vice President of Urban Engineers, Inc., celebrated his firm's 50th Anniversary.



Comcast was represented by: Loretta Simon and Adam Black. Amanda Ryland, Remington Group and Bill Connor.

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2011 PENJERDEL CALENDAR

Thursday, Feb. 10

Executive Committee Meeting
PENJERDEL Offices
1845 Walnut St., Ste. 2220 - 4 p.m.

Wednesday, Mar. 9

Board of Directors Meeting
New Members Invited
The Acorn Club
1519 Locust St., Phila. - 4 p.m.
Guest Speaker

Wednesday, Mar. 16

Proposed Committee Meeting
8 a.m. - Details TBA

Wednesday, April 13

Executive Committee Meeting
PENJERDEL Offices
1845 Walnut St., Ste. 2220 - 4 p.m.

Thursday, April 21

Tri-State Academic Leadership Panel
8 a.m. - Breakfast - Details TBA

Wednesday, May 11

Proposed Committee Meeting
8 a.m. - Details TBA

Wednesday, June 15

Executive Committee Meeting
PENJERDEL Offices
1845 Walnut St., Ste. 2220 - 4 p.m.

Wednesday, Sept. 14

Executive Committee Meeting
PENJERDEL Offices
1845 Walnut St., Ste. 2220 - 4 p.m.

Wednesday, Sept. 21

Proposed Committee Meeting
8 a.m. - Details TBA

Wednesday, Oct. 12

Board of Directors Meeting
The Acorn Club
1519 Locust St., Phila. - 4 p.m.

Thursday, Nov. 10

Annual Awards Luncheon
Details TBA

Wednesday, Dec. 7

Board of Directors Meeting
and Holiday Reception
The Acorn Club
1519 Locust St., Phila. - 4 p.m.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS:

Special joint PENJERDEL and CCD Presentation:
Special Presentations by the Presidents of Drexel University,
Rutgers University and The University of Delaware
Wednesday, April 21, 2011 - 8 a.m.

Site to be announced - Invitations will be sent

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