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Design-Build Institute of America – Michigan Chapter Elects 2012 Leadership Team

DETROIT, DEC. 16, 2011 - At its December 6, 2011, meeting the Michigan Chapter of the Design-Build Institute of America (DBIA) elected its 2012 slate of officers, executive committee members, and board members.

The new chapter president is John Raimondo, a professional engineer and Director of Roncelli, Inc., responsible for its business development function. Roncelli's successful design-build work includes a recently completed battery manufacturing plant for LG Chem in Holland, Michigan. The current chapter president, Tom Porter of Tom Porter Services LLC, a construction business consulting firm, will serve as Immediate Past President.

The president-elect is John Tocco, an attorney and Assistant Professor in the Department of Civil Engineering at Lawrence Technological University. Tocco also will have responsibility for overseeing the Chapter's Programs Committee functions. Other members of the executive committee are Doug Guldan, Aon Risk Services (Membership); David Lick, Foster Swift law firm (Public-Private Partnerships); Jerome Rock, Jerome Rock Law (Legislative); and Lori Swanson, Michigan Department of Transportation (Owner Relations).

The 2012 board of directors for the DBIA Michigan Chapter consists of the seven executive committee members mentioned above, plus the following members:

- Don Garon Barton Malow
- Verne Garrard Limbach
- Angela Jeruzal Soil and Material Engineers
- Kendal Kuneman Formerly at Energy Works Michigan
- Jeff Ledy Bergmann Associates
- Bryn Paajanen Lawrence Tech
- Kevin Pastoor Aon Risk Services
- Dennis Schultz Butzel Long
- Deanna Swisher Foster Swift
- Don Webb Berkeley Research Group

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