Review of September 2019 WCCSI Minutes

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Program Review:

- September brought back the Scavenger Hunt. Teams converged on Worcester to solve clues about local architecture. We had 6 teams of 4, pizza and beer, but most of all Steve and his crew put together a very fun and educating program.
- October 1st welcomes Young Professionals! We will visit Recess, and Adult Play Area filled with games we played as kids, but Life-size. Chess, Checkers, Foosball, Battleship, Connect 4....and Craft Beer? Yes!!
- October 15th will also offer another program hosted by David Allor, featuring OMG Roofing demonstrating pull tests on fasteners, welding and other interesting roofing topics.
- November gets us dirty as we visit Yankee Engineering and learn about Soils Testing.
- December and our Holiday Party. Comedians, Food, Drink and Yankee Swapping.

Membership remains at 38. Will you be part of the newest members to help us break 40?

August Brainstorming Meeting Ideas:

- Cannabis Control discussion re: Regulation, Grow Facilities and Retail Shops
- Air and Water infiltration testing. Build a mock-up at Sterling Concrete inside the Aggregate Building and have Marvin Window Demonstrate.
- South High School Tour
- MEPF 101 Program
- Contract Negotiation and Language
- Other ideas; Brewery Tour, Tour of "The Grid" Neighborhood in Worcester, Baseball Stadium Tour, Mock Bid Game, Conflict Resolution, Patty Sheehan on Commercial Codes, Invite a Professor from Becker to discuss the new Video Game Design industry and their requirements, Working with Millennials, and finally, why do owners pick certain contractors.

Mike Helly will maintain the Website and Social Media tasks until we find another volunteer to take on Facebook and Twitter. Please forward all information to Mike. If you have the skills and desire to help out, please contact Steve Van Dyke.

**As always, if you are in search of Learning Units, would like to Network, meet new Friends and just sharpen your skills of communication with like-minded people in the construction industry, please attend our programs and consider joining us. There are many opportunities to get involved.