

NACE ANNUAL STATE REPORT

State Association Name: ND Association of County Engineers For year of 2019

Number of Counties: 53 Number of State Assoc. Members: 145

Number NACE Member: 18 – Full Members, 29 – County Associate Members, 6 –

Additional Associate Members

State Annual Meeting/Conferences held at: Holiday Inn in Fargo, ND

on dates: January 29-31, 2019

Other significant meeting held during the year: In addition to the annual meeting the Executive Committee held several other meetings throughout the year at various location.

Notable achievements of State Association and/or Individual members:

1. Marcus Hall was named NDACE County Engineer/Superintendent of the year.
2. Mike May was elected to the NDACE Board of Directors.

Important Events in which State Association participated during year:

1. NDACE 69th Annual Institute
2. ND Association of counties Annual Conference
3. Numerous Legislative committee meetings
4. _____

Issues and topics of particular importance for which action and efforts of State Association were directed during the year:

State Issues:

2019 was a legislative year. Most of our focus was on funding for local roadways. The Counties help develop "Operation Prairie Dog" which made numerous changes to the oil and gas gross production tax distribution formula as well as provides for a new source of infrastructure funding for counties, and townships in non-oil-producing counties throughout the state. This resulted in a biennium increase to infrastructure funds of around \$115 million to counties and townships.

Issues and topics of particular importance for which action and efforts of State Association were directed during the year (CONTINUED):

National Issues: Funding (both long term and emergency)

Ideas/concerns to share with other NACE Members: _____

Report Submitted by: (Name) **Marcus J. Hall P.E.**

(Title) **Burleigh County Engineer** Date: **4/17/20**

Note: Expand written report if desired.

Thanks, NACE Executive Committee