

U.S. ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS AND
AMERICAN SOCIETY OF CIVIL ENGINEERS

Partnering Agreement

THE U.S. ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS (USACE) AND THE AMERICAN SOCIETY OF CIVIL ENGINEERS (ASCE) AGREE TO PROMOTE OUR MUTUAL ENGINEERING INTERESTS. WE ARE COMMITTED TO WORK TOGETHER TOWARD THE FOLLOWING GOALS:

Encourage continuing dialogue between USACE and ASCE at national and local levels on issues of importance to engineers.

Promote ethical and competent engineering practices to enhance the public's image of engineers and the engineering profession.

Enhance the engineering profession through continuing education, professional development and active membership in professional societies.

Promote engineering quality through professionalism, independent peer review, communication, teamwork and continual improvement.

Promote cultural diversity in the engineering profession.

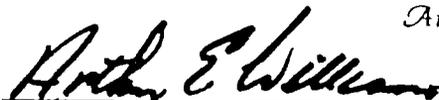
Expand communication and cooperation in the areas of sustainable development, environmental restoration and compliance, pollution prevention and conservation.

Promote development and use of consensus standards and guidelines for design and construction.

Promote research and development technology transfer through continued cooperation on national and international design and construction-industry-related initiatives.

Promote the role of civil engineers in developing and responding to national infrastructure priorities.

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