



## Northeast Region Construction Specifications Institute BOARD REPORT

**DATE:** May 10, 2019  
**TO:** Northeast Region Board of Directors  
**FROM:** Kenneth Raikowski, Region Director – Long Island Chapter  
**SUBJECT:** Report of Long Island Chapter

### A. Report Summary

1. Chapter activities for fiscal year 2019 and current challenges to the chapter.

### B. The Report

1. Summary of Chapter Activities for FY19:
  - a. July 2018 – Summer Planning Meeting
  - b. August 2018 – Group Outing – LI Ducks Baseball Game; Joint LI & MNY Chapters Golf Outing
  - c. September 2018 - Chapter Meeting: Awareness of Legal Requirements Related to Environmental Contaminants on Construction Sites.
  - d. October 2018 - Specialty Doors
  - e. November 2018 - Teknion – The Discovery Dilemma
  - f. December 2018 – Annual Holiday Social (19 members)
  - g. January 2019 - Specifying Luxury Kitchens for Aging in Place
  - h. February 2019 - Cancelled due to weather
  - i. March 2019 – Keeping Rainscreens Tight – from the Installer’s Perspective
  - j. April 2019 - Design and Testing of Perimeter Edge Metal for Low-Slope Commercial Roofs
  - k. May 2019 – Caulk & Sealant Technology
2. Planned Programs for Summer:
  - a. June 2019 – Annual Awards Dinner
  - b. July 2019 – Summer Planning Meeting
  - c. July 17 2019 – Annual Joint LI & MNY CSI Golf Outing.
  - d. August 2019 – Social event (Probably another LI Ducks Game)
3. Planned Programs for FY20:
  - a. We have not yet scheduled any FY2020 programs
4. Problem areas: Membership, Membership, Membership
5. Success stories: Joint Activities with Metro NY Chapter

- a. Annual Golf Outing. – Now in its 6<sup>th</sup> year this event has grown into an event both chapters look forward to each year & has attracted the attention of the Queens AIA Chapter which is looking to become a partner.
- b. Group Outings to Sporting Events- We've started to gain the attention of chapter members regarding this type of social activity & look to plan more joint social events of this type in FY2020.

**C. Chapter Leadership Roster**

1. Chapter Officers for FY20

- President: Bryan Jesia
- President:Elect Andrew Lawrence
- Immediate Past President: Renee Marcus, RA, LEED AP, CSI, CDT
- Vice President: Ken Gehringer, RA, CSI, CCCA
- Treasurer / Reg. Director: Kenneth Raikowski, CSI, AHC
- Secretary: Nadia Naim, CSI
- Director: Pete Stolfi, AIA, CSI
- Director: Larry Feely, RA, CSI
- Director: Noella Howard, CSI

2. Chapter Committee Chairs for FY20

- Education& Programs – Ken Gehringer, RA, CSI, CCCA
- Membership – Kenneth Raikowski, AHC, CSI
- Academic & Emerging Professional – Renee Marcus, RA, LEED AP, CSI, CDT
- Awards – Renee Marcus, RA, LEED AP, CSI, CDT
- Certification – Vacant
- Technical – Larry Feely, RA, CSI
- Electronic Communication – Ken Gehringer, RA, CSI, CCCA

**Respectfully submitted;**

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