



# MOBILE POST INDUSTRY DAY WORKSHOP

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### OCTOBER 2024

**Informal Networking  
Gathering**

**Las Floriditas  
Cuban-Style Speakeasy**

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Password must be used for entry!**

107 Saint Francis Street, Suite B165  
Mobile, Alabama 36602  
Located in the Basement of the RSA  
Trustmark Building

**Venue Hours - 4:00 PM to 9:00 PM**  
Mobile Post Board Members will  
be in attendance from 5:30 PM to  
7:30 PM

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**Industry Day**

**Battle House Renaissance  
Mobile Hotel & Spa**

26 North Royal Street  
Mobile, Alabama 36602  
Moonlight Ballroom A&B

**8:30 AM to 5:00 PM**  
**5:30 PM to 7:30 PM - Reception**

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**Scholarship  
Golf Tournament**

**Magnolia Grove  
Golf Course**

7001 Magnolia Grove Parkway  
Mobile, Alabama 36618

**7:00 AM - Driving Range Opens**  
**7:30 AM to 8:30 AM - Registration**  
**8:30 AM - Shotgun Start**  
**Lunch and Awards**  
**Following the Tournament**

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**0730 - 0830**     **Registration**

**0830 - 0835**     **Workshop Introduction & Opening Remarks**  
Raleigh Price – Mobile Post Past-President

**0835 - 0845**     **SAME Mobile Post Update**  
Derrick Rogers – Mobile Post President

**0845 - 1030**     **USACE Contracting Opportunities - Mobile, Savannah, Jacksonville, Huntsville, Wilmington, Charleston & Caribbean District**  
COL Jeremy Chapman – Commander, Mobile District  
Tom Woodie – Deputy District Engineer for Programs and Project Management, Savannah District  
Howie Gonzalez – Deputy District Engineer for Programs and Project Management, Jacksonville District  
COL Sebastien Joly – Commander, Huntsville Center District  
COL Brad Morgan – Commander, Wilmington District  
MAJ Patrick Ripton – Acting Commander, Charleston District  
COL Chuck Decker – Commander, Caribbean District

**1030 - 1100**     **Break**

**1100 - 1130**     **Alabama Department of Transportation – I-10 Bridge Project Update**  
Charod Jones – Mobile River Bridge & Task Force,  
Alabama Department of Transportation

**1130 - 1200**     **Alabama State Port Authority – What's going on at the port?**  
Doug Otto, Vice President, Engineering – Alabama State Port Authority

**1200 - 1230**     **Mobile Airport Authority – Update on the move to the Mobile Downtown Airport.**  
Chris Curry – President – Mobile Airport Authority

**1230 - 1400**     **Lunch**  
Keynote Speaker – Mayor Sandy Stimpson, City of Mobile

**1400 - 1420**     **What's new from the Small Business Administration (SBA)?**  
Sara Logsdon, Procurement Center Representative –  
Small Business Administration

**1420 - 1440**     **SAME Student Chapter Update**  
Ryan Raby – Student Chapter Advisor, University of South Alabama

**1440 - 1520**     **Student Recruitment & Engagement Opportunities**  
Apryl Mullins – Assistant Director, Office of Career Development & Corporate Relations, Auburn University  
Derik Wolfe – Director of Academic Advising & Student Services, University of South Alabama

**1520 - 1550**     **Break**

**1550 - 1650**     **Industry / USACE Panel Session – How to Improve Alignment Between USACE and Industry**  
Carl Wade – Chief of Contracting, Mobile District  
Angela O'Connor – Chief of Technical Support Branch, Mobile District  
John Nocera – ARCADIS  
Mike Manning – Thompson Engineering  
Eric Noe – Tetra Tech

**1650 - 1700**     **Closing Remarks & Discussion**  
Derrick Rogers – Mobile Post President

**1730 - 1930**     **Networking Reception**  
Heavy Hors d'oeuvres and Cocktails



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