



# VTCA Winter Meeting

January 12-15, 2012 ♦ Loews Miami Beach Hotel, South Beach, Florida

In February Virginia's elected leadership had the foresight to invest in transportation. VTCA led the fight. While the legislation was a start, those investments are funded by non-sustainable sources. We simply must continue our campaign for dedicated, long-term, sustainable funding.

**"The greatest threat to the state's long-term economic strength is the still-unsolved transportation crisis. The root cause of the crisis has not been addressed -- the fact that sooner, rather than later, maintenance costs for Virginia's highways will leave nothing for any new initiatives." The Lynchburg News & Advance, 10/9/2011.**

On October 5, Virginia Secretary of Transportation Connaughton said "By 2017 we will have no money left in construction." That should stir you to action. I urge you to attend our Winter Meeting in Miami where we will be loading our guns for another fight. We need your input and ideas because as soon as the meeting ends, we will be walking the halls of the General Assembly to educate legislators, and voters, about this crisis. Here's what you'll learn at the Winter Meeting:

- *Federal Gridlock and the Need for Sustainable Funding: A Federal, State and VDOT Update* - Congress is on the verge of a "reauthorization" package. Will it fully fund the federal highway program, or are we looking at a 30% cut in Virginia? Will Governor McDonnell and the General Assembly address the \$450 million maintenance shortfall and save the state's highway construction program? Learn about VTCA's legislative strategy, and find out how you can make a difference.
- *Blood in the Water: The Unions Draw Near* - With support in the White House, unions are flexing their dormant muscles and ramping up their efforts to organize employers. This session will discuss the latest union-friendly laws and how employers can help keep their workplace union-free.
- *Staying Out of Court: Reducing Your Risk of Employee Lawsuits* - Employees are increasingly suing their employers. With every disciplinary action, an employer runs the risk that a lawsuit may follow. Learn the most common reasons why employees sue, how to reduce the risk of lawsuits, and how to avoid liability if you are sued.
- *The New Health Care Laws: Your Business May Never be the Same* - The latest developments in healthcare reform will be presented along with the new compliance requirements you will need to meet. We'll project the anticipated impact of reform on the employer-sponsored market and the unintended consequences. We'll highlight the important strategic considerations for your company to effectively navigate through the uncertainty of reform.

So take a break from the cold and join us in Miami. Work with your industry leadership and your peers to help VTCA make a difference for the future of transportation in Virginia. Jane and I look forward to seeing you in South Beach!

Phil Tarsovich, Slurry Pavers, Inc.  
President - Virginia Transportation Construction Alliance

## VTCA Winter Meeting Program

### Thursday, January 12

8:30 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	Executive Council Meeting
10:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.	Board of Directors Meeting
11:00 a.m.	Registration
1:30 p.m.	Aggregate Producer Leadership Committee Meeting (tentative)
1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Key Biscayne Bicycle Ride (optional)
6:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.	President's Reception

### Friday, January 13

7:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Registration
8:00 a.m. – 9:15 a.m.	President's Breakfast Meeting  <i>"Welcome to Miami!"</i>
9:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.	General Session I  <i>Blood In The Water: The Unions Draw Near</i> <i>Dean Buckius, Esq.</i> <i>Vandeventer Black</i>  <i>The New Health Care Laws: Your Business May Never Be The Same</i> <i>Sean Willoughby-Ray</i> <i>Scott Insurance</i>
12:15 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.	Airboating In The Everglades And The Everglades Safari Park (optional)

12:30 p.m.

Winter Meeting Golf Tournament (optional)  
*The Gold Course at Doral*

1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Key Biscayne Bicycle Ride (optional)

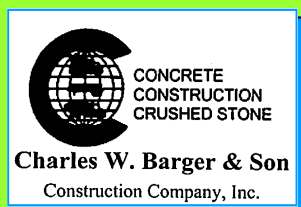
### Saturday, January 14

7:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Registration
8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.	Breakfast Meeting  <i>Hilarious Stand-Up With Mark Robinson</i>
9:15 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.	General Session II  <i>Staying Out Of Court: Reducing Your Risk Of Employee Lawsuits</i> <i>Dean Buckius, Esq. and Pat Genzler, Esq.</i> <i>Vandeventer Black</i>  <i>Federal Gridlock And The Need For Sustainable Funding: A Federal, State And VDOT Update</i> <i>Jeff Southard, VTCA</i>
6:30 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.	"Doing The Deco" Dine And Dance Reception & Hosted Bar Buffet Dinner & Cash Bar

### Sunday, January 15

Morning Devotional  
  
Group Departure

We Thank These Generous Industry Leaders For Their  
Corporate Sponsorship Of The 2012 VTCA Winter Meeting



# Loews Miami Beach Hotel



In the very heart of South Beach, the luxurious Loews Miami Beach Hotel will exceed your every expectation. A larger-than-life stretch of beautiful beach. Vibrant, modern and supremely comfortable accommodations with every creature comfort. An exhilarating atmosphere. Five restaurants and lounges. Fabulous oceanfront swimming pool with dedicated concierge for beach-side water sports. Sunlight, style and spectacular service are waiting for you at Loews!

## The Elemis Spa And Fitness Center

London-based Elemis Spas are world renown. The Elemis Spa in the Loews offers health and beauty indulgences from around the world, with 16 treatment rooms, a 5,000-square-foot fitness center and extensive locker room facilities. One of the best spas in South Beach, Elemis features a steam room and Jacuzzis for both men and women, daily yoga and spinning classes, the rooftop Spa Terrace overlooking the Atlantic Ocean, and a full service nail and hair salon. Learn more by visiting [www.elemisspa.com](http://www.elemisspa.com).



## Reservations And Travel

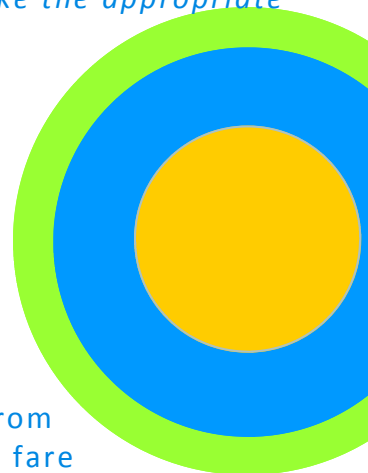
Reservations for your stay are to be made directly with the Loews Miami Beach Hotel by visiting <http://www.loewshotels.com/en/Miami-Beach-Hotel/GroupPages/VTCA-2012>

This web page is dedicated to you, a valued VTCA member and future guest of the Loews. You may also call 1-877-LOEWS-MB (877-563-9762) and let them know you are part of the VTCA Winter Meeting. Our room block consists of Partial Ocean View Luxury Rooms at \$309 per evening + 13% state and local taxes.

Luxury Rooms offer you a choice of one king bed, with cozy seating that transforms into a twin pullout bed, or two double beds with limited balconies available upon request at check-in. Luxury Rooms offer you the best of both worlds - the spectacular vibe of the South Beach skyline together with a partial ocean view. ***Guests wishing to upgrade to a Suite or guaranteed full ocean-front should call the Loews Reservations department at 1-877-563-9762 to make the appropriate arrangements. Cancellations must be made at least 72 hours prior to arrival.***



Loews Miami Beach Hotel  
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Miami Beach, FL 33139  
Phone: 305-604-5729  
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[www.loewshotels.com/miami](http://www.loewshotels.com/miami)



The Miami International Airport ([www.miami-airport.com](http://www.miami-airport.com)) is about 15 miles from the Hotel. Cabs are readily available at the airport. You should anticipate the fare to be approximately \$37 each way.



## South Beach

South Beach, or SoBe, is not just a place, it's an experience! Beautiful weather, beautiful places and beautiful people. When looking for world-class dining, spectacular beaches, the hottest club scene in America, or to just spend a quiet day meandering through chic boutiques and unique shops, look no further. A place where strolling remains the main form of transportation. Where the Atlantic Ocean meets the best shopping on Collins Avenue and Lincoln Road. The American Riviera!

In the 1930s, an architectural revolution came to South Beach with Art Deco. South Beach claims to be the world's largest collection of Streamline Moderne Art Deco architecture. And lucky for us, the 35th annual Art Deco Weekend is while we are in town! Events include hosted walking tours, live music, fashion shows, a parade, a classic car show and street entertainment.

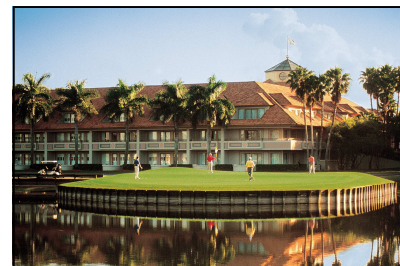


[www.mdpl.org/events/about-adw](http://www.mdpl.org/events/about-adw)



## Golf At Doral (Optional)

In 1959, Doris and Alfred ("Doral") Kaskel began transforming 2,400 acres of swampland to create the Doral Hotel and Country Club. The resort has welcomed celebrities including Joe DiMaggio, Mickey Mantle, Joe Namath, Tiger Woods and Greg Norman, just to name a few. Doral has hosted events such as Florida's first PGA golf tournament. Now it welcomes the VTCA Winter Meeting Golf Tournament! We will play the Gold Course featuring contoured greens, strategic bunkering and water surrounding 16 holes. A dramatic par-4 island green finishes your round!

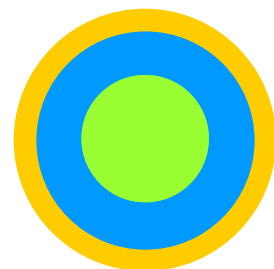


## Key Biscayne Cycle Ride (Optional)



This leisurely 10-mile bicycle jaunt will take us alongside the Atlantic Ocean and across the charming island of Key Biscayne. You'll learn about shipwrecks and the lighthouse that remains Dade County's oldest structure. We will

pedal through lush flora and the remnants of coconut palm plantations. You'll enjoy fascinating views of the odd offshore village of Stiltsville. After passing through the village of Key Biscayne with its mansions and charming bungalows, we'll ride through an antiquated and abandoned zoo that echoes of visitations past. Watch out for the new tenants -- a large variety of waterfowl and iguanas in every imaginable size and color combination roam the grounds. Includes lunch and cold beverages for your enjoyment.



## Airboating in the Everglades Safari Park (Optional)

Get up close and personal with the Everglades. Private airboats will take us on a 45-minute journey through the "River of Grass." Skilled guides will introduce us to our lush surroundings and to the native wildlife of the Everglades Safari Park. You are sure to spot one of the more than 2,000 American Alligators that live in the Park! Following the airboat tour, you'll have time to explore the park, take in the Alligator Show, and stroll the winding Jungle Trail, spotting exotic birds as you reach the elevated observation platform overlooking the park and the Everglades. Includes lunch and cold beverages.

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**REGISTRATION FORM**

**Registrant Information**

Delegate First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ Nickname \_\_\_\_\_  
 Company \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address \_\_\_\_\_  
 City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
 Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Fax \_\_\_\_\_  
 Email \_\_\_\_\_  
 Person Completing Form (if not delegate) and Email \_\_\_\_\_

*For additional guests/children, please attach a separate page with names.*

**Spouse/Guest Registration (Age 18 & Over)**

1. First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ Nickname \_\_\_\_\_  
 2. First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ Nickname \_\_\_\_\_  
 3. First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ Nickname \_\_\_\_\_

**Children Registration (Under 18)**

**Age**

1. First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ Nickname \_\_\_\_\_  
 2. First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ Nickname \_\_\_\_\_  
 3. First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ Nickname \_\_\_\_\_

**Conference Registration Fees**

Early Registration  
prior to 12/1/11

Regular  
Registration

**Amount**

<input type="checkbox"/> Delegate	\$980	\$1030	= \$
<input type="checkbox"/> Spouse/Guest 18 years of age and over	\$580	\$630	= \$
<input type="checkbox"/> Children ages 8 – 17 (under 8 free)	\$250	\$300	= \$

**Optional Golf Registration Fees\*\***

**Golfer  
Name**

**Registration**

**2 Mulligans (Optional,  
to benefit the VTCA  
Scholarship Program)**

**Amount**

<input type="checkbox"/> Golf (My handicap is _____)*Required	\$195	\$15	= \$
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**Optional Event Registration Fees\*\***

**# Registering**

**Regular Registration**

**Amount**

<input type="checkbox"/> Event #1 — Key Biscayne Bicycle Ride (January 12)	\$135	= \$
Event #1 Attendees:		
<input type="checkbox"/> Event #2 — Airboating In The Everglades (January 13)	\$135	= \$
Event #2 Attendees:		
<input type="checkbox"/> Event #3 — Key Biscayne Bicycle Ride (January 13)	\$135	= \$
Event #3 Attendees:		

GRAND TOTAL = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**\*\* IMPORTANT NOTE:** Since guarantees must be provided to our activity partners, refunds for optional events cannot be made after December 6, 2011. However, registrations for these events are transferable to another person.

**For Payment, Please See Reverse**

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**REGISTRATION PAYMENT FORM**

Please complete the form below for payment for your 2012 Winter Meeting registration.

**Online registration is now available via [www.vtca.org](http://www.vtca.org). Click on VTCA Calendar.**

*Need to pay for multiple registrations with the same credit card? Simply fill out one credit card form and use the total for all registrations on the "Amount to be Charged" line then fax or mail all forms together.*

**PAYMENT OPTIONS** *(Check one of the following.)*

- ☐ Check made payable to VTCA is enclosed or will follow in the mail. For accounting purposes, please note **VTCA Winter Meeting** on your check.
- ☐ Credit Card *(Fill out the information below to authorize VTCA to charge your credit card.)*

Circle type of card:      American Express      Visa      MasterCard      Discover

Credit Card # \_\_\_\_\_

Expiration Date \_\_\_\_\_ Amount to be Charged \_\_\_\_\_

Name on Card \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
*(Credit card billing address and zip code if different from registration address on reverse.)*

**Return registration form:**

- **Mail:** Stephanie Rusnak, VTCA, 620 Moorefield Park Drive, Suite 120, Richmond, VA 23236
- **Fax:** 804-330-3850
- **Email:** [stephanie@vtca.org](mailto:stephanie@vtca.org)
- **Or register online** at [www.vtca.org](http://www.vtca.org)

Questions? Program - Jan Morehead, [jan@vtca.org](mailto:jan@vtca.org), 804-330-3312  
Payment - Stephanie Rusnak, [stephanie@vtca.org](mailto:stephanie@vtca.org), 804-330-3312

**Cancellation Policy**

*All cancellations received before 5:00 p.m. on December 16, 2011, will incur an administrative fee of \$50 per adult. Because of food and beverage guarantees we must make, we cannot offer refunds after December 27, 2011. However, substitutions are welcome!*

**Early Registration Ends Thursday, December 1, 2011**

**Hotel Room Block Guaranteed Until December 19, 2011**