# **NACE ANNUAL STATE REPORT**

State Association Name: \_ \_\_Illinois\_\_\_\_\_For year of \_2021

Number of Counties: \_\_\_\_102\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Number of State Assoc. Members: \_75\_\_

Number NACE Members: \_\_\_102\_\_\_\_\_\_

State Annual Meeting/Conferences held at: No spring meeting/conference held due to COVID-19 restrictions. Fall meeting/conference held in East Peoria, IL

On dates: \_October 6-8, 2021

Notable achievements of State Association and/or Individual members:

1. Richard “Rick” Johnson, Coles County, elected IACE President

2. IACE awarded five $5000 Engineering Scholarships to U of I Students

3. Jeff Blue, Champaign County, currently NACE Secretary/Treasurer

Important Events in which State Association participated during year:

1. NACE event held virtually and NACO event held in person
2. Transportation and Highway Engineers Annual Conference @ University of Illinois held virtually.
3. ARTBA Annual Meeting held in person

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

State Issues:

## National Issues:

1. IACE continues to work with NACE, ARTBA and the Transportation for Illinois Coalition to keep local issues on the front burner during the federal reauthorization discussion.

Ideas/concerns to share with other NACE Members:

Report Submitted by: Tom Klasner

Jersey County Engineer and Illinois State Director

April 15, 2022

Note: Expand written report if desired; please keep oral report at conference to a minimum.

Thanks, NACE Executive Committee