Welcome to the first edition of the Los Angeles—Orange Area Chapter MSA Education News!

The primary purpose of our newsletter is to bring you information about education and training in the Public Works field. As you know, education is the main mission of the MSA chapters, and we hope that our monthly newsletter will help keep you in touch with opportunities for training and advancement.

Several members of our Chapter attended the MSA conference in Sacramento in October. In addition to a dynamic equipment show, there were training sessions for the orange shirts and workshops on safety, supervision, ADA, and NPDES.

As we prepare to host the 2010 MSA Conference in Temecula at the Pechanga Resort, we will be building on the success of the 2009 conference and also adding new educational opportunities that have never been offered before. Transportation to the conference will be available from local yards in Los Angeles, San Bernardino, and Orange; and prices for the conference have been lowered significantly to allow more of you to attend. **Mark you calendars!**