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County Engineer to become FACERS president

June 26, 2017 – Flagler County Engineer Faith Alkhatib will be inducted as president of FACERS June 30 for the upcoming year.

FACERS – Florida Association of County Engineers and Road Superintendents – is a non-profit organization affiliated with both the National Association of County Engineers and the Florida Association of Counties.

“I am really proud of this organization,” said Alkhatib, who currently serves as its vice president. “We do very important work that helps our communities.”

The organization is tasked with the following: to monitor and offer opinions on related local, state and national legislation affecting transportation and public works; to contribute to the development or revision of statewide standard specifications and guideline documents; and, to provide a forum for the exchange of ideas, technical information and best practices to assure every community of the best possible engineering available.

That work includes updating the “Florida Greenbook,” the Florida Department of Transportation’s “manual of uniform minimum standards for design, construction and maintenance.” It provides criteria for public streets, roads, highways, bridges, sidewalks, curbs and curb ramps, crosswalks, bicycle facilities, underpasses, and overpasses used by the public for vehicular and pedestrian travel.

“Flagler County is very proud that our engineer, Ms. Faith Alkhatib, will be president of FACERS,” County Administrator Craig Coffey said. “It is a testament to our staff that they are willing to go above and beyond when they already have very intense schedules. This is just one example of staff’s dedication to Flagler County residents.”

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