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Senator Bob Huff Named ACEC California's Legislator of the Year

SACRAMENTO – Senator Bob Huff (R-Diamond Bar) has been named “Legislator of the Year” by the American Council of Engineering Companies – California (ACEC California). Sen. Huff represents the 29th District covering portions of Los Angeles, Orange and San Bernardino counties. He is also chair of the Senate Republican caucus.

Sen. Huff received the award because of his support for job creating legislation and his support for improvements to the state’s transportation and other vital infrastructure as well as his focus on supporting the growth of California’s small businesses.

“This award is indeed an honor, especially from an organization that is dedicated to protecting the public interest while creating economic growth for our state through private sector job creation,” said Senator Huff. “Good paying jobs are important to the health of every community in California. We can create and retain good jobs in California if we provide the private sector with the tools and incentives they need to thrive and grow.”

“Senator Huff has a keen grasp of the state’s major challenges, especially in the areas of transportation, infrastructure and government streamlining—all of which play a crucial role in our state's overall economic competitiveness. His dedication to job creation throughout the economy, his pragmatic leadership in the Senate and his focus on helping small businesses grow are just some of the reasons that we are very pleased to name Senator Huff ACEC California's *Legislator of the Year for 2011*,” said Paul Meyer, Executive Director.

Senator Huff assumed office in December 2008 after serving four years in the State Assembly. He is a resident of Diamond Bar, Calif.

About ACEC California

ACEC California is a statewide association representing more than 1,000 private consulting engineering and land-surveying firms that average 20 employees each. ACEC California is dedicated to enhancing the consulting engineering and land surveying professions, protecting the general public and promoting the use of the private sector in the growth and development of our state. Our members provide services for all phases of planning, designing and constructing projects. For more information, visit www.acec-ca.org.