

Summary of Priority Tasks for FY 2020

- Task G2.2.1: Based on strong support from the Board of Directors via ratings this winter, develop a **Guide on the Strength Design of Masonry by the end of the fiscal year**.
 - Status on August 14, 2019: Guide started with drafts of several chapters underway.
- Task G2.2.2: **Explore options to develop an Enhanced TMS 402/602** using a Pilot Study of the Strength Design Chapter through the development of a Story Board type product by November 2019 to allow consideration of a full Enhanced TMS 402/602 in the FY 2021 Budget
 - Status on August 14, 2019: Discussions begun and punch list of desired features started.
- Task G3.1.1: Based on strong support from the Board of Directors via ratings this winter, develop and **offer a series of nine 1-hour Special Inspection Webinars during the fall of 2019**.
 - Status on August 14, 2019: Webinars scheduled for September and October, and promotion continuing. Drafts of the 9 webinars nearly complete.
- Task G3.1.2: **Provide at least a one-hour webinar on strength design** coupled to the new manual by the end of the fiscal year.
 - Status on August 14, 2019: Will be scheduled for the Spring based on progress of Strength Design manual.
- Task G3.2.1: **Finalize and offer by the 2019 Annual Meeting Online database of papers published in TMS Journal and Proceedings of the North American Masonry Conferences** where both members and non-members can search by keywords and where members can access individual papers of interest
 - Status on August 14, 2019: Completed! Promotion of this new resource just begun. Will include notices in next e-newsletter and in dues notices.
- Task G4.1.1: Support and **promote Membership Recruitment Contest through March, 2020** while offering prizes noted and thanking those that were responsible for new members joining TMS
 - Status on August 14, 2019: Continues. Samblanet just promoted Membership Recruitment Contest to Masonry Executives at their August meetings. Leader Board to be updated before next e-newsletter.

- Task G4.1.2: **Personally contact all new members within 60 days of their joining TMS**, offering thanks, answering questions, and encouraging them to become involved by suggesting Committees they may be interested in serving on.
 - Status on August 14, 2019: Beginning. Samblanet to send out initial emails in late August with copies to nearby or related Board Members, sources of membership (if any), and perhaps to applicable Committee Chairs.

- Task G4.2.1: **Provide free online recordings of past webinars to TMS renewing members.**
 - Status on August 14, 2019: Completed and will be marketed with Dues Renewal/E-Newsletter.

- Task G4.2.2: As noted in Task G3.2.1, **offer a new Member benefit of access to past published papers in TMS Journal and Proceedings of the North American Masonry Conference** (by contrast, non-members could search paper titles by keywords, but would have to order desired papers from TMS, or become a member to access).
 - Status on August 14, 2019: Completed! Promotion of this new resource just begun. Will include notices in next e-newsletter and in dues notices.

- Task G4.3.1: **Continue future financial projections through at least FY 2023** based on changing sales, income and expenses.
 - Status on August 14, 2019: Just starting, and first draft will be done with completion of the preliminary July 31, 2019 Financials in late August which will then be updated after the finalization of the FY 2019 Financials upon the CPA Review in late September. Preliminary FY 2019 financials show a strong year, and based on that, consideration is underway to reasonably invest portions of savings and reserves (as done previously to try to earn interest while not jeopardizing TMS's investments and having sufficient resources during the investment periods).