

**PROCEEDINGS**  
**BOSTON SOCIETY OF CIVIL ENGINEERS SECTION**  
**AMERICAN SOCIETY OF CIVIL ENGINEERS**

**Meetings Held — Technical Groups**

*Environmental Group*

June 23, 1976. Annual outing. Dinner at Valle's, Andover, Mass.; meeting at Andover Water Filtration Plant. Chairman Taurasi presided. Speaker, Robert E. McQuade, Director of Public Works, Andover. Subject "The Andover Marriage" — the town's filtration plant. Attendance, 21.

*Geotechnical Group*

June 3, 1976. Dinner at Roscoe Building, Harvard; meeting at Pierce Hall, Harvard. Speaker, Dr. Edward J. Cording, Professor of Civil Engineering, University of Illinois. Subject "The Design of Underground Openings in Rock."

Officers of the Group for 1976-1977 were elected as follows: Chairman, William S. Zoino; Vice Chairman, Peter K. Taylor; Clerk, David E. Thompson; Executive Committee, Alton P. Davis, Joseph D. Guertin, and Anthony Barila. Asaf Quazilbash was appointed Chairman of the Geotechnical Forum (sub-group.) Attendance, 45.

*Transportation Group*

May 20, 1976. Dinner meeting at Polcari's Restaurant. Russell Barnes presided in absence of Chairman Miller. Speakers, Robert J. McDonagh, Deputy Chief Engineer, Highway, for Mass. DPW and Kay K. Krekorian, Deputy Chief Engineer, Traffic Operations, Mass. DPW. Subject, "Reconstructing the Southeast Expressway." Attendance, 106.