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America's Engineering Industry Congratulates Senator Harris Looks Forward to a Campaign Focused on Infrastructure

WASHINGTON, D.C. — Linda Bauer Darr, the President and CEO of the American Council of Engineering Companies – the voice of the business of engineering – released the following statement on the selection of Senator Kamala Harris as former Vice President Biden's running mate:

"History was made this week with the selection of Senator Kamala Harris to complete the Democratic ticket for the presidency. America is a rich tapestry of diverse experiences, backgrounds and stories. Senator Harris' candidacy for Vice President will hopefully inspire future leaders from even more diverse backgrounds to enter public service.

Now that the stage is set for the general election, America's engineering industry looks forward to a campaign that focuses on our nation's most urgent needs as we struggle to emerge from the pandemic. Chief among them is the opportunity to rekindle our economic prosperity through significant federal investments in our transportation, energy and critical infrastructure."

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The American Council of Engineering Companies (ACEC) is the business association of the nation's engineering industry. Founded in 1906, ACEC is a national federation of 52 state and regional organizations representing more than 5,600 engineering firms and 600,000+ engineers, surveyors, architects, and other specialists nationwide. ACEC member firms drive the design of America's infrastructure and built environment.