

**BURT & MULLETT STUDENT CHAPTER  
AMERICAN CONGRESS ON SURVEYING AND MAPPING  
Minutes from September 04, 2007**

- 11:00: Meeting called to order.
- Attendance passed around.
- Matt's introduction
  - Next Tuesday's meeting is the orientation meeting
  - Pick up Leica hats in the equipment room
  - Dues are \$15/semester
  - Please buy the class books
  - Thursday, 6:00 is the BM annual picnic at Hemlock Park
  - Friday, 3:00, we are going tubing on the river with Rick Sauve
  - Note that there are no I.O.U.s. this year
- John Boldt of eMi (Engineering Ministries International)
  - Background information on education and work
    - Dual licensure
    - One of three who started BMJ Surveying in Port Huron, MI.
  - Currently works with eMi
    - Description of the organization and people/projects
    - Stress on Christian engineering firm
    - Work is done by volunteers
    - Began 25 yrs. Ago
    - HQ in Colorado Springs with several satellite offices worldwide
  - Favorite Project: Love-A-Child
    - Develop a mission field from start to finish
  - Intern program
    - Usually has high school seniors or graduates
    - Have to raise own money for expenses
    - 3-6 month experiences
    - Interns normally work with CAD
  - Explanation of working with the missionaries
    - Food, living, etc.
    - The job process, time frames, etc.
  - Reason he does this is to change lives, both in the people they help and mostly in the volunteers who go
  - Other projects of interest
    - Parcel surveys in third-world countries
    - Engineering problems
    - Disaster control
  - Explanation of how to get involved
  - Spoke about Burt and his family relation to Burt
  - Question and Answer time
- 11:45: End of meeting.