



**Front row**, from left to right: Bob Dahn, Joe Dolan, John Chagnon, Rollie Self, John Fenn, Jan Folkens, Bob Church.

**Back row**, from left to right: Wayne Hebert, Laurence Socci, Rita Lumos, Lloyd Tolbert, Rich Barr, Pat Beehler, Debra Anderson, Curt Sumner, John Matonich, Craig Palmer.

**Also in attendance** but not shown here were Melissa Beard, Robert Young, Bill Coleman, Frank Ledford, George Strothers, Bob Banzhoff, Tim Quinn, Bill Glassey, Jim Main, Jon Warren, Ilse Genovese, and Lynn Savory

**T**hree years into its existence, the ACSM Lobby Day has become one of the most visible ACSM activities organized at the Nation's Capitol and an increasingly important function of ACSM's Government Affairs Committee. Supported over the years largely by members of the National Society of Professional Surveyors, the ACSM Lobby Day is an event that brings attention to issues and concerns of all the ACSM member organizations. Participation in the 2006 Lobby Day was good, drawing members from every region of the U.S. They visited with high-ranking staff of Senators and House Representatives, discussing a number of issues, including:

- National Surveyors Week Resolution
- Funding for NSPS' Trig-Star Program
- Association Health Care—Small Business Health Plan Legislation
- Three-percent withholding of payments on government contracts

Altogether, 60 meetings were held, in some cases with members of the House of Representatives and Senators. The primary objective of the marathon meetings in the House was to sign up 50 co-sponsors of H.Res. 518, so that the resolution could go to the floor for a vote.

The Lobby Day typically precedes the fall business meeting of ACSM.  
You can also be your profession's voice.

See you in Washington, D.C., at the 2007 Lobby Day on September 27!

# LOBBY DAY 2006



Best Wishes,

*Key Bailey Hutchinson*

**Texans** Robert Young and Lynn Savory with their Senator, Key Bailey Hutchinson. Curt Sumner [first right], Robert Young, Bill Coleman, and Ilse Genovese additionally met with Senator Hutchinson's staff to seek support for railway monumentation and funding for Trig-Star, among other issues.

National Surveyors Week  
Dates, 2007-2021

2007	March 18-24	2015	March 15-21
2008	March 16-22	2016	March 20-26
2009	March 15-21	2017	March 19-25
2010	March 21-27	2018	March 18-24
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2012	March 18-24	2020	March 15-21
2013	March 17-23	2021	March 21-27
2014	March 16-22		