Industry contribution





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Time to \$Tn-vest

The trillion-dollar infrastructure challenge has opportunity written all over it. As an industry, we have an amazing opportunity to shift the dial on sustainability by directing the investment towards more sustainable infrastructure solutions.

For infrastructure owners, the opportunity is to think about the legacy you want to leave from this infrastructure boom. The speed of investment and economic recovery necessary will provide a temptation to simply do things how we've always done them. But engineers are entrepreneurs, problem solvers and inventors. All we require is sufficient time, latitude and the right policy framework and solutions can be redefined, new options can be identified which take us towards a more sustainable, net zero future.

For the engineering industry, we need to rise to the challenge. We need to dream, we need to believe, we need to push to make our voices heard and be creative with solutions that drive a better future. It's all within our hands, and we need to grasp the opportunity for the sake of future generations.

This *State of the World* report outlines the challenge. The FIDIC Sustainable Development Committee looks forward to working with our member associations to address this challenge and support the change that is needed.