I think it is hard to feel prepared for this section. I felt as prepared as I possibly could going in & I am not sure that studying any more resources would have made me any more prepared. You never know what content is going to be covered so you have to study as many resources as possible - which was my approach.

These notes are compiled from the following resources which I used in preparation:

- AHPP - current edition
- Delivery Methods Primer by the AIA
- V3.1 PD Flashcards
- AIA Code of Ethics
- Ballast
- Historic Preservation Standards
- AIA Contracts
- Various History Resources
- ALS Predesign 1 & 2 study guides
- Every MC practice quiz / test I could get my hands on (this helped a lot for me to realize weak areas)
- Architectural Graphic Standards
- some limited internet resources

I have attached a couple of additional resources I mentioned. I think it is also important how much practical experience one has in preparing for this test, as well as what other sections have been taken previously.

I have pretty extensive experience (10+ years) prepare fees, negotiate contracts, etc. I started testing under V3.1 and my plan was to take PD last. The V4.0 transition occurred and I am left taking PPP & SPD in V4.0. I took PPP on 12-7 and am taking SPD on 12-23. I would probably reverse those but due to my schedule I took it the way I did b/c it allowed me to have more time to prepare for PPP which I felt I needed to cover the broad list of resources.

I posted my same notes from my prep for V3.1 BT which should be helpful to the various V4.0 sections. When I complete SPD I will also post those study notes in that area.

When I find out if I passed or not I will post that info in this thread - might be important for those of you using my notes as part of your preparation.

Good Luck to all!