TBPLS Investigator Garey Gilley Retires after 12 Years

Garey Gilley, RPLS #1767, LSLS, was honored Friday by the Texas Board of Professional Land Surveying for his service as the board’s Investigator.

Gilley held the title of Investigator from 2002-2014. He also served as a Board Member on TBPLS from 1981-1986.

A resolution honoring Gilley was read at Friday’s meeting, on behalf of the members and staff of TBPLS, as well as the citizens of Texas.

It noted that Gilley first explored a career in agricultural education but instead chose to “follow the path of professional land surveying.” He earned his Texas surveying license in 1973.

(Information courtesy of TBPLS Executive Director Tony Estrada.)

Chapters Embrace New TSPS Public Awareness Campaign

PR Campaign: Since the last board meeting, the Public Awareness Campaign was launched during National Surveyor’s Week. The campaign created a lot of enthusiasm that we hope to continue throughout the year. Here are the statistics to date:

- There have been 355 views of the first :15 commercial and 220 views of the second :15 commercial. TSPS had 330 likes on its FaceBook page and gained 20 new followers on Twitter. The FindATexasSurveyor.com landing page has been viewed by more than 415 people.
- The commercial started running on the FOX channel in Austin (Capital Area Chapter 13) on March 17th and will continue through the week of June 9th.
- Brazos Valley Chapter 20 ran the commercial on KBTX in Bryan/College Station over the March 21st weekend during the NCAA playoffs.
- East Texas Chapter 4 will run the commercial on the NBC and Fox affiliates in Tyler for a duration of 12 weeks. They placed the full page print ad in the Sunday edition of the Tyler Morning Telegraph on March 16th.

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Courthouse Research Specialist, Inc. is Newest TSPS Affinity Partner

Courthouse Research Specialist, Inc. (Richard Ortiz) is the newest TSPS Affinity Partner! Your online patronage of TSPS Affinity Partners brings added revenue to your professional society.

The CRS link allows members to request and order research that will generate a 1% donation to TSPS. The request form on the CRS website is not only setup to donate 1% at the State level but surveyors can also have the option to add their local TSPS chapter number, which will also generate a 1% donation to that chapter.

Help TSPS advance the interests of surveyors and the public by making your purchases of courthouse documents and records through the TSPS Affinity Partners here.

Former TSPS President Pat Smith Leads NSPS

FREDERICK, MD - Pat Smith, RPLS #4280, from Austin, Texas takes the reins of the National Society of Professional Surveyors (NSPS) as its President for 2014. He had been elected President-Elect in 2013.

Smith has been an RPLS since 1984. He was the owner of Interstate Surveying, Inc. from 1989-2006 when he joined Stanley Consultants, Inc. as Technical Chief of Surveys. Since 2011, Smith has been with Surveying and Mapping, LLC (SAM), as an Associate and part of their Senior Management Team.

A longtime member of the Texas Society of Professional Surveyors (TSPS), he served as President (2000), Governmental Affairs Chair (2001-2011), was named TSPS Surveyor of the Year in 2001, and received TSPS Presidential Citations in 2001 and 2008.

Also elected were: President-Elect, Jon Warren, PLS from Bellevue, Washington; and Vice President, J. Anthony "Tony" Cavell, PLS, CFedS, from Baton Rouge, Louisiana.

NSPS has a membership of more than 10,000 surveyors in the US and is open to all professional surveyors and persons trained, certified, or involved in the profession of surveying and mapping.

For more information please visit www.nsps.us.com.

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Trimble Navigation
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Public Awareness

They are also placing the print ad in the Homes and Land Digest that distributes throughout East Texas for a 3-month period starting on May 2nd.

- Gulf Coast Chapter 9 placed the print ad in the Houston Community Newspapers.
- Panhandle Chapter 16 bought (11) 30 second slots -- 22 total 15 second commercials on KFDA News Channel 10 in Amarillo. The average price was $27.50 for a total cost of $550 and were fortunate enough to have one commercial fall into a $200 window --7 p.m. Tuesday night at no extra charge. In total, the commercial ran 32 times -- the balance of which were free Public Service Announcement. Furthermore, KFDA has agreed to run the same PSA rotator (approx. 2 commercials per day) for free for the month of April.
- Central East Texas Chapter 8 is running the half-page print ad (4-column) in both the Lufkin and Nacogdoches papers on Sunday, April 27.

(By DJ Kyle, TSPS Executive Director)

Public Awareness Campaign Materials

TSPS has launched its public awareness campaign statewide, but local chapters can harness these creative tools within their own markets to educate and encourage their local populations about the importance of land surveys.

These print, web and television pieces are available for use by the chapters, allowing a targeted, less-expensive means of marketing. Just contact the TSPS office for copies of the PR materials and for more information.

(Note: Print ad at immediate right and web banner ads on perimeter of this page have been reduced in size. Web banners are also animated and click-through. Visit www.tsps.org see an example.)
TSPS Lobbyist Mark Hanna Submits Comments to Railroad Commission


Under current rules, Chapter 18 does not apply to the movement of earth by hand digging using non-mechanized tools or equipment that does not exceed a depth of 16 inches, according to the letter from Hanna. However, the draft proposed amendments will decrease this depth from 16 inches to 12 inches. TSPS has requested the Commission delete this revision from the draft proposed rules and instead leave the current 16 inches exemption in Chapter 18.

You can read the full statement here from Hanna to David Ferguson of the Pipeline Safety Division/Damage Prevention Section of the RRC.

TSPS Chapter 19 Creates Scholarship Opportunities

TSPS Rio Grande Valley Chapter 19 will offer scholarships for surveying students in the Rio Grande Valley. An applicant must be a resident of Hidalgo, Cameron, Willacy or Starr counties, or their place of employment must be an engineering/surveying firm in one of those counties.

To be classified as a current student, an applicant must be enrolled or accepted for enrollment in a College or University Surveying Program or surveying-related course of study, according to the chapter's Scholarship Information sheet.

Please look over the following documents for more information and application forms for the Chapter 19 scholarships:

- Chapter 19 Scholarship Information & Instructions
- Chapter 19 Scholarship Application
- Chapter 19 Recurring Scholarship Application

SkillsUSA Students Speak Highly of Land Surveying

By Jamie Gillis
TSPS Public Relations Chairman/Chapter 2 President

A recent TSPS North Central Texas Chapter 2 meeting had five distinguished guests in attendance.

The SkillsUSA Surveying instructor from the Ben Barber Technical Academy in Mansfield, Mr. Gene Schramme, thanked TSPS and Chapter 2 for its help and support and described how he was introduced to land surveying. He also explained how he is now integrating it into his curriculum.

Mr. Schramme has been working with Chapter 2 members and now has a one-week surveying curriculum created for implementation in the coming school year. Also, students on hand recounted how they became interested in surveying and advised the chapter on ways TSPS can reach out to other students and make them aware of land surveying as a career option.

These students were extremely passionate, and there was a great question and answer period between our chapter members and our guests, with both groups gaining some valuable insight. I think it’s safe to say all of the members in attendance left the meeting with a renewed enthusiasm and feeling inspired about the great relationship between TSPS and SkillsUSA, which only seems to be getting stronger.
SurPAC Donation Form

Please make personal (NOT company) checks payable to SurPAC and mail with this form to:

SurPAC
2525 Wallingwood Drive Ste 300
Austin, TX 78746

Please print out this form and fill-in all the information below:

Name: _____________________________________________________________
Address: ___________________________________________________________________
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___________________________________________________________________
Company/Employer: __________________________________________________
Phone Number: ______________________________________________________
Amount Enclosed: $________________
(Send $65 or more, and TSPS will mail you a SurPAC mug.)

***THANK YOU***

For more information about SurPAC and its important mission, please visit:

SurPAC Information
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Irving, TX 75062

Steven Estes, RPLS #5631
Jacobs Egleton
48 E. Village Knoll Circle
The Woodlands, TX 77381

Shaun Peipkorn, RPLS #6432
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SUPPORT EDUCATION!
The Ray Wisdom BBQ & Auction
Benefiting TSFI scholarships for Texas land surveying students
Saturday, May 3rd in San Marcos
Immediately following the TPS board meeting.

Rio Vista Park, Pavilion A, 555 Cheatham Street,
San Marcos, TX (enter park using railroad track entrance - not by the pool - to find Pavilion A)

You'll find great auction deals ... while helping grow the TSFI scholarship fund! Don't miss the chance to bid on a new “in the box Browning X-Bolt Medallion 25-06 rifle ... with a checkered walnut stock, engraved steel receiver with a blued finished for beauty and durability.” This is a very nice bolt-action rifle with an MSRP of $1,040.

Or bid on historical instruments, collectables, “Skelton’s Boundaries and Adjacent Properties,” the “Wagon o’ Fun,” and maybe Davey’s old hat. Wouldn’t you bid on that?

Chapter and Individual donation items are more than welcome. Bring all items to the auction to lend a hand to the future generation of Texas land surveyors!
See you May 3rd!

Aaron Wildermuth
Crowley Pipeline & Land Surveying
117 W. Archer Street
Jacksboro, TX 76458

David Horsburgh
Baird, Hampton & Brown, Inc.
10960 Silver Horn Drive
Fort Worth, TX 76108

Paula Koehn
Route 66 Surveying, Inc.
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Tulsa, OK 74105

Ronald Grumbles
DRJ Surveying, LLC
1501 County Road 482
Thrall, TX 76578
**Coming Events**

### APRIL

**April 26**

**Fundamentals of Surveying - SIT Prep Course**  
Instructor: Dr. Gary Jeffress, RPLS

The TSPS Student Chapter at Texas A&M - Corpus Christi will hold an SIT Prep Course - Fundamentals of Surveying - from 8 a.m.-5 p.m. on Saturday, April 26 at the Conrad Blucher Institute at TAMU-CC.

**Cost - $150**

Conrad Blucher Institute for Surveying and Science  
6300 Ocean Drive  
Corpus Christi, TX 78412

[For more course and registration information, click here.](#)

### MAY

**May 3**

**Second Quarterly Board Meeting & Ray Wisdom Auction Benefitting TSFI**

Second Quarterly Board Meeting  
**Embassy Suites San Marcos Hotel**  
1001 E. McCarty Lane  
San Marcos, Texas, 78666  
Phone: 512-392-6450  
**Room Rate: $139 s/d**

Ray Wisdom Auction benefiting TSFI follows the board meeting at:  
**Rio Vista Park, Pavilion A**  
555 Cheatham Street  
San Marcos, TX 78666

Don't forget to bring your Auction items for donation, and bid on your favorite items during the event. All proceeds benefit TSFI scholarships for land surveying students in Texas!

### JULY

**July 25-26**

**Golf & CEUs - Ruidoso, New Mexico**  
The Llano Estacado Chapter of NMPS and TSPS Permian Basin Chapter 10 present **Golf & CEUs** in Ruidoso, NM July 25-26, 2014.

**Annual Golf Tournament** is Friday, July 25 at Cree Meadows Golf Course in Ruidoso. (1 p.m. start)

**Land Surveying Ethics and Rules Applied to Satellite Surveying Technology** seminar is Saturday, July 26.  
**8 CEUs**  
Instructor is James B. Gillis, NSLA, CLS, RPLS.

Seminar location is the **Inn of the Mountain Gods Resort & Casino** in Mescalero, New Mexico.  
**Inn of the Mountain Gods Resort & Casino**  
287 Carrizo Canyon Road  
88340 Mescalero, NM  
Phone: 800-545-9011

Room block reserved until June 27 at 3 p.m.  
**$159.99 per night.** (Mention NMPSA when reserving your room. Call 800-545-9011 for room reservations.)

For a seminar registration form, with course and golf tournament information, click **GOLF & CEUs REGISTRATION FORM.**

### AUGUST

**August 1-2**

**Annual Strategic Planning & Third Quarterly Board Meeting**  
Strategic Planning Session on Friday, August 1, with Board of Directors meeting Saturday, August 2 from 1:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m.

**Omni Fort Worth Hotel**  
1300 Houston Street  
Fort Worth, Texas 76102  
817-535-6664  
**Room Rate: $139 S/D**

### SEPTEMBER

**September 5-6**

**El Paso Seminar**  
Friday, September 5 from 1:00-5:00 PM  
Saturday, September 6 from 8:00-5:00 PM

Jeff Lucas will be teaching both days at the annual El Paso Seminar.  
**12 CEUs**

Location/Accommodations and Registration TBD
PARTY CHIEF - INSTRUMENTMAN - DRAFTSMAN

Crossway Surveying, Inc. is a surveying business based in Fort Worth, Texas that performs oil and gas, topographic, and boundary surveying and mapping.

We are currently hiring the following personnel:

**Party Chief**
Qualified candidate will have a minimum of one year's experience in pipeline surveying. The candidate must be proficient with Trimble GPS and data collectors, conventional total stations, and magnetic pipeline location equipment, as well as safe work procedures. Travel is required.

**Instrument Man**
Qualified candidate will have a minimum of 1 year experience using GPS and be proficient using conventional total stations and data collectors. Oil and gas experience and travel is required. There will be an opportunity to work into a party chief position.

**Draftsman**
Talented Draftsman with Oil and Gas experience, Bachelor Degree preferred and will need to be familiar with AutoCAD and Carlson. Responsibilities will be deed plots, easement plats, well plats and alignments.

Inquiries will be kept confidential. We appreciate all submittals; however, only those chosen for an interview will be contacted. Please apply online at www.crossway-si.com/careers

MULTIPLE POSITIONS - Austin, Dallas & Houston

Jacobs, with 2013 revenues of nearly $12 billion, is one of the world's largest and most diverse providers of technical, professional, and construction services. Building strong, long-term relationships with our clients is the key to our success as a company which has us growing and adding to our survey staff.

The positions below are open at this time and additional information can be found at www.jacobs.com.

- Austin: Party Chief, IRC290273
- Dallas: Instrument Man, IRC290611
- Dallas: Survey Technician, IRC289344
- Houston: Survey Technician, IRC288973
- Houston: Project Manager, IRC290443
- Houston: Party Chief, IRC290445

To express interest in these roles, send your resume to recruiters@jacobs.com.

Jacobs values diversity and is an affirmative action, equal opportunity, M/F/Vet/Disability employer.

INSTRUMENT OPERATORS - RODMEN

JBI Partners, Inc., an Addison, Texas civil engineering and surveying firm, has immediate full-time openings for experienced construction/topo survey Instrument Operators and entry level Rodmen. Valid driver’s license, reliable transportation, and drug screening required. Competitive pay and benefits including vacation, holiday, insurance and 401k plan.

All work local – no travel required. Apply to careers@jbipartners.com

SURVEYOR - Waco, Texas

**POSITION TITLE:** SURVEYOR
**JOB NUMBER:** TR14-09
**LOCATION:** Waco, Texas

**POSITION SUMMARY:** Position is responsible for managing, supervising and coordinating the survey efforts at Brazos Electric Power Cooperative. The position is specifically responsible for surveying of transmission lines, substations and other property and easement acquisitions for Brazos. Responsibilities include the collection and processing of field data for land transactions.

**EDUCATION & EXPERIENCE REQUIREMENTS:** This position requires a minimum of a two (2) year degree in computer aided drafting and design. A four (4) year Geomatics degree may be partially substituted for experience. A minimum of three (3) years of experience in boundary reconstruction and route surveying. Minimum two (2) years as field crew chief. Must either possess or be able to become a Texas Registered Professional Land Surveyor (RPLS) within 2 years of employment. Survey experience in Utility Industry is desirable.

**PHYSICAL AND ENVIRONMENTAL REQUIREMENTS:** Requires working inside in a controlled environment approximately 40% of time; and outdoors approximately 60% of their time. Requires lifting, pushing pulling or carrying of weights equal to 49 pounds or less. Requires walking and/or standing, kneeling, crawling, stooping, bending or twisting for extended periods of time. Requires sitting for extended periods of time while riding in a motor vehicle. Requires wearing personal safety equipment. Requires manual and detailed hand work using both hands. Requires dealing with irate landowners, solving problems and meeting deadlines on a daily basis. Requires working overtime and traveling at times with short notice. Requires hearing within normal range, hearing aids are permitted. Requires vision within normal range, corrective lens are permitted.

Brazos Electric provides competitive pay and excellent benefits including 401(k) plan and group insurance benefits. The job description listed is not intended to describe fully the position’s requirements or essential functions, which are subject to change.

Brazos Electric Power Cooperative, Inc. –EEO/AA-M/F/disability/protected veteran status/Genetic Data

See CLASSIFIEDS, Page 9
SURVEY CREW CHIEF - INSTRUMENT PERSON

Small surveying company just outside of Austin needs:

Crew Chief – must have at least 2 years experience as crew chief and be proficient in the use of Trimble GPS and Robotic Total Station. Must be conscientious and attentive to detail, and willing to follow instructions.

Instrument Person – must be proficient in the use of Trimble GPS and Trimble or Topcon Total Station.

Email resume to smstaudt@austin.rr.com

MULTIPLE POSITIONS AVAILABLE - Corpus Christi, Texas

Urban Engineering, a Corpus Christi based firm, is seeking experienced land surveyors at all positions; for projects in Corpus Christi and surrounding areas.

Projects include Boundary, Topographic, and Construction Staking. Some travel and weekends may be required.

Urban Engineering offers a competitive compensation package and benefits including Medical/Dental/Vision/Life/401K and paid time off.

All offers of employment are contingent upon the prospective employee passing a background/drug screen, which will include the candidates driving record.

Please send all resumes and correspondence to jolenep@urbaneng.com.

MULTIPLE POSITIONS AVAILABLE

Unintech is a consulting and design firm specializing in structural, civil and surveying. Unintech is an equal opportunity employer with multiple positions available.

Survey CAD Technician. Experience in ALTA surveys, TOPO, TxDOT & Municipal projects AutoCAD 12, Leica Office, and Microstation. Multiworks, MicroSurvey, Cyclone and Infinity are a plus.

Survey Party Chief. 5 years’ experience with TxDOT and Leica experience. Clean driving record and ability to travel.

Survey Rodman. Must have a clean driving record and ability to travel.

Project Manager-RPLS. Proficient in boundary, construction layout, ALTA’s and TxDOT. Must have a working knowledge of AutoCAD 12, Microstation a plus. Austin and/or San Antonio office. Leica Office/Infinity and knowledge of the Leica scanning systems is a plus.

Structural CAD Tech. Position will be detailing or checking of precast structures: producing precast erection sheets, detail, and fabrication sheets from set of documents.

Civil CAD Tech. Minimum 1 year experience in land development and residential design in Civil 3D. Must have experience in grading with corridors. Microstation a plus.

Structural EIT. Minimum 2 years’ experience. Precast or steel design experience preferred. Must have experience with computer structural analysis and design programs. Position will be designing and detailing support of precast structures in AutoCAD.

Fax resumes to 210-641-8279 or email resumes to employment@unintech.com

SIT or Party Chief/Instrument Operator

Garland firm fosters integrity and professional growth. Excellent salary, benefits and work environment. Great career opportunity.

GPS and Robotic proficiency required for independent field work. AutoCAD/Survey Technician experience beneficial for periodic office work. Will mentor SIT for Licensing.

Email resume to info@gra-ce.net or fax to 972-864-2334.

GROWING DALLAS FIRM SEEKS MULTIPLE EXPERIENCED STAFF

Lina T. Ramey & Associates, Inc. (LTRA) is a professional consulting engineering and surveying firm based in Dallas that delivers services throughout Texas and Louisiana. The firm provides professional services for a wide range of projects with an emphasis on transportation engineering, surveying, roadways, freeways, light rail, subsurface utility engineering, water and wastewater design, and construction management. LTRA offers a competitive compensation package and benefits, and provides employees with the opportunity to develop professionally. LTRA is an equal opportunity employer.

Survey Technician

Position Summary: LTRA is currently seeking a Survey Technician to support busy field operations in our established and rapidly growing survey department. This position will assist RPLS on projects, research, field note reduction, legal description writing, DT'M preparation and drafting and provides an excellent opportunity to gain valuable experience on a variety of projects.

Qualifications:
Minimum of 2 years of experience in a similar role
Must have experience with survey data reduction and base mapping for design surveys
Must have boundary survey, plats and right-of-way document preparation experience
Must be CAD Proficient

See CLASSIFIEDS, Page 10
Surveyor in Training (SIT)

**Position Summary:** LTRA is currently seeking an SIT to become part of our established and rapidly growing survey department. This position provides an excellent opportunity to gain valuable experience on a variety of projects.

**Qualifications:**
- Must have Party Chief experience
- Must have plat preparation experience
- Must have metes and bounds preparation experience
- Must be CAD proficient
- Must have experience with Trimble Business Center and/or Leica GeoOffice data processing software
- Experience with LiDAR data and Microstation/Geopak preferred
- GIS background is a plus

Registered Professional Land Surveyor (RPLS)

**Position Summary:** LTRA is seeking an RPLS to support our established and rapidly growing survey department. This position will provide an excellent opportunity for valuable project management experience on a variety of survey projects. Candidate must be able to lead the team through projects from start to finish.

Minimum Qualifications:
- Must be proficient in Microstation and Geopak
- Must be CAD proficient
- Desired 2-3 years of experience in a similar role
- Experience with TxDOT right-of-way deliverable is a plus
- GIS background is a plus
- Send resume to hr@ltraengineers.com

Survey AutoCAD Technician needed for San Antonio firm!

San Antonio-based KFW Engineers & Surveying is growing and currently hiring a Survey AutoCAD Technician.

**Requirements:**
- Must have sufficient knowledge of using AutoCAD Land Development desktop, importing and analyzing field data, and creating staking sheets.
- Must have experience in doing deed research to create survey base drawings and working with topographic surfaces.

**Training and Experience:**
- Minimum 5 years’ experience working as a land surveying AutoCAD technician is required.
- Crew chief experience a plus.

Pay range is $13-$25 based on experience. Send cover letter and resume to careers@kfwengineers.com for consideration.

www.kfwengineers.com

PREPARE SURVEY PLATS AND DRAWINGS, LEGAL DESCRIPTIONS AND ALIGNMENT DRAWINGS.

Duties and Responsibilities

- Daily processing of survey data, including evaluating accuracy and sufficiency, and ensuring compliance to applicable regulations and professional and industry standards related to boundary calculations, legal descriptions, etc.
- Perform deed research, deed plotting and map checks.
- Prepare survey plats and drawings, legal descriptions and alignment drawings.
- Provide technical office support (brief & de-brief) to field crews.
- Perform quality control checks of plats and drawings prepared by other technicians.
- Ensure schedules and productivity objectives set by supervisor for preparation of survey plats and drawings are achieved.

Required Experience, Education & Skills

- 2-year or 4-year degree in Surveying, Geography, GIS or related field is required
- Excellent computer and technical skills, including Auto CAD and MS Office Suite.
- Proficient in technical math, including Geometry and Trigonometry
- Strong listening, writing and verbal communication skills
- Solid work ethic and team-player attitude

RCS offers competitive salaries and an excellent benefit package. Send resumes to hr@rcsurveyors.com

Ronald Carroll Surveyors, Inc. is an EEO Employer. If you are interested in applying for employment with RCS, Inc. and need special assistance to apply for a posted position, please contact 254-773-1447 to leave a message or send an e-mail to hr@rcsurveyors.com.

PARTY CHIEF, I-MAN & ROD MAN

Hovis Surveying Company
Hiring for Party Chief, I-Man & Rod Man.
Will train. Health Insurance available.
Contact David @ 281-320-9591 or by email hovis@hovissurveying.com.
FIELD PERSONNEL NEEDED

Well established Surveying Firm in the Northeast Fort Worth area seeking experienced Party Chief and Instrument Person for all types of surveying including primarily boundary, topographic surveying and construction staking.

Experience with Carlson Surv CE data collection and Topcon GPS equipment preferred.

Competitive salaries, retirement benefits and health insurance available.

Please respond by sending resumes to dwm@moaksurveyors.com or faxing to (817) 282-0401

FOR SALE

Small Survey Company being David Lane’s Estate, everything to continue a Survey Company in Hamilton and surrounding Counties, in Texas.
19 years of file cabinets, flat files, computer files, roll maps, older paper aerials, computers etc.
Trimble GPS units being an R8 rover and an R6 base Nikon NPL 362, Levels, etc.
All small hand tools such as metal detectors, etc.
Building is subject for rent in Hico, Texas.
Contact Don King, King Land Surveying, 325-646-3036, kingland@verizon.net

MULTIPLE POSITIONS AVAILABLE

Frontier Surveying Company is actively seeking qualified career minded candidates for positions in Corpus Christi, Fort Worth, and Midland:

- RPLS / Senior Project Manager
- RPLS / Project Manager
- Surveyor In Training (SIT)
- Survey CAD Tech with surveying experience. Pipeline, and ROW experience a plus
- Party Chief, Pipeline experience a plus
- Instrument Man

Requires travel throughout Texas at times. Go to www.frontiersurveying.com to apply.

LAND SURVEYING POSITIONS AVAILABLE FOR IMMEDIATE HIRE

Land Surveying Positions available for immediate hire.

Jeffrey Moon & Associates, Inc; in Conroe, Texas for the past 30 years is seeking highly qualified & motivated professionals for the following positions:

Highly competitive pay, company paid vacations/holidays, health insurance, continuing education, college courses. 4 ½ day work week, No out of town (overnight) stays.

Email resume to: jeff@moonsurveying.com or call 936-756-5266

RPLS / SURVEY TECHNICIANS

Civil Engineering Consultants is seeking qualified people for the following positions in our San Antonio, College Station offices.

Registered Professional Land Surveyor - 2-5 years' experience as an active RPLS working in boundary, topographic, platting, and construction surveying, Oil/Gas a plus. Duties Include but not limited to the following:

- Assist in the preparation of budgets and proposals
- Coordinate and supervise office and field personnel
- Supervise the preparation of drawings and metes & bounds descriptions
- QA/QC of survey work performed
- Active in business development to secure future projects

Proficient with Trimble GPS equipment including TGO & TBC software, ACAD 2014 & 2009, and Carlson Survey, Traverse PC a plus.

Must be able to adapt and perform in a fast-paced environment and possess excellent communication, diplomacy and listening skills; specifically, be accessible and responsive to the needs of clients and associates.

Survey Technicians with a minimum of 2 years of survey experience - Oil/Gas a major plus. Must be able to work in ACAD 2009 & Civil 3D. Knowledge of TGO & TBC, and online research a plus. Must have a valid Texas driver’s license.

CEC offers excellent compensation, benefits and work environment. Email resume to HR@CECTEXAS.com. CEC is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

RPLS - OWNERSHIP OPPORTUNITY

RPLS wanted to operate a small surveying company doing primarily oil/gas surveys in the mid-coast & south TX fields with eventual ownership of the company due to owner retirement soon – company has been in business for 60+ years with a very competent staff & an excellent reputation.

Excellent opportunity for a licensed TX surveyor to own a business & grow with the oil patch

CONTACT Email: conusvet@suddenlink.net

**MULTIPLE POSITIONS AVAILABLE - DALLAS OFFICE**

Founded in 1990, Pacheco Koch Consulting Engineers is a civil engineering, land surveying and landscape architecture firm with offices in Dallas, Fort Worth and Houston. We offer excellent benefits including paid professional fees and dues, paid time off, choice of medical plans, dental, life, voluntary vision, long and short-term disability insurance, 401(k) Retirement Plan, Health Savings Account and Flexible Spending Plans. Competitive salary commensurate with experience. Pacheco Koch is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

**SURVEY PROJECT MANAGER RPLS:**

- Manages and oversees production of a variety of projects including boundary, right-of-way, topographic and title surveys, plats, easements, etc.
- Manages team of support staff which could include Surveyors-in-Training, Technicians and Drafters.
- Performs boundary determinations, legal descriptions and other professional surveying services as needed.
- Coordinates with reviewing authorities, public utility companies, design professionals, etc.
- Communicates with clients for project management, business development and overall client satisfaction.
- Oversees preparation of proposals, invoices and other related business activities.

**Required:**

- Registered Professional Land Surveyor in Texas (or in other state with ability to obtain Texas license).
- Minimum three (3) years of project management experience.
- Proficient with AutoCAD, preferably Civil 3D.
- Knowledge of GPS surveying/processing, preferably Trimble Business Center.

**Not Required but Beneficial:**

- Experience with Microstation and GEOPAK.
- Experience with Carlson Surveying software.
- Experience in the Dallas/Fort Worth Metroplex.

**SURVEY TECHNICIAN:**

- Works under the direction of a Survey Project Manager.
- Performs calculations and prepares CAD drawings and other documents for a variety of projects including boundary, right-of-way, topographic and title surveys, plats, easements, etc.
- Reads and understands various technical documents including deeds, plats, title reports, construction plans, etc.
- Prepares instructions for field staking and coordinates with field crews as needed.

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Required:

- Minimum two (2) years of survey related CAD experience.
- Proficient with AutoCAD, preferably Civil 3D.
- Working knowledge of Microsoft Word and Excel.

Not Required but Beneficial:

- Experience with Microstation and GEOPAK.
- Experience with Carlson Surveying software.
- Field experience in land surveying.

To apply please go to www.pkce.com and click on “Careers,” then “Apply” or send resume to resume@pkce.com.

**SURVEY TECHNICIAN - Fort Worth and Pampa, TX**

Compensation: Competitive salary, bonuses, paid time off and holidays, medical, dental, life.

Land Surveying Firm seeking experienced Survey Technician for immediate FT employment in Fort Worth and Pampa, TX offices.

Must have HS Diploma or GED equivalent; supplemented by 2 yrs. related technical or college training in drafting, Computer-Aided-Design, oil & gas related surveying or closely related field or combination experience. Pipeline experience is a plus. Must successfully pass drug screening. Competitive salary, bonuses, paid time off and holidays, medical, dental, life, short term disability and 401K. Must be self-motivated & able to work in a fast-paced environment.

Send Resumes to fwadmin@topographic.com or fax to 817-744-7554.

**MAN, ARE WE GROWING!**

WTC Inc., a 60+ year established multi-discipline firm, headquartered in Andrews, TX is looking for fun loving, family oriented, hard working, experienced people to fill multiple positions available right now!

We need a couple RPLS, some Crew Chiefs, (RPLS Crew Chief is ideal), some CAD Technicians and a few good crew members to work in West Texas, the South Plains and Southeast New Mexico, doing a wide variety of surveys, we have Oil/Gas/Pipeline, Nuclear, Railroad, Construction, Commercial and Residential surveys to do, and if you’re qualified and interested, we’re looking for you.

We have a great working atmosphere, a low turnover rate, very competitive compensation, employee insurance and a matching simple IRA plan.

Now we will require a pre-employment drug test with random tests, and for some positions we will need to do a background check, but that keeps us all safe and happy.

If any of these positions fit and interest you, please send your resume to greg.shoults@wtcinc.com and we’ll get in touch with qualified applicants and who knows, we might end up working together. Our goal is for this to be the last job you ever want to apply for.

**SURVEY TECHNICIAN or SIT**

Survey Technician or SIT www.kimley-horn.com

**Job Description:**

Kimley-Horn is looking for an experienced Survey Technician or SIT in our north Dallas, TX, office. Responsibilities include:

- Preparation of topographic surveys, subdivision platting, and Alta surveys.
- Work closely with RPLS and engineering staff to ensure proper coordination and project completion.

**Required Skills:**

- 3+ years of relevant experience in land development (commercial, single-family, etc.) and municipal development projects.
- Strong written and verbal communication skills.
- Ability to apply legal and technical understanding for the creation of legal/construction documents/plans.
- Working knowledge of land development desktop, Civil 3D, and Carlson software.
- High school diploma or equivalent.

Send resume to: luke.hurton@kimley-horn.com or apply at www.kimley-horn.com

KHA is an EEO employer: EOE AA/M/F/D/V

**PARTY CHIEF and I-MAN**

Need experienced Party Chief and I-man for Midland/Odessa area. The applicants must be experienced with Trimble GPS operation, Trimble Business Center, boundary retracement, oil & gas, and topographic surveys.

We offer competitive pay, benefits and insurance package. Contact dmckoy@trwalandservices.com

**SURVEY TECHNICIAN**

CRIADO & Associates, Inc. is seeking a Survey Technician for our Dallas office at 4141 Blue Lake Circle, Suite 133, Dallas, TX 75244.

www.criadoassociates.com

Our practice focuses on a range of civil engineering, surveying and subsurface utility engineering services for a variety of projects including surveying and mapping, pipeline routing, earthwork design, road design, and construction documentation. We are a diverse team of experienced professionals providing innovative solutions for our clients. Our projects are located throughout the Dallas-Fort Worth area and beyond.

If any of these positions fit and interest you, please send your resume to luke.burton@kimley-horn.com

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Crossway Surveying, Inc. is a surveying business based in Fort Worth, Texas that performs oil and gas, topographic, and boundary surveying and mapping.

We are currently hiring the following personnel:

**Party Chief**
Qualified candidate will have a minimum of one year’s experience in pipeline surveying. The candidate must be proficient with Trimble GPS and data collectors, conventional total stations, and magnetic pipeline location equipment, as well as safe work procedures. Travel is required.

**Instrument Man**
Qualified candidate will have a minimum of 1 year experience using GPS and be proficient using conventional total stations and data collectors. Oil and gas experience and travel is required. There will be an opportunity to work into a party chief position.

Crossway offers competitive pay, benefits, and bonuses.

Inquiries will be kept confidential. We appreciate all submittals; however, only those chosen for an interview will be contacted. Please apply online at www.crossway-si.com/careers.

**SURVEY TECH or SIT**
North Harris County Firm Looking for Survey Tech or SIT proficient in AutoCAD Civil 3D (2014). Top dollar paid for the right individual. Chance for advancement. Great experience for SIT working under RPLS with 40 years experience.

Send resume to Smithwe@Arborleaf.com. No phone calls, please.

**SURVEY CREW CHIEF**
Farnsworth Group, Inc. is seeking a Survey Crew Chief to join our team in Dallas, TX. Qualified candidates will perform such tasks as boundary, topographic, and pipeline surveys as well as construction layouts; 80% travel required.

Farnsworth Group offers a competitive compensation and benefits package. If interested in learning more please visit our company website, www.f-w.com and click on the career link!

Farnsworth Group, Inc. is proud to be an EEO/AA Employer M/F/D/V.

**TRIMBLE TECHNICAL SUPPORT**
For over 20 years, Martin Instrument has offered surveying solutions to surveyors and contractors. Our customers rely on our expertise, professionalism, integrity, and unmatched customer service. With two Trimble repair facilities and a large rental fleet, Martin Instrument is Trimble’s Premier Dealer.

Martin Instrument is currently in search of a Trimble Technical Support Technician for either our Austin or San Antonio office who can coordinate and field all sales and support calls; handle incoming/outgoing equipment rentals; and, must have advanced knowledge of Trimble Geomatics Office, Trimble Business Center, Trimble Survey Controller, and Trimble Access. Please submit a cover letter and a resume to susan@martininstrument.com. Resumes will not be considered unless accompanied by a cover letter.

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MULTIPLE SURVEY POSITIONS AVAILABLE

Precision Surveyors, Inc. is searching for outstanding candidates in Houston, San Antonio and Austin for the following positions:

- Texas RPLS
- Survey Tech
- SIT or BS in Surveying
- CAD Draftsman
- GIS Technician
- Research Assistant
- Field Crew Chief
- Jr Field Crew Chief

Excellent opportunity for stability and advancement. Competitive Salary and Benefit package. Please send resume to jobs@precisionsurveyors.com

SURVEY TECHNICIAN

Petitt Barraza LLC is currently looking for an experienced land survey technician for a position in Richardson, TX. Responsibilities include the following:

- Record research
- Prepare deed and working sketches
- Prepare metes and bounds descriptions
- Process field data
- Prepare drawings for topographic and boundary surveys
- Prepare preliminary and final plats and easements

Must have strong knowledge of CADD programs and standards including AutoCad (Land Desktop a plus).

Petitt Barraza is one of the region’s most capable firms in the planning and development of special utility districts such as municipal utility districts, fresh water supply districts, water control and improvement districts, public improvement districts and others.

Interested candidates please send resumes to careers@petittbarraza.com.

PARTY CHIEF - McKinney, Texas

Adams Surveying Company LLC, Located in McKinney Texas, is now interviewing for a Party Chief. Must have excellent written and verbal communication skills, operate Trimble Robotic and GPS instruments. Computer experience a must, prefer Strong skills with TerraModel, or Carlson Survey. Construction staking, topographic and Boundary surveying experience a must. Health and Dental Insurance.

Please submit resume padams@adamssurveyingcompany.com or fax to 214-295-9844.

MULTIPLE POSITIONS AVAILABLE

Frank Surveying Co., Inc. with offices in Columbus and Fort Worth, Tx is actively seeking qualified personnel for projects throughout Texas including:

- Field Staff
  - Party Chief
  - Instrument Person
  - Rodman

- Office Staff
  - RPLS/SIT
  - Project Managers
  - CAD Technicians
  - Pipeline Technicians (Blue Sky/Skyline Experience preferred)

OUR PEOPLE work on some of the most high profile and challenging projects around Texas. Working at FSCI provides you the opportunity to team together with a diverse workforce of professionals, many of whom are at the top of their fields. The employees at FSCI truly exemplify how an organization is as great as the people they hire.

Our success depends on attracting the best talent and continuously striving to improve what we do and how we do it. We are dedicated to providing our people with the support they need to do outstanding work. We have a competitive benefits programs and job training programs.

Send resumes to hr@franksurveying.com or fax (979) 732-5271
NO PHONE CALLS OR WALK-INS PLEASE. Applications confidential

LAND SURVEYING POSITIONS - Houston, Texas

EHRA, a well established multi-disciplined firm in the Westchase District offering a broad range of services is in search of qualified candidates for the following positions to perform boundary, topographic surveys, and construction lay-out:

- RPLS (Job Code: RPLS)

EHRA is seeking a Registered Professional Land Surveyor to add to our team in a project manager role. Applicant should have a minimum of 5 years as an active RPLS and have experience in boundary, topographic, platting and construction surveying. AutoCad with Carlson Survey and Leica field instrumentation is a plus.

Duties include but not limited to the following:

- Coordination with clients
- Establish budgets and prepare proposals
- Coordinate and supervise office and field operations
- Post process field work in data collection and GPS formats
- Preparation of reports, metes and bounds and drawings
- QA/QC of survey work performed
- Certify work performed and assumes legal responsibility
- Active in business development to secure future projects

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Survey Technician (Job Code: ST)

Applicant should have a minimum of 4 years experience in land surveying. Responsibilities will include records research, preparing working sketches, processing field data; prepare metes and bounds descriptions and final drawings.

Excellent benefits. Drug Test. Email resumes to: employment@ehrainc.com or fax to: 713-784-4577

CADD/Survey Technician

Garland firm fosters integrity and professional growth. Excellent salary and benefits.

AutoCAD experience required. Will train with engineering and surveying software. Occasional field work.

Email resume to info@gra-ce.net or fax to 972-864-2334.

RPLS - Angleton, Texas

Baker & Lawson, Inc., a civil engineering, consulting and surveying services firm located in Angleton, Texas is seeking a Registered Professional Land Surveyor. Applicant should have a minimum of 5 years as an active RPLS and have experience in boundary, topographic, platting and construction surveying.

Duties include but not limited to the following:

• Coordination with clients
• Establish budgets and prepare proposals
• Coordinate and supervise field operations
• Post process field work in data collection and GPS formats
• Preparation of reports, metes and bounds and drawings
• QA/QC of survey work performed
• Certify work performed and assume legal responsibility
• Active in business development to secure future projects

We offer an excellent compensation and benefits package, including medical/dental, 401K, vacation and sick leave. E-mail resumes to rcrouch@bakerlawson.com or fax to 979-849-4689.

MULTIPLE POSITIONS AVAILABLE

RRC Surveying, LLC has openings in its Hobbs, NM and Midland, Texas offices and offers competitive salary, bonuses, comprehensive medical insurance, 401K. Applicants must be self-motivated, pass background/drug screen and have clean driving record.

RPLS: Ideal applicants must be licensed in New Mexico and will have 3 to 4 years’ experience supervising oil & gas, topographic, boundary and ALTA surveys. Construction staking experience preferred. Working knowledge of Topocon/Trimble GPS survey equipment, Survey Pro and Traverse PC and Carlson Survey preferred. Some travel may be required.

Survey Crew Chief: (Hobbs & Midland Offices) Ideal applicants will have 2 to 3 years’ experience, as a survey crew chief, conducting oil & gas, topographic and boundary surveys. Construction staking experience preferred. Working knowledge of Topocon/Trimble GPS survey equipment and Survey Pro/Trimble Access software preferred. Some travel may be required.

Rodman/Instrument Operators: (Hobbs & Midland Offices) Ideal applicants will have 1 to 3 years’ experience with GPS, total stations and data collectors. Topcon/Trimble experience preferred. Some travel may be required.

Draftsman: (Midland Office) Ideal applicants will have 1 to 3 years’ experience with Autocad drafting oil & gas, topographic, boundary and ALTA surveys. Experience with Traverse PC and Carlson Survey a plus.

Send resume to Surveying-Jobs@RRCcompanies.com or fax to: (512) 251-2518.