

**DISPUTE RESOLUTION BOARD (DRB) MEMBER /
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CEM-6220 (NEW 05/2019)

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DATE 01/16/2025**[-] CURRENT EMPLOYMENT** *Please enter your most recent experience first*

Current Job Title Consultant

Begin Date: 10/1/2023

Employer Name Benjamin C. Hargrove, P.E.

Duties/Projects:

 1 Providing dispute resolution services**[-] ONGOING CONSULTING SERVICES** *Please enter your most recent experience first*

Job Title

Begin Date:

Employer Name

Duties/Projects:

 1**PAST WORK EXPERIENCE** *Please enter your most recent experience first*

Job Title Construction Engineer

Employer Name Mozamo Engineering

From: 05/24/2024 To: 10/31/2024

	Duties/Projects	Begin Date	End Date
1	On a part time task-oriented basis, provide evaluation of stage construction plans and change order cost proposals on Caltrans contract 03-4F6504	05/24/2024	10/31/2024
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Job Title Resident Engineer

Employer Name Psomas

From: 01/09/2023 To: 09/27/2023

	Duties/Projects	Begin Date	End Date
1	Resident Engineer on \$8 million pavement restoration project for the Town of Paradise, CA.	01/09/2023	09/27/2023
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Job Title Construction Engineer (Senior Transportation Engineer)

Employer Name Caltrans North Region Construction

From: 12/01/2019 To: 07/29/2022

	Duties/Projects	Begin Date	End Date

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1	<p>Supervised construction office administering roadway and structures projects in Yuba and Sutter Counties.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Managed staff of up to 25 Assistant Resident Engineers, technicians, materials testers and surveyors. * Managed the office and staff budgets, building maintenance, personnel, training and supervisory issues. * Assured quality of overall work of the unit, reported project status to management monthly, and managed task orders for seasonal consultant staff augmentation. * Participated in and actively promoted partnering efforts for projects, and participated in the DRB process. * Conducted extensive outreach efforts, interview, hiring activities, and training sessions focused on upward mobility and design improvement. <p>Major projects included: 03-0A5704 Browns Valley Roadway Rehab on SR 20 (\$45M) 03-1E0604 Simmerly Slough Bridge on SR 70 (\$41M) 03-2F5904 Smartsville Bridge and Realignment on SR 20 (\$16M) 03-3F5104 Timbuctoo Realignment on SR 20 (\$50M)</p>	12/01/2019	07/29/2022
2	<p>Additional duties included the annually rotating position of Caltrans District 3 Emergency Contract Manager, where I worked with the District 3 Maintenance Engineer and District 3 and Headquarters executive leadership to immediately mobilize construction contractors to repair state roadway facilities damaged by emergency conditions. The process included making initial contact with contractors, orchestrating the selection of appropriate remedial strategies and collaborating with affected functions, drafting and executing verbal and written contract documents, delegating to contract administration team in the field, and monthly monitoring and reporting of the support and capital budget status for all ongoing emergency contracts.</p>	11/01/2020	11/01/2021

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Job Title Project Manager (Senior Transportation Engineer)

Employer Name Caltrans District 3

From: 11/16/2018 To: 11/28/2019

	Duties/Projects	Begin Date	End Date
1	<p>Responsible for ensuring delivery of 20+ projects in the PID, PA/E, PS&E, Construction, and closeout phases within scope, cost, schedule, quality, and prescribed resource limits.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Led project delivery teams and conducted regular team meetings to maintain communication, direction, and focus, and to measure and communicate progress. * Managed construction risk by implementing the risk identification and evaluation process with the team during development team meetings. Managed ongoing support costs to stay within budget as possible, and processed G-12 requests where it was not. * Processed project change requests to keep the Transportation Commission up to date on project scope, schedule, cost, and asset management inventories. * Conducted regular reporting for SB1 requirements and evolving asset management requirements. Reported project status to management monthly. 	11/16/2018	11/28/2019
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Job Title Chief, North Region Construction Contract Engineering (Senior Transportation Engineer)

Employer Name Caltrans North Region Construction

From: 12/04/2017 To: 11/15/2018

	Duties/Projects	Begin Date	End Date
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1	Supervised technical and professional staff supporting construction engineers, resident engineers and other field staff throughout Districts 1, 2, and 3 with timely and accurate processing of key construction contract administration documents such as the Weekly Statement of Working Days, Notice of Start of Contract, and RE Recommendation for Contract Acceptance, among others. * Supervised the CCO Desk Engineer, CPM Engineer, and Constructibility Engineers and laid out work and resolved conflicts collaboratively with them. * Developed and monitored performance metrics, participated in various teams and committees, and developed and prepared directives, memorandums and reports. * Gave several presentations to executive, construction and design staff on construction issues.	12/04/2017	11/15/2018
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Job Title Resident Engineer (Transportation Engineer)

Employer Name Caltrans North Region Construction

From: 08/17/1998 To: 12/01/2017

	Duties/Projects	Begin Date	End Date
1	As Resident Engineer, I administered the contracts below, mostly on time and all on budget. I performed difficult and complex engineering work, planned and directed the activities of a crew of inspectors, testers and surveyors, maintained constant contact with the contractors, and served as a core resource for other projects in the unit. * Responsible for all aspects of contract administration, dispute management, the completeness of all project records, overall compliance with Standard Specifications, Special Provisions, other contract requirements, and Caltrans construction policies and procedures. * Assisted and consulted with other resident engineers and construction engineers to resolve project disputes and potential claims. * Actively participated and promoted partnering program and activities for projects. * Regularly informed and collaboratively worked with all levels of Caltrans management and with stakeholders including project neighbors, local communities, businesses, transportation system operators, regulatory agencies, and recreational groups. * Gave various formal and informal presentations and trainings. * Participated in the DRB process in all of its previous and current forms.	08/17/1998	12/1/2017
2	03-3F7604, Clark Road in Paradise (\$18M) Knife River Construction (Marc Madsen) Informal dispute heard.	01/01/2016	12/31/2017
3	03-0F6904, Flag Canyon Creek Bridge Replacement (\$2.7M) Viking Construction (Troy Clemons)	01/01/2015	12/31/2017
4	03-3E6204, Replace Butte Creek Bridge (\$7.1M) Knife River Construction (Jim Bennett) Gold partnering award achieved for single season construction and use of temporary bridge	01/01/2013	12/31/2015
5	03-4M8304, RHMA-G Overlay (\$1.7M) Knife River Construction (Jim Bennett)	01/01/2014	12/31/2014
6	03-3M5804, RHMA-G Overlay (\$661k) George Reed Construction (David Cox)	01/01/2013	12/31/2013
7	03-4M5504, PME Chip Seal (\$1.5M) Timberworks Construction (Michael Williams)	1/1/2013	12/31/2013
8	03-3A0424, Chico Aux Lane (\$27M) Viking Construction (Bo Peterson)	1/1/2011	4/1/2012
9	03-3A6314, Widening and Signal (\$6.1M) DeSilva Gates Construction (Rich Hufford)	1/1/2009	12/31/2011
10	03-0A7104, HMA Overlay (\$3.7M) Teichert Construction (Scott Lewis)	1/1/2009	12/31/2009
11	03-3822V4, Reconstruct Highways 70, 99, 191, 149 (\$85M) Granite / FCI JV (Roy Iskin, Mike Costa) Assistant RE role responsible for utility relocation, electrical, drainage, signs, striping, and fencing	1/1/2006	12/31/2009
12	03-2M0404, Chip Seal (\$916k) Franklin Construction (Roger Maier)	1/1/2005	12/31/2005
13	03-2M1504, Sidewalk Repair (\$170k) Icenogle Construction Management (Maria Icenogle) Minor contract with unavoidable total cost claim filed after completion.	1/1/2004	1/1/2005

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14	03-1M9504, Chip and Slurry Seal (\$1.2M) Western States Surfacing (Marc Bertsch)	1/1/2003	12/31/2003
15	03-OE4105, Traffic Signal (134k) Clayborn Contracting (Dave Gove) Original contractor terminated for safety violations involving improper use of rock saw. Termination process took approximately one year, Clayborn completed the work for the original contract price.	1/1/2003	12/31/2003
16	03-1M8604, Chip Seal (\$900k) Western States Surfacing (Marc Bertsch)	1/1/2003	12/31/2003
17	03-3A8104, Median Barrier (\$1.6M) Stewart Engineering (Keith Stewart)	1/1/2002	12/31/2003
18	03-3C1604, Chip Seal (\$300k) Graham Contractors (Don Milner)	1/1/2002	12/31/2002
19	03-A07410, Highway Planting (\$80k) Ecology Sprinkler (Dan Shurtleff)	1/1/2002	12/31/2002
20	03-1C3504, OGAC Overlay (\$350k) Vintage Paving (Rob Nickelson)	1/1/2002	12/31/2002
21	03-2C9505, Emergency Culvert (\$85k) Baldwin	1/1/2002	12/31/2002
22	03-1M5204, Chip Seal (\$2M) Franklin Construction (Roger Maier)	1/1/2001	12/31/2001
23	03-1M2604, Chip Seal (\$2M) Western States Surfacing (Marc Bertsch) Claim filed and dispute process followed for this level contract, State prevailed on majority of claims.	1/1/2000	12/31/2000
24	03-352904, Rehabilitate Highway (\$5.7M) Teichert Construction (Mark Parrish) Assistant RE role on the project	1/1/1999	12/1/2000
25	010285, Place Culvert and Ditch (\$25k) Wesson Construction (Karen Wesson)	8/1/1998	12/31/1998

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 Job Title Project Manager, Site Mitigation (Hazardous Substances Engineer)
 Employer Name Cal/EPA Department of Toxic Substances Control
 From: 02/15/1993 To: 08/14/1998

	Duties/Projects	Begin Date	End Date
1	Project Manager for the cleanup of hazardous substance release sites in the San Francisco Bay area. The owner had been placed under court order to clean up the site and my job was to evaluate and OK their efforts based on the requirements of the court order. Responsibilities included: * Scheduling, coordination, technical review and drafting of risk analyses, remedial investigation / feasibility studies, and environmental sampling information * Drafting court orders and legal documents relating to environmental hazards and associated cleanup actions * Meeting regularly with the responsible party and their consultant * Reporting progress of cleanup work, hosting public meetings and other public outreach efforts * Directly managing the project through the CEQA process including the public questions and responses.	02/15/1993	08/14/1998
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LICENSES

	License Title	License Number	Issued By	Issue Date	Expiration Date
1	PE Civil Engineering	C57998	State Board of Registration for Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors	2/20/1998	06/30/2026

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CERTIFICATES

	Certificate Title	Certificate Number	Issued By	Issue Date	Expiration Date
1	DRB/DRA Candidate Pool Training Workshop certificate	n/a	Dispute Resolution Board Foundation	10/5/2023	

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EDUCATION

	Diploma/Degree/Certificate	Course of Study	University/College	Date Completed	Dates Attended (If diploma not awarded)
1	Bachelor of Science	Civil Engineering	California State University Chico	12/31/1991	-

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DRB/DRA TRAINING ATTENDED

	Training Title	Training Provider	Date(s) Attended
1	Caltrans DRB/DRA Candidate Pool Training Workshop	The Dispute Resolution Board Foundation	10/03/2023 - 10/05/2023

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PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

	Title	Organization Name	Your Role/Organization Description	Affiliation Dates
1	Member #5164	DRB Foundation		01/23/2024 - 12/31/2025

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ONGOING ALTERNATIVE DISPUTE RESOLUTION EXPERIENCE *Please enter your experience in chronological order*

	Project Name (Caltrans EA)	Contract \$ Amount	Administrating Agency	Contractor	Start and End (estimated) Dates	Your Role	
						DRB Member	DRB Chair/DRA
- 1	Jack Peters Creek Bridge Widening (01-434844)	\$11,390,269.44	Caltrans	McCullough Construction, Inc.	Mar 2024 - Nov 2025	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
- 2	North Tahoe MMBN (03-3J6404)	\$11,048,513.47	Caltrans	Teichert Energy & Utilities Group, Inc.	Dec 2024 - Jun 2025	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

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COMPLETED ALTERNATIVE DISPUTE RESOLUTION EXPERIENCE

	Project Name (Caltrans EA)	Contract \$ Amount	Agency Administered	Contractor	Start and End Dates	Your Role	
						DRB Member	DRB Chair/DRA
1	I-5 paving from Weed to Yreka (02-3H6504)	\$19,225,565.40	Caltrans	J.F. Shea Construction, Inc.	05/20/2024 - 11/12/2024	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

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CERTIFICATION AND ACKNOWLEDGMENT

- By checking this box, I certify that the information in this form is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief.
- By checking this box, I acknowledge that I will uphold the Dispute Resolution Board Foundation (DRBF) Canons - (1) Disclosure, (2) Conflicts of Interest, (3) Confidentiality, (4) Board Conduct and Communication, and (5) Board Procedures - as described in Section I, "Description of Work," of the DRB or DRA Agreements.
- By checking this box, I understand that either the Department or the Contractor may replace me as described in Section VII, "Replacement of DRB Member," or "Replacement of DRA," including for failure to uphold the DRBF Canons as specifically set forth in Section I, "Description of Work," of the DRB or DRA Agreements, respectively.

SIGNATURE

DATE
 Jan 16, 2025