

**DISPUTE RESOLUTION BOARD (DRB) MEMBER /  
DISPUTE RESOLUTION ADVISOR (DRA) RESUME**

CEM-6220 (NEW 05/2019)

**BRIAN R. SYFTESTAD**

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**DATE** 11/14/2024**CURRENT EMPLOYMENT**     *Please enter your most recent experience first*

Current Job Title

Begin Date:

Employer Name

Duties/Projects:

 1**ONGOING CONSULTING SERVICES**     *Please enter your most recent experience first*

Job Title DRB Member

Begin Date: January 2021

Employer Name

Duties/Projects:

 1 Serve on Dispute Resolution Boards**PAST WORK EXPERIENCE**     *Please enter your most recent experience first*

Job Title Construction Field Coordinator

Employer Name Calif. Dept. of Transportation - Division of Construction

From: 07/01/2008 To: 12/30/2020

	Duties/Projects	Begin Date	End Date
1	Counseled assigned districts on Division of Construction policy		
2	Validated that contracts are administered fairly and in good faith		
3	Advised district construction managers on complex and sensitive issues in construction contracts		
4	Liaison with Caltrans Legal Division on resolution of arbitration cases		
5	Advised on settlement of disputes during construction and during arbitration		
6	Managed the termination of control process on about 20 contracts		
7	Managed the termination of contract process on about 10 contracts		
8	Served on Standard Specification Section 1-9 Committee		
9	District assignments: Districts 1, 2, 3, 4 - 2008 through 2016		
10	Districts 1, 2, 3, 7 - 2017 to mid-2017		
11	Districts 7, 11, 12 - mid-2017 through 2020		

 

Job Title Senior Transportation Engineer - Construction Engineer

Employer Name Calif. Dept. of Transportation - North Region Construction (Districts 1, 2, and 3)

From: 11/01/1997 To: 06/30/2008

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	Duties/Projects	Begin Date	End Date
1	Supervised a staff of 15-20 resident engineers, inspectors, materials testers, and office engineers engaged in construction contract administration for projects in El Dorado County and a portion of Sacramento County		
2	Member of the quality team that updated and revised the Caltrans Construction Manual (1999-2001)		
3	Maintained and revised the construction estimating norms spreadsheet used by North Region Construction for estimating construction support costs		
4	Served as an instructor for the 1998/1999 Resident Engineers Academy		
5	Served on a team that developed the "Time Related Overhead" specification for use in the Toll Bridge retrofit program.		

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Job Title Senior Transportation Engineer - Construction Claim Engineer  
Employer Name Calif. Dept. of Transportation - North Region Construction (Districts 1, 2, and 3)  
From: 05/01/1997 To: 04/30/1998

	Duties/Projects	Begin Date	End Date
1	Research claims and prepare draft determinations for the District Director's Board of Review		
2	Assist field personnel with contract claim issues and CPM schedules		
3	Acting chief of the North Region Construction Office	08/01/1997	10/31/1997

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Job Title Senior Transportation Engineer - HQ Construction Claims Engineer  
Employer Name Calif. Dept. of Transportation - Division of Construction  
From: 01/01/1993 To: 04/30/1997

	Duties/Projects	Begin Date	End Date
1	Research claims and prepare draft determinations for the Chief Engineer's Board of Review		
2	Assist districts with claims issues and CPM schedules		
3	Assist in development of a CPM training class and in training of state personnel in CPM		
4	Assist in development and instruction of the Claims and Disputes portion of the Resident Engineers Academy		

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Job Title Associate Transportation Engineer - Project Engineer  
Employer Name Calif. Dept. of Transportation - District 3 design  
From: 10/01/1990 To: 12/31/1992

	Duties/Projects	Begin Date	End Date
1	Supervised a squad engaged in the design and oversight of major and minor transportation projects.		
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Job Title Assistant Transportation Engineer/Junior Civil Engineer  
Employer Name Calif. Dept. of Transportation - District 3/Headquarters  
From: 02/03/1986 To: 09/30/1990

	Duties/Projects	Begin Date	End Date
1	Various assignments - resident engineer, designer, inspector		

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**LICENSES**

	License Title	License Number	Issued By	Issue Date	Expiration Date
1	Professional Engineer (Civil)	46261	State of California	12/31/2020	12/31/2026

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**CERTIFICATES**

	Certificate Title	Certificate Number	Issued By	Issue Date	Expiration Date
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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	Calif. State University, Sacramento	Jan. 1986	-

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**DRB/DRA TRAINING ATTENDED**

	Training Title	Training Provider	Date(s) Attended
1	Caltrans DRB and DRA Training	Dispute Resolution Board Foundation	10/23/2019 - 10/24/2019

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**PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS**

	Title	Organization Name	Your Role/Organization Description	Affiliation Dates
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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	Butte City Bridge (03-3F0604)	\$70,777,777.47	Caltrans	Golden State Br	03/21/2022 - 10/31/2025	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
- 2	SLO-46 CMGC (05-3307A4)	\$116,000,000.00	Caltrans	Atkinson	03/22/2022 - 01/28/2025	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
- 3	Dr Fine Bridge (01-436404)	\$72,000,000.00	Caltrans	MCM	11/1/2022 - 11/1/2025	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
- 4	SLO-46 Wye (05-3307C4)	\$148,000,000.00	Caltrans	Atkinson	04/03/2023 - 12/01/2025	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
- 5	SB-101 CMGC 4D North (05-0N74U4)	\$48,000,000.00	Caltrans	Granite	06/19/2023 - 06/30/2026	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
- 6	Lower Elkhorn Basin Levee Setback	\$102,000,000.00	Calif DWR	Forgen	07/01/2020 - 09/01/2028	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
- 7	D12 Var Rehab (12-0R5604)	\$37,000,000.00	Caltrans	Security Paving	08/02/2023 - 07/31/2026	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
- 8	D3 Pla-80 Aux Lanes (03-3F23U4)	\$39,800,000.00	Caltrans	Ghilotti Const	09/05/2023 - 02/14/2025	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
- 9	D3 Kingvale (03-1H9904)	\$68,600,000.00	Caltrans	Teichert	05/20/2024 - 10/31/2025	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
- 10	Ora-133 Aux Lane (12-0N8904)	\$21,300,000.00	Caltrans	Security Paving	01/30/2024 - 06/30/2025	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

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<input type="checkbox"/>	11	D3 Monte Vista to Drum (03-3H6104)	\$121,000,000.00	Caltrans	DeSilva Gates	06/03/2024 - 10/30/2026	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	12	D6 Fre-33 Paving (06-0X3004)	\$13,400,000.00	Caltrans	Bay Cities	05/13/2024 - 01/31/2025	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	13	D3 SLT Modify Lighting (03-4H8904)	\$21,000,000.00	Caltrans	St Francis Electric	07/08/2024 - 10/15/2025	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	14	I-10 EB Truck Lane	\$24,000,000.00	SBCTA	SEMA	03/11/2024 - 07/31/2025	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	15	SB-101 CMGC 4D South (05-0N74V4)	\$63,800,000.00	Caltrans	Granite	07/03/2024 - 10/16/2026	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

 **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	Truckee Rehab (03-1H18U4)	\$22,600,000.00	Caltrans	Teichert	03/18/2022 - 09/23/2023	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	Hinge Replacement CMGC (07-325204)	\$16,900,000.00	Caltrans	Flatiron	04/01/2022 - 11/01/2023	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3	Paving (09-370304)	\$15,000,000.00	Caltrans	Hat Creek	05/01/2023 - 08/21/2023	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4	Yub-70 Rehab (03-4F38U4)	\$57,000,000.00	Caltrans	DeSilva Gates	05/05/2022 - 08/23/2023	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5	Sac Fiber Optic (03-0H6704)	\$26,000,000.00	Caltrans	Alfaro	02/01/2024 - 04/02/2024	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6	99 Widening (10-0Q1224)	\$26,000,000.00	Caltrans	Security Paving	08/01/2022 - 08/21/2024	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7	Omega Curve (03-2H62U4)	\$35,400,000.00	Caltrans	Granite	02/28/2022 -	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
8	Widening (08-1C8504)	\$38,800,000.00	Caltrans	Granite	03/01/2021 -	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
9	Calpella Bridge (01-0E0904)	\$33,000,000.00	Caltrans	Myers and Son	08/01/2022 -	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
10	Evergreen Road Br	\$14,000,000.00	Tehama County	JF Shea	06/01/2023 -	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
11	Sis-5 Paving (02-3H6504)	\$19,000,000.00	Caltrans	JF Shea	05/01/2024 -	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
12	Nev-20 CAPM (03-4H0704)	\$20,000,000.00	Caltrans	DeSilva Gates	05/13/2024 -	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
13	D6 Fre-5 Grind and Pave (06-0X2804)	\$13,000,000.00	Caltrans	Granite	05/31/2024 -	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

**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

Nov 14, 2024