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BOARD OF DIRECTORS

August 9, 1995

Comfort Inn - Airport, Latham, NY

● President Magee called the meeting to order at 6:18 P.M.

● Present were:

Brian Magee
Bruce Wells
William Nettleton
William Lucarelli
Jim Allen

Charles Lent
William Schraa
William Shover
Tom Nesbitt

● Secretary's report mailed. Motion by Tom Nesbitt, seconded by Bill Schraa to accept - approved.

● TREASURER'S REPORT: - Presented by Bill Shover and submitted for audit.

● PRESIDENTS REPORT: - Presented by Brian Magee.
(Attached)

● EX. VP's REPORT: - Present by Bruce Wells (see separate attached NYSAPLS BOD comments regarding proposed Standards of Practice)
- Participating in 18th Century Day in Schuylerville on August 13, 1995.

● VP REPORT: - presented by Bill Nettleton next general membership meeting at Phelan's, Rt. 9, Clifton Park (near intersection of Rt. 9/Sitterly Road).

● COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Handbook: Any corrections or additions to handbook should be mailed to or brought to ENYSLS ATTN.: Handbook Committee.

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● **TABLED/OLD BUSINESS:**

Home Show: obtained booth in Main Room for Times Union Home Show.

Eastern New York

Technical Council: Need to keep meeting calendar updated with program subject noted, if possible. Discussed possibility of providing program or speaker at next Engineer's's week.

ENYSLS Golf

Tournament: Probably won't happen this year.

● **NEW BUSINESS:**

Misc.: Warren County now only accepting 22" x 34" maps for filing (filing laws created by State). Also, going to a computer system, but retaining hard copies.

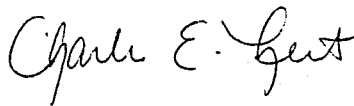
Item Writing: Discussing the possibility of holding an Item Writing Workshop to supplement the bank of questions for the NYS portion of the LS exam.

Standards of Practice:

See separate attached comments of ENYSLS BOD. Motion by Jim Allen, seconded by Tom Nesbitt for Special Early Mailing of proposed Standards of Practice with comments - approved.

Motion to adjourn by Jim Allen, seconded by Tom Nesbitt, approved. Adjournment 10:50 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,



Charles E. Lent, P.L.S.
ENYSLS Secretary



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PRESIDENT'S REPORT

August 9, 1995

The NYSAPLS Board of Directors meeting was held Friday, July 21, 1995 at 1:00 P.M. at the Inn at the Century, Latham, NY. I was unable to attend, Bruce Wells will give a report.

Saturday July 22, 1995 Joanne Crum held a licensing exam question writing forum in Cobelskill. Chuck Lent and Jerry O'Connor attended.

I have prepared a response to Black River Valley regional regarding county highway departments. See attached letters.

NYSAPLS roster of Eastern members now indicates 164 total members, well under the 191 listed by Genesee Valley.

NYSAPLS Finance Committee and Public Relations Committee are looking for representation on the committees from each region. Eastern is not currently represented on either.

Eastern Finance Committee will be putting together proposed budget for next for presentation at next meeting. Committees should contact Chairman Louis Gnip regarding any special financial needs for next year.

Eastern's Nominating Committee will be appointed shortly to begin soliciting for candidates for election to the Board of Directors.

NYSAPLS Golf Tournament September 28, 1995 in Liverpool, NY. Cost is \$85.00 and will include golf, cart, lunch and dinner. Shotgun start. This is an event to raise funds for legislative activities. It is not a PAC fund raiser. Several members of Eastern have signed up to play.

Respectfully submitted:

Brian F. Magee

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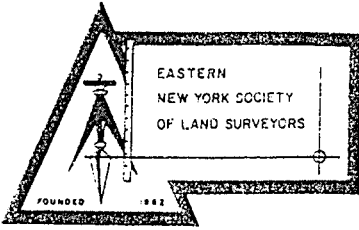
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Re: County Highway Departments

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Dear Daren:

At your request I have made inquiries of all County Highway Departments in Eastern's region and report the following:

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Albany Department of Public Works, 765-2055, a P.E. heads the Engineering Department, some design done in house and some by consultants. No L.S. on staff, appropriations are done by consultant L.S.

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Columbia, 328-7011, has a half-time P.E. on staff. Did have an L.S. on staff but he has retired, however at 85 years old he still signs maps when needed. Department does work for local towns. Depending on town attorney some appropriations are signed by L.S. some not.

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Greene, 392-3031, Has P.E. on staff. Would not answer any other questions over phone. Spoke with Harold Morrill, P.O. Box 485, W. Main Street, Catskill, NY 12414. Sent questions in writing by mail July 10 and have not received response. Possible FOIL request.

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Montgomery Department of Public Works, 853-3814, has neither P.E. or L.S. on staff. Hire consultants for major design only, such as bridge work. Have not made any appropriations in about 10 years, but they would probably do their own now.

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Rensselaer, 283-0973, has P.E. on staff, no L.S. Appropriations and easements are done by consultant L.S.

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Saratoga Department of Public Works, 885-2235, Department head is P.E. Do own design but hire consultants for major projects. No L.S. on staff, hire consultant for appropriations, but have prepared some of their own easements.

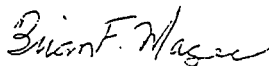
Schenectady Department of Engineering and Public Works, 356-5344, 2 P.E. on staff, no L.S. Do own design but hire consultant for major projects. Hire consultant L.S. for appropriations and major easements but have done small appropriations and easements themselves.

Warren County Department of Public Works, 761-6556, have 2 P.E. on staff no L.S. at this time. Do own design but hire consultants for major projects. Do own appropriations and easements.

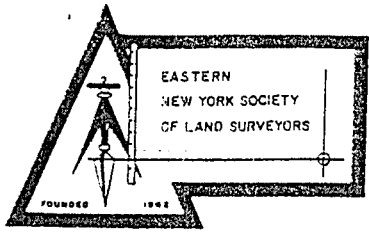
Washington County Department of Public Works, 746-2440, spoke with Mike - a "graduate P.E.", Department head is a P.E. Department does all its own design. No L.S. on staff, they do own appropriations and easements without an L.S. because it is not required by a government agency!!!!!!

If you require any further information please contact me at 473-8533 (daytime) or 885-4955 (evenings).

Sincerely



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Mr. Harold Morrill
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Dear Mr. Morrill:

I am writing as you requested several weeks ago when we spoke on the telephone, on behalf of the New York State Association of Professional Land Surveyors. The Association is polling County Highway Departments regarding their staffing of Licensed Engineers and Land Surveyors.

Does the Greene County Highway Department have a Licensed Professional Engineer on staff? No. Professional Land Surveyor with an "N" Exemption under Section 7208

Does the Department have a Licensed Professional Land Surveyor on staff? Yes. Two (2)

Does the Department do it's own highway design? Yes.

Does the Department do it's own appropriation and easement maps and descriptions? Yes.

Does the Department use consultants for design or survey? Bridge Design Only

Your responses to these questions are appreciated. If you have any questions please feel free to call me at 473-8533.

Sincerely:

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