

Bernard H. Corbach

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Summary

I have 29 years' experience in Highway Infrastructure design and construction; maintenance, rehabilitation, project and contract management. I bring extensive experience and knowledge in managing and administering Province of British Columbia government contracts.

In my 15 years with Argo Road Maintenance I have managed all aspects of the Highway Maintenance Agreement contract (17m Annual Value) and reporting requirements, including various Province of B.C. statutes and laws for industrial work within the maintenance contract. During this time, I have worked as an integral member of the management team developing progressive management strategies to meet client needs, changing contract requirements; increasing stakeholder expectations and financial pressures, contributing to a successful completion of the 15-Year contract.

Education

CIVIL ENGINEERING TECHNOLOGY DIPLOMA | 1989 | OKANAGAN COLLEGE, KELOWNA, BC

- Co-op program
- Graduated "with Distinction"
- Okanagan College "Presidents Award", 1988

HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA | 1983 | GEORGE ELLIOT SENIOR SECONDARY, LAKE COUNTRY, BC

- Grade 12 Graduate

Experience

TECHNICAL MANAGER | ARGO ROAD MAINTENANCE | 2004 TO PRESENT

Penticton, BC

Reporting to the General Manager, responsible for implementing and managing the Quality Management System (QMS), developing operational processes, maintaining operational programs, negotiating supplier and works contracts and conducting contract service performance delivery and management reviews.

- Schedule/monitor of annual \$6+m Unit Price Activities within the Highway Maintenance Agreement.
- Project manage works and restoration projects/contracts up to 1m value.
- Maintain budget, material costing, productivity, efficiency and cost analysis of operational activities.
- Ensure compliance with the Highway Maintenance Contract requirements; Gravel License, Radio Provider License, Ministry Retained Materials and reporting requirements; Work Identification & Reporting, Material Usage, Wildlife and Rockfall Incident, Vehicle Incident/Fatality and Damage to Government property.
- Ensure compliance with Provincial Regulatory requirements; Motor vehicle Act, Transportation Act, Workers Compensation Act, National Safety Code, Commercial Vehicle Safety Enforcement, Mines Act, Water Sustainability Act, Environment Act, Forest Practices Code of BC Act.
- Communicate with client and key Stakeholders, engage and resolve client/stakeholder issues.
- Researching new initiatives, emerging and innovative technologies.
- Conduct / participate Incident investigations, determining cause / identifying preventative measures.
- Participate and assist in negotiating local Collective Agreement.

DISTRICT OPERATIONS ASSISTANT | MINISTRY OF TRANSPORTATION | 1994 TO 2004

Kelowna/Penticton, BC

Reporting to the District Highways Manager, assisted with the management of District operations and Ministry of Transportation initiatives.

- Preparation and administration of District programs, initiatives and District contracts.
- Administration of Highway Maintenance Contract requirements.
- Produce data analysis and technical reports of District and Maintenance operations.

DESIGNER | MINISTRY OF TRANSPORTATION | 1991 TO 1994

Prince George, BC

Reporting to the Design Team Leader, responsible for highway and structure design of capital projects, directing the project team on all aspects of detailed highway design and ensuring compliance to Ministry of Transportation and Transportation Association of Canada (TAC) Geometric Design Guides.

- Responsible for production of all construction drawings, material quantity estimates and project cost estimates and projections.
- Responsible for developing contract documents, bill of quantities, specifications and special provisions.

DESIGN ASSISTANT | MINISTRY OF TRANSPORTATION | 1990 TO 1991

Prince George, BC

Reporting to the Designer, responsible for detailed design of all project components ensuring compliance to Geometric Design Guides

- Responsible for detailed design of project components and completing project drawings.
- Responsible for reviewing project component design calculations, cross checking quantity estimates.

ENGINEERING AIDE (CO-OP POSITION) | MINISTRY OF TRANSPORTATION | 1989

Westbank (West Kelowna), BC – Okanagan Connector 97C Construction site.

Working on a construction survey team monitoring the construction of two contract segments of 97C.

- Responsible for construction layout, grade surveys and field inspections.
- Conducted contractor progress surveys and monitored contractor quantity reports.

ENGINEERING AIDE (CO-OP POSITION) | DAYTON AND KNIGHT LTD | 1988

West Vancouver, BC.

Reporting to a company Principal, worked on various construction and feasibility study projects.

- Responsible for construction layout, surveying, field inspections and material testing.
- Conducted project calculations, quantity and cost estimates.
- Completed project feasibility studies and cost estimates.

Additional Training & Certificates

- Winter Maintenance Supervisor Certificate, 2017, American Public Works Association
- Area Manager Certification, 2003, Ministry of Transportation / BCIT
- Quality Management System and Internal Auditor ISO9001:2000, 2004, Ashbrooke QA Ltd.
- Danger Tree Assessor Certificate
- Pit Supervisor Certificate