

Dennis R. Baker, P.L.S.

Director of Land Surveying Services



EDUCATION

University of Washington-Seattle, Washington
1986-Bachelor of Science, Forest Resources,
Logging Engineering.

University of Washington-Seattle, Washington
1981-Bachelor of Arts, Arts & Sciences, Psychology.

Professional Land Surveyor License:
State of Washington No. 35972

EXPERIENCE

- July 2009 **Jerome W. Morrisette & Associates Inc., P.S.**
Present **Director of Land Surveying Services** - Short Plats, Large Lot Subdivisions, Boundary Line Adjustments, Construction Staking, Boundary, and Topographic Surveys.
- Jan. 2001 **Geomatics, P.S., Inc., Yelm, Washington**
June 2009 **Owner, Director** - Professional Surveying Services. Short Plats, Large Lot Subdivisions, Boundary Line Adjustments and most predominately Boundary Surveys. Responsible for training, contracting, research, calculations, electronic drafting, analysis of fieldwork, writing legal descriptions, processing and coordinating land use application approvals.
- Aug. 1996 **Leroy Surveyors & Engineers, Inc., Puyallup, Washington**
Jan. 2001 **Project Manager** - Responsible for Right of Way Control, Short Plats, Large Lot Subdivisions, Boundary Line Adjustments and most predominately Boundary Surveys. Directed the field crew, researched and computed the projects, communicated with clients, processed and coordinated land use application approvals and drafted the final maps.
- Sept. 1993 **E. True And Associates Land Surveying, Yelm, Washington**
Aug. 1996 **Party Chief** - Leader of the field crew, responsible for all field work. Organized scheduling, set up of the crew, and performed staking on various construction projects including an apartment complex and numerous plats.
- Sept. 1993 **Cramer and Niclas, Inc., Kent, Washington**
Oct. 1992 **Party Chief** - Survey six sections involving two townships and two ranges near Forks, Washington for a dependent resurvey for the United States Forest Service (USFS). Posted over 11 miles of boundary line and established and set monuments for 28 corners.

June 1992 **Pac-Tech Engineering Inc., Seattle, Washington**
Oct. 1992 **Party Chief** - Construction staking on various projects including the re-designed parking at the South Center Mall and the Mervyn's Department Store.

June 1992 **James E. Keyes and Associates, Inc., Yelm, Washington**
June 1986 **Party Chief** - Trained new chainmen, aided in field crew setup, raw data processing, office calculations and drafting with ink. Organized field data collection for various projects such as topographically mapping sites for fish hatcheries and hydroelectric power plants including underwater areas. Staked municipal, commercial and residential sites for construction. Also responsible for General Land Office (GLO) survey retracements for boundary determination.

Summer 1985 **Longview Fibre Company, Inc., Longview, Washington**
Summer 1984 **Forest Technician** - One of two students selected from Oregon State University and the University of Washington to survey property boundaries in Northern California. We shared field crew responsibilities.

MEMBERSHIPS

American Congress on Surveying and Mapping

National Society of Professional Surveyors

Land Surveyors Association of Washington, South Puget Sound Chapter (President 2002)

National Eagle Scout Association (Eagle Scout 1976)

CERTIFICATIONS AND CONTINUING EDUCATION

- ◆ LSAW Conference: Proper Use of Boundary Line Agreements and Adjustments, March 2009
- ◆ LSAW Conference: Clark on Surveying and Boundaries, March 2009
- ◆ LSAW Conference: Boundary Control and Legal Principals, March 2009
- ◆ LSAW Conference: Condominium Laws and Procedures, March 2009
- ◆ LSAW Conference: Aiders of the Lost Art of Surveying, October 2008
- ◆ LSAW Conference: Stability and Bona Fide Rights in the Public Lands System, November 2007
- ◆ LSAW Conference: A. Introducing Real Time Network B. Understanding State Plane Coordinates, September 2007
- ◆ LSAW Conference: Flood Insurance Mapping Issues and Flood Plain Development: Technical Guidance, May 2007