

Focal Point

Getting to know you

7 Simple questions for Russell Smith, Treasurer

1. **Where did you grow up?** I was born in Selma, CA and grew up in Fresno
2. **Where did you go to school / learn to survey?** I went to school at CSU, Fresno and learned surveying while there, but I focused on Photogrammetry
3. **What brought you to Sacramento?** I was a student assistant for Caltrans Headquarters. After graduation, I work in Utah and Colorado, but returned to Caltrans Headquarter after gaining experience.
4. **Where do you work?** (Company/Job Title/Responsibilities) I am the Mapping Branch Chief for the Office of Photogrammetry and Preliminary Investigations at Caltrans Headquarters.
5. **What is the most interesting Survey project you have been involved with?** I surveyed twenty

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Join us Thursday,
September 8th!

See inside for details!



SEPTEMBER CHAPTER MEETING

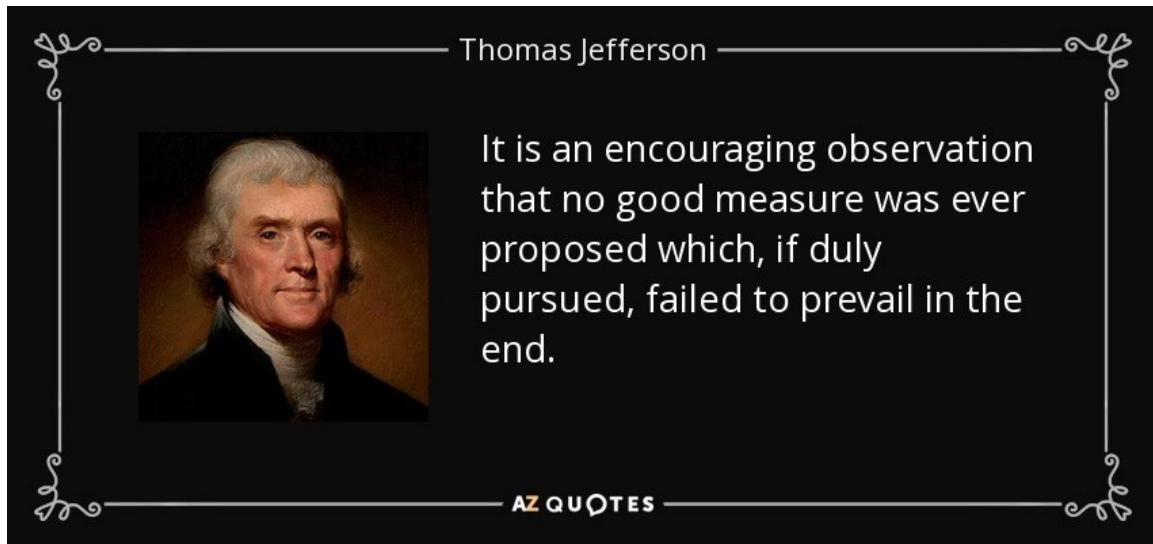
Meeting

Thursday, September 8, 2022

Logan's Roadhouse

3698 N. Freeway Blvd.

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Upcoming Webinar

Mapping the Path for the Future Generation

Presented by:

Trent Keenan |

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(free to members)

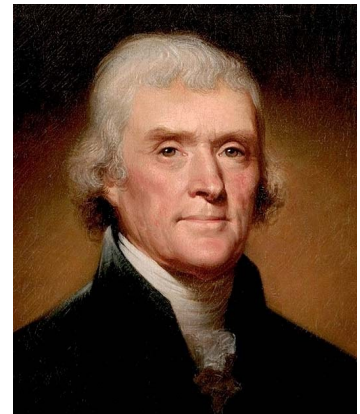


Calling Vendors!

Vendors Night is in October.

Please contact Nathan (Nathan.Buchholz@water.ca.gov) if you are interested in participating.

*Do you want to know who you are?
Don't ask! Act! Action will delineate
and define you.*



Nominations for Chapter officers
will be at our September meeting!



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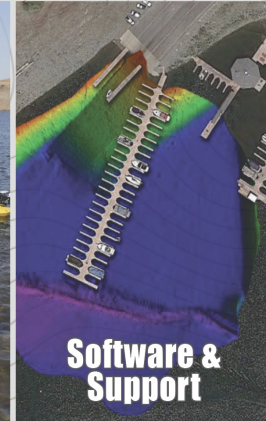
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bridges in the desert near Palm Spring during a super bloom

6. **What types of jobs did you have before you became a surveyor?** I started working at eleven years old as a paper boy. I have been a farmworker, an office tech and computer tech, interpreter, sandblaster, railroad rail repairman, CADD draftsman, and had my own business as a pool tile cleaner while in college.
7. **What's something interesting most people don't know about you?** I was a BSA scoutmaster for twenty years and I ride a bicycle to and from work every day.





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