

HalfMoon Education Live Continuing Education Webinars

Reading, Interpreting and Writing Land Descriptions Workshop

Online - Tuesday, April 4, 2023 | 9:00 am - 4:00 pm CDT

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Practicing Institute of Engineering: 6.0 PDHs

Land Surveyors: 6.0 PDHs

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Understanding the Survey Process

Research

Title research vs. boundary research

Public Land Survey System (PLSS) states, colonial states and others

Field work

- Reconnaissance
- Measuring angles and distances
- GPS

Understanding what controls location

- The importance of monuments and descriptions
- The primary function of measurements in descriptions
- Order of importance of conflicting elements

Understanding Survey Drawings and Legal Descriptions

Parts of land descriptions

North basis

Understanding bearings and azimuths

Title identity

The importance of qualitative calls

Closing the description

Handling water boundary issues

Precision vs. accuracy

Handling special situations: arcs, chords, curves, etc.

Writing Land Descriptions

Writing different types of descriptions:

- Metes-and-bounds, strip descriptions, lot-and-block

Easement basics

Dos and don'ts when writing descriptions

Writing the qualitative portion first

Including measurements with survey precision in mind

Metes and bounds description workshop:
writing sample descriptions

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Prior to his service at TVA, Mr. Savage was in private survey practice for 10 years specializing in dispute resolution and expert witness services. He has surveyed several disputed state boundaries to resolve jurisdictional conflicts. Mr. Savage is an adjunct professor at Cleveland State Community College where he teaches courses in boundary law, geodesy, GIS, and surveying fundamentals. He has researched and retraced the historical surveys of Henry David Thoreau and has published several articles on the subject. Mr. Savage teaches exam review and continuing education seminars at various state and local conferences across the country.

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