

Colorado Department of Transportation
Dispute Review Board (DRB) Candidate Solicitation

This form is to be filled out electronically. Type your answers in the grey areas in the space allowed by the boxes. You can use the Tab key to go from one field to the next. When you have completed this form, save it to your computer, then attach your form in an email to Mark.Straub@state.co.us with the Subject line as "(Your name)'s DRB-CS Form". Do not include any other attachments to this form.

1. Candidate Information

Name: Gary R. Johnson, PE, PTOE		Employer: Johnson Consulting Group, LLC	
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		Zip Code 80123	
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2. Education

University/College	Degree	Year Graduated
1. University of Nebraska	BSCE	1978
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3. Professional Licenses/Certifications and Professional Organizations

1. PE, Colorado, 1982	2. Professional Traffic Operations Engineer
3. Expert Witness, Transportation/Traffic	4. Member, AAA Construction Arbitrators Panel

4. Major Employment History

Employer	Number of Years Employed	Your Job Title(s)
1. EST, Inc.	11	Region Director
2. Parametrix	2	Office Manager, Trans. Division Manager
3. Transystems	6	Trans. Division Manager
4. Transportation Engrg Consult	2	Principal Owner

5. Experience and General Information: (continued on page 2)

<p>1. Describe your major areas of work experience/expertise:</p> <p>41 years experience in transportation planning, engineering, and construction management to both the public and private sector clients. Project manager on a broad variety of projects ranging from regional planning to the design and construction management of multifaceted, complex, and highly visible rail, transit, and roadway projects.</p>
<p>2. Describe your experience with construction claims:</p> <p>Traffic Expert: Construction document review; Construction Traffic Control Plan review, claim review; deposition review; written briefs; consultation. Dispute Review Board Member: Conducted Discovery, officiated over Hearings; prepared a Finding of Merit and Finding for a Quantum Determination. Expert Witness: Report preparation and court testimony (before an Administrative Law Judge).</p>
<p>3. Describe your knowledge of construction contract law:</p> <p>41 years experience in construction law as it relates to the design, packaging, advertising, bidding and administering construction contracts for a variety of public works projects. I am not a lawyer.</p>

4. Describe your experience with construction contract administration:

41 years experience in providing the full spectrum of construction management and inspection services for numerous public works projects. Experienced in all aspects of providing construction services including full time inspection to general contract administration to shop drawing review and plan interpretation for public works clients. Trained in the use of SiteManager on CDOT projects.

5. Describe your construction field experience:

Managed public works construction projects ranging from water and wastewater treatment facilities to highway projects valued in excess of \$10 million. Recently, provided construction administration and inspection on the following CDOT projects: US 285 @ Schaffer's Crossing (interchange), I-70 Truck Management Improvements, US 285 Bailey to Richmond Hill Overlay, and Federal (US-287) over Colfax Bridge Replacement, managed the construction management contract for the Colorado Bridge Enterprise Program which included 11 structures state-wide, managed a construction management non-project specific contract with CDOT valued at \$1M in fees.

6. Describe your DRB (or arbitration) training, certification, and experience:

2010 Colorado DOT DRB Workshop, AAA/CDOT/Dispute Resolution Board Foundation.
2011. Arbitration Fundamentals & Best Practices for New AAA Arbitrators, American Arbitration Association.

Case: Scott Contracting v. Weld County, Colorado; 10/2016 – 6/2017. Member of a 3-person Dispute Review Board to offer an opinion on a \$1.1M construction dispute involving roadway/bridge construction. Conducted Discovery, officiated over hearings and prepared a Finding of Merit and Finding for Quantum.

7. Describe your employment/retirement status and availability to serve on a DRB and geographical area:

I am available to serve on a DRB. Although I am employed full time, I have a great deal of control of my schedule.

DRB members are compensated as per Section 105 of the CDOT Specifications.

6. List Two References For Your Experience With Construction Claims

Name	Title	Organization	Phone Number	Email Address
Beth Brown Ornstein	Owner	Colorado Mediation Center, LLC	303-415-2042	beth@coloradomediationcenter.com
John Braithwaite	Associate	PCK Attorneys	801-363-7611	jbraithwaite@pckutah.com

Important Notice - All information provided on this form will be visible to the public on the CDOT – DBR web page: [“List of Candidate Members for the Dispute Review Board \(DRB\)”](#).