

FIELD NOTES

TENNESSEE BOARD OF EXAMINERS FOR LAND SURVEYORS

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Number of Active Licensees

Active Land Surveyors: 1,173

Land Surveyor in Training: 54

Inactive Surveyors: 59

Next Board Meeting(s)

April 7-8, 2011

August 4-5, 2011

October 27-28, 2011

Notice from NCEES:

April 2011 examinees: Registration for the April 2011 exams and is now open. You will be able to register with NCEES until **February 18, 2011**, when the registration closes. Select your state licensing board from the drop-down list on the right to view instructions for getting approved to take an exam. Contact your [licensing board](#) if you have questions about the approval process before then. Beginning January 1, 2011, you will be able to register online with NCEES to create your My NCEES account and reserve your seat for the exam.



Update from the Director of the Professional Licensing Boards

Chapter 0820-03 (Standards of Practice) as amended will become effective on March 17, 2011. All licensees are encouraged to go to the board's Website at www.tn.gov/commerce/boards/surveyors prior to the effective date and familiarize themselves with the new regulations.

Also, per TCA 62-18-128, we now have a retired license status. If you would like to place your license in retired status, please contact the board office for instructions on how to do so. You will be required to submit a form as prescribed by the board and pay a \$25.00 retirement fee. The "Request to Retire Professional Land Surveyor's License" will also be available on our website as will a copy of the new law.

Tennessee Surveying Exam Registration



How do I register?

You must first apply to the [Tennessee board](#) for approval to sit for the exam. Visit [the board's Web site](#) for the appropriate forms, instructions, and fee information. After the board has notified you of your approval, register online with NCEES to reserve your seat for the exam. You will not be required to pay additional exam fees when registering through the NCEES website.

Exam authorization

NCEES will e-mail you 2-3 weeks before the exam with a link to download and print your exam authorization notice. Read it carefully. You will be required to present this document along with a valid, government-issued photo ID upon arrival at the exam site.

Results

NCEES will email you your results of the FS and PS portions 8-10 weeks after the exam date. The board will notify you of your TS exam results by email at the same time.

Exam Dates:

1) April 7-8, 2011 – Deadline to have applications (new AND retakes) in to the board office: February 1. ABSOLUTELY NO EXCEPTIONS WILL BE MADE.

Exam Dates:

1) October 28-29, 2011 - Deadline to have applications (new AND retakes) in to the board office: July 15. ABSOLUTELY NO EXCEPTIONS WILL BE MADE.

2) April 13-14, 2012 - Deadline to have applications (new AND retakes) in to the board office: January 15. ABSOLUTELY NO EXCEPTIONS WILL BE MADE.

Formal Disciplinary Actions Taken by the Board

July 2010

Respondent: Christopher M. Vick, TLS #2164
Violation: Rule 0820-4-.04 Public statements
Action: \$500.00 Civil Penalty

August 2010

Respondent: Joseph K Keithley
Violation: Unlicensed activity
Action: \$2000.00 civil penalty

September 2010

Respondent: Devon Acheson, TLS #1867
Violation: Violation of administrative rule 0820-4-.04
Action: \$1000.00 civil penalty and 8 hours of CE courses on the subject of ethics.

MISCELLANEOUS NEWS

IN MEMORIAM

The Board and Staff wish to extend our sympathies to the families and friends of these individuals who have honored their professions:

Ralph K. Alley #326
Leroy Perkins #514
Joe Paul Harvey #9
Robert G. Campbell, Sr. #1199
Earl Thompson #1286
John Franklin #1700
Richard J. Williams #2608
Alfred "Lee" Allen #269
Marshall Turner #384
Robert H. Waddell #1479

The board's condolences go out to Richard Raper, #1063, in the loss of his wife, Mary.

*If you have a name that should be recognized in this section,
please contact the Board office.*

CANDIDATES WHO PASSED THE OCTOBER 2010 EXAM

Michael Todd McBee
Nicholas Ryan Northcutt
David Lee Cox
Jason Hubert Senn
John Gregory Smith
Michael Dale Arena
Kale Belk
James Charles Gray, Jr.
David J. O'Brien, Jr.
Thomas William Crow
Jaime F. Higgins
Dan Lyle Hall
Gary Christian Watts
Eric William Price

CANDIDATES WHO PASSED THE OCTOBER 2010 PLSIT EXAM

Nicholas Lee Barnes
Keith Ryan Brotherton
Thomas Andrew Draper
Joshua Mark Sherlin
Clifton Olen Odgen

EXPIRED (12/31/2009) LICENSEES per TCA § 62-18-114(c)

Kenneth Mayhugh, #220
James M. Naïve, #819
Douglas K. Gibson, #981
Larry W. Bulliner, #1008
Harold N. Estes, Jr., #1220
G. Burton Pierce, #1319
Webb A. Morgan, #1354
Douglas R. Stanfill, #1363
Gerald R. Martin, #1415
Jerry Lawrence, #1428
James W. Clark, #1445
Larry D. Epps, #1536
Samuel Paul Moyers, Jr., #1757
David Wayne Baker, #1777
Gregory Alan Henson, #2059
Josh Shipley Walton, #2068
Randy Donald Ridner, #2191
Christopher Mark Young, #2262
Kenneth Ray Shreeve, #2298
Steven Robinson, #2308
James Lawrence Nichols, #2452
Michael Scott Solomon, #2609
Dax Pollard Pugh, #2619
Richard Elgin Hamby, #2642
Edward Anthony Bruner, #2766