

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 Dennis.Largent@dot.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: William D.Ashton	Employer: Parsons Brinckerhoff		
Address: 555 17th Street, Suite 500	City: Denver	State: Co	Zip Code 80202
Phone Number: 303-901-9987	Email Address (required): ashton@pbworld.com		

2. Education

University/College	Degree	Year Graduated
1. The Ohio State University	B.C.E.	1956
2. The Ohio State University	M.S.C.E.	1964
3.		

3. Professional Licenses/Certifications and Professional Organizations

1. Colorado(15848);Ohio(26362);Florida(46247)	2. Dispute Resolution Board
3. ASCE	4. APWA

3. Major Employment History

Employer	Number of Years Employed	Your Job Title(s)
1. Parsons Brinckerhoff	7	Asst. VP, Senior Project Manager
2. Aim Engineering	3	President
3. MK Centennial	7.5	Senior VP, Area Manager
4. Dougan Construction	10	Project Manager

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

<p>1. Describe your major areas of work experience/expertise:</p> <p>27 years contracting, building roads, bridges and industrial facilities in various parts of the US, including 10 years in Colorado with experience on CDOT projects. Also spent time on the engineering side with 20 years of varied projects, some with private clients but largely DOT's.</p>
<p>2. Describe your experience with construction claims:</p> <p>Involved with claims from both the contractor and owner's side. In 2002-2005 managed a claim office in Fort Lauderdale, FL for FDOT on a \$90M bridge project. Furnished staff for research and advice over a 3 year period of interviews and negotiations. Recently aided Clark County Public Works (NV) in settlement on an \$11M bridge project in Las Vegas</p>
<p>3. Describe your knowledge of construction contract law:</p> <p>Experienced as DOT representative and contractor in numerous situations involving contract law. Attended several training sessions on contract law.</p>

4. Describe your experience with construction contract administration:

Beginning with my US Navy Civil Engineer Corps experience in Public Works Department handling Resident Officer in Charge of Construction responsibilities and continuing through remaining career, I have been involved nearly full time in contract administration of one form or another.

5. Describe your construction field experience:

Numerous construction projects as a contractor and as an owner's representative on many more. Most of my career has been in the field.

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

Trained as both a member and as chairman. Currently actively serving on a DRB in District 4 FDOT.

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

Readily available as I am currently working on a part time basis with Parsons Brinckerhoff.

DRB members are compensated as per Section 105.22 of the CDOT Specifications.

6. List Two References For Your Experience With Construction Claims

Name	Title	Organization	Phone Number	Email Address
Frank Proch	Project Manager	Aim Engineering	813-625-3395	fproch@aol.com
Greg Jones	Attorney	FDOT	Unknown	pauljones@dot.state.fl.us

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