

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

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**1. Candidate Information**

Name: <b>Dan Kovtynovich, P.E.,FASCE</b>		Employer: <b>Kovtynovich,Inc.</b>	
Address: <b>P.O. Box 898</b>		City: <b>Lake Oswego</b>	State: <b>Or</b>
		Zip Code <b>97034</b>	
Phone Number: <b>503.636.5503</b>		Email Address (required): <b>Dankovty@msn.com</b>	

**2. Education**

University/College	Degree	Year Graduated
1. <b>Oregon State University</b>	<b>BS - Civil Engineering</b>	<b>1975</b>
2. <b>Oregon State University</b>	<b>BS - Business Administration</b>	<b>1976</b>
3.		

**3. Professional Licenses/Certifications and Professional Organizations**

1. <b>Oregon Civil Engineer - PE # 11038</b>	2. <b>Dispute Resolution Board Fdn - Member</b>
3. <b>Oregon Geotechnical Engineer - PE # 11038</b>	4. <b>American Society of Civil Engineers - Fellow</b>
5. <b>California Civil Engineer - PE # 30585</b>	6. <b>American Arbitration Assn - Arbitrator</b>
7. <b>Oregon - Explosive possession &amp; use license</b>	8. <b>Biographee of Record Who's Who in the World / America / Finance &amp; Business / Science &amp; Engineering / West.</b>

**3. Major Employment History**

Employer	Number of Years Employed	Your Job Title(s)
1. <b>Kovtynovich,Inc.</b>	<b>1980 - present</b>	<b>President</b>
2. <b>Kovtynovich,Inc.</b>	<b>1975-1980</b>	<b>Vice President &amp; Engineer</b>
3. <b>Kovtynovich,Inc.</b>	<b>1970-1975</b>	<b>Employed during summers as Laborer &amp; Jr. Engineer</b>
4.		

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

<p>1. Describe your major areas of work experience/expertise:</p> <p><b>Over 25 years as a Civil Engineer,Consultant and Contractor owning and managing a heavy civil and heavy mechanical construction company. Clients are federal, state, local public agencies, domestic and foreign corporations. Real Estate Developer , Arbitrator and Mediator , Asset Manager, Earthwork, Highways ,Roads ,Dams, Culverts, Structures/concrete/steel/timber,Plants/water/wastewater/pulp-paper,hydro ,Semi Conductor- FABS, Blasting, Mining, Aggregates, Asphalt, Concrete,Value Engineering</b></p> <p>2. Describe your experience with construction claims:</p>
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**I have handled all aspects of Construction Claims as a 1. Contractor 2. Design Professional 3. Owner 4. Arbitrator 5. Mediator 6. Expert Witness 7. Litigation Consultant.**

3. Describe your knowledge of construction contract law:

**As a seasoned and experienced Arbitrator , Mediator, Engineer and Contractor I have an excellent working knowledge of Construction Contract law.**

4. Describe your experience with construction contract administration:

**Being a construction company owner and design professional, I have administered and or have been a party to all types of contracts. These include but are not limited to hard dollar bid, design construct and fixed fee contracts. I am very familiar and experienced with federal acquisition regulations, state, federal , AIA and local public jurisdiction contracting specifications and documents.**

5. Describe your construction field experience:

**I worked as a construction laborer during my college summers, progressing to jr. engineer duties before graduation from the University. Upon my full time employment with Kovtynovich, Inc. after graduation my duties involved bidding and constructing projects from start to close out. I am familiar with all aspects of construction field operations and have lived and understand the practical as well as the theoretical challenges that a project can present.**

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

**American Arbitration Association - Arbitrator since 1979  
DRBF- Member since 2002  
DRBF Administration and Practice Workshop - Orlando Fl, 3/25/02  
DRBF Chairing Workshop - Orlando Fl, 3/25/02  
Oregon Dept of Transportation Dispute Review Board - Panel Member, Served as Chair and / or Panel member on numerous cases.  
American Arbitration Assn (AAA) Construction Industry Arbitrator II Training, Phoenix Az, 11/01  
AAA Construction Industry Arbitrator Training, Seattle, Wa , 5/97  
Various other AAA Arbitrator training and continuing education courses**

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

**I am employed full time with Kovtynovich, Inc. as a consultant . I am able to serve on a DRB as required; however, acceptance of the assignment would be predicated by my current and future workload.**

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
Mr. Tom Larkin	Partner	Stewart Sokol & Gray- Attys	503.221.0699	Tlarkin@lawssg.com
Mr. Willam Peckham, P.E.	Engineer & Consultant	W.T. Peckham Co.	541.345.4555	wbill2935@aol.com

**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)”.**