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From The Board Room...

Charles Felts, 1995 President

KAPS MEMBERSHIP

The frost is on the pumpkin and Kentucky's lanscape is a kaleidoscope of colors. As we race down the backstretch of 1995, we revisit the goals set and reflect on the accomplishments achieved, knowing much more needs to be completed by years end. The Kaps Frankfort Office has gotten a renewed drive and determination towards a strong finish in 1995. This includes being able to provide more services to our 1996 membership.

We are preparing for our 29th Annual Winter Conference and look forward to your attendence and support. We are very excited about this year's conference and hope that you will join us February 14, 15, 16, and 17.

Each year as we mail out KAPS Membership Applications, we hope each licensed land surveyor in Kentucky and adjoining states will take the time to notice and support the advantages of being members of their professional association. KAPS is the voice of the Professional Land Surveyor in Kentucky.

The Kentucky Association of Professional Surveyors is a voluntary organization of professional surveyors, surveyors-in-training and others dedicated to serving the public interest, promoting and advancing the profession of land surveying. The objectives listed below will explain the KAPS attitude and philosophy.

KAPS OBJECTIVES

TO safeguard life, health and property, and to promote the public welfare through the advancement of professional land surveying.

TO establish liason among professional societies having similiar objectives.

TO promote cooperation with those professional societies representing professional fields related to the practice of land surveying.

TO establish better relations between the

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profession of land surveying improvement of university and organization. and other college professions. TO provide a forum for the curriculums for the study of land surveying. dissemination of information TO establish, promote and and ideas among maintain high TO foster and support members of the surveying professional standards of legislation generally the community in practice ethics and beneficial to the Commonwealth of and to promote profession, to the Kentucky. unifomity of practice. Commonwealth of Kentucky, its subdivisions Many ask why should I join TO promote public and to the public. KAPS? The reasons are understanding, numerous! Kaps offers its faith and reliance in TO establish methods and membership the opportunity to land surveyors and their work. repositories for access information needed to the systematice filing keep effectively informed on the TO advance the study of of survey records. most current and pertinent surveying and the issues of land surveying education of land surveyors. TO promote the cooperation profession. Other benefits between individual include: TO encourage the members of the The opportunity to meet surveyors from all managment levels. and get to know disciplines and Valuable leadership throug the public service subjects, which keep experience can be gained programs, including members up to date on Surveyors Week, by serving as a the rapidly changing Committee Chairperson, Engineers Week, profession. In addition to this the courses are Chapter Officer or State Scholarships, Trigstar, Officer. approved by The State etc... Board of Registration for Improve the public KAPS sponsors seminars professional image of land surveying on a wide variety of development hours.

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- Adheres to and promotes high ethical standards of conduct.
- Provides timely information on pending legislation which could affect the land surveying profession.
- KAPS publications include the Interior Angle Newsletter, monthly calendar of events and seminar notices.
- Provides a single, positive voice which speaks for the surveying profession in the state legislature.
- Provides annual scholarships through the KAPS Scholarship Fund.
- KAPS Office Staff provides assistance for all land surveying issues.
- Annual awards
 recognizing meritorious
 achievements reinforcing

our commitment to our profession.

- Promotes land surveyors to take an active part in their communities through various actvities including; career day, classroom instruction and providing surveying expertise at community events.
- Discounted rates to KAPS Conferences and continuing education seminars.
- KAPS provides support to individual land surveyors, resulting in enhanced confidence and professional commitment.

How can you apply for KAPS membership? Fill out the membership application on the preceding page or contact the KAPS office located at 124 Walnut Street, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.

Phone:(502)695-2349 FAX:(502)695-2349 We look forward to receiving your application. Membership dues include quaterly subscription to the Interior Angle Newsletter, monthly calendar of events and telephone support for various land surveying issues.

If you are proud to call land surveying your profession and realiza that land surveyors must be united to make positive changes, please become an active member and join us in our commitment in the advancement of our profession.

As always, best wishes to you and your continued personal success.

Sincerely,

Charles Felts

Welcome to our Newest KAPS Members

David D. Martin, Jr. Morristown, IN 4 INTERIOR ANGLE DECEMBER 1995

Roger D. Perry

Corbin, KY

Ralph L. Hayden

Atlanta, GA

James B. Farris

Atlanta, GA

John M. Harris

South Portsmouth, KY

Thanks for Supporting

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