

***A MARLS Seminar for the Surveying Profession
Presented by John Matonich, PS, Instructor***

**MARLS sponsored 8 hour seminar
Raddison Colonial, Helena, Montana
June 16, 2017
8am ~ 5pm**

8 PDHs - REMEMBER YOU CAN CARRY OVER PDHs!
(lunch and breaks included with registration)
(handouts will be on flash drives - bring laptop if you wish)
(Seminar handouts available to print online a week before seminar)

Easements, and what you, as the Surveyor, need to know (4PDH)

Easements, defined
Other forms of access
Easement types (written and unwritten)
Easement descriptions
Montana Easement case law

This session will cover a number of objectives giving up-to-date information on creating easements, locating and defining their course, preparation of easement descriptions, easement kinds and purpose along with easement reversion.

Deeds and Descriptions (4PDH)

Descriptions, purpose and definition
Doctrine of Intent and term definitions
Description and Deed types
Elements of a description
Common Description errors and boundary issues
Montana Deed and Description case law

This session will address key issues with regard to Deeds and Descriptions. Included will be information on understanding the purpose of a land description and who should prepare one, along with the importance of intent. There will be a section on essential elements of a description as well as types of descriptions and common errors found. Montana related case law will also be discussed.

John Matonich, PS, is the president and chief executive officer of ROWE Professional Services Company. John is licensed as a professional surveyor in Michigan, Ohio, and Wisconsin. He served as president of the National Society of Professional Surveyors, (NSPS) in 2009-2010 and has given presentations on various topics across the country.

**Seminar Held at the
Raddison Colonial Hotel - Helena MT
2301 Colonial Drive, Helena, MT
Phone: 406-443-2100**

**Book your Sleeping Rooms at
Jorgenson's Inn & Suites
Phone: 406-442-1770
www.JorgensonsInn.com
Room block rate expires 5-8-17
(across the street from the Raddison)
Group Rate: \$95 + tax
(Group name: MARLS)**

For further information or questions regarding registration please contact Kay at the following:
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Registration also available at www.marls.com

MARLS Refund policy
Prior to June 1, 2017 ~ 100% refund
After June 1, 2017 ~ no refund

PLEASE REGISTER BY MAY 25, 2017

We sincerely hope that you will take time out from your busy schedule to attend this seminar and I encourage you to bring along your employees. We look forward to a successful seminar and hope that you will sign up today.

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Registration ~ Please check the following:

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\$210 - MARLS Active member

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\$150 - MARLS Associate members

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\$295 - MARLS Non-member

Note: Registration fee includes lunch, breaks & thumb drive handouts.

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**Exhibitors welcome!
Exhibitors - Please call to register**



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John Matonich, PS, is the Chairman of the Board of ROWE Professional Services Company, a firm specializing in consulting engineering, surveying, planning, landscape architecture, aerial photogrammetry, and land development services in the Midwest and across the country. John joined ROWE in 1981. He was named a principal in 1992, promoted to president in 1997, and to chief executive officer in 2001 as well as Chairmen in 2006. John retired from management of Rowe in January of 2016. John is licensed as a professional surveyor in Michigan, Ohio, and Wisconsin. He served as president of the National Society of Professional Surveyors, (NSPS) in 2009-2010, and currently serves as the Treasurer of the Wisconsin Society of Land Surveyors. John is also a past president of the Michigan Society of Professional Surveyors (MSPS). John was voted as a Fellow Member of the NSPS, ACSM and MSPS organizations.

In 2010, John was appointed by the Governor to Michigan's Natural Resources Commission and currently serves as the Commission's Chair. He is also a member of the Surveying Curriculum Advisory Committee at Michigan Technological University and has served in that same capacity at Ferris State University. He has also served as adjunct faculty to the University of Michigan - Flint Earth Sciences Department and has been a contributing writer for "Professional Surveyor" magazine and currently is a contributing writer for "American Surveyor."

Locally, John is past-chair of the Flint and Genesee Chamber of Commerce and past chairman-elect of the former Flint Area Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors as well as the past president of the Davison Chamber of Commerce. He is also a former member of the Rotary Club, Optimists Club, and is past chair of the Lapeer Downtown Development Authority. John currently served as a Board Member of the Lapeer Economic Development Corporation and the Genesee Shiawassee and Lapeer Hundred Club.

John obtained his Bachelor of Science degree in Land Surveying with honors from Michigan Technological University in 1981.

John resides in Marenisco with his wife, Stephanie and has two children, Katelynn and Matthew.