WESTERN GEOLOGIC, LLC

WILLIAM CRAIG BARTHOLOMEW

Title Senior Environmental Assessor

Expertise Environmental Due Diligence

Litigation Support

Academic Background

M.B.A., Eccles School of Business, University of Utah, 2003

B.S. Physical Geography/Environmental Science, University of Utah, June 1988

Experience

Mr. Bartholomew has over 29 years of experience managing a wide variety of environmental consulting and due diligence projects. His environmental work has included Phase I Environmental Site Assessments, Transaction Screen analyses, and soil and groundwater characterization projects involving a variety of contaminants and media. He has provided expert witness and third-party review services in a number environmental assessment related cases.

Environmental Site Assessments

 Directed, reviewed, or conducted hundreds of Phase I Environmental Site Assessments and Transaction Screens for a variety of commercial and industrial facilities throughout the western U.S. (Alaska, Arizona, California, Colorado, Idaho, Nebraska, New Mexico, Montana, Oregon, Texas, Utah, Washington, Wyoming), as well as Mexico.

Groundwater Studies & Phase II Site Characterizations

- Managed and directed numerous Phase II environmental site characterizations to determine extent and magnitude of soil and ground water contamination.
- Conducted soil and sediment sampling to describe the extent of radioactive impact at an abandoned uranium mine that adjoins a National Recreation Area.

Professional History

Senior Environmental Assessor, Western Geologic, LLC, Salt Lake City, Utah – 2006 to present

Senior Scientist, SECOR International, Inc., Salt Lake City, Utah - 2003 to 2005

 Served as the Due Diligence Coordinator for SECOR's Rocky Mountain/Gulf Region, overseeing environmental site assessment projects originating from multiple offices within a six-state area. Created and implemented business development strategies, work-product standardization efforts, and quality assurance measures relating to due diligence services.

Associate Scientist, SECOR International, Inc., Salt Lake City, Utah - April 1997 to June 2003 (P.T. 2001-2003)

- Recognized for superior client development and service. Managed all elements of SECOR's environmental due diligence consulting services conducted in Utah, including marketing, proposal preparation, contract negotiation, project delegation, technical oversight, report editing, invoicing, and customer service.
- Served as the western-states account manager for a major national client. Managed environmental consulting activities including compliance auditing, impact assessment, risk assessment, subsurface investigations, and NEPA studies.
- Proficient with numerous state and federal environmental regulations including CERCLA, RCRA, TSCA, and the Salt Lake County Environmental Health Rules. Invited to provide expert testimony regarding site assessment issues.

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Owner/Operator, Kayenta Environmental, Inc., Salt Lake City, Utah - January 1995 to March 1997

Conceived, organized and founded a sub-chapter S corporation specializing in environmental due diligence services. Conducted or delegated all aspects of the company's financial, managerial, and technical operations. Gained a diversified client base and successfully completed numerous projects in Utah and Idaho.

Director, Environmental Site Assessment, EnviroSearch International, Inc., SLC, Utah - February 1992 to June1994

Youngest EnviroSearch employee to be promoted to position of Director.
Managed three professionals and staff in all aspects of Phase I Environmental Site
Assessment. Frequently invited to present short courses on environmental due
diligence to banking, insurance, and legal audiences. Co-authored a customized
health and safety seminar for a national petroleum pipeline company and
presented the seminar on numerous occasions in Utah, California, Texas, and
Louisiana. Participated with ASTM during the development of the E-1527 Phase I
Environmental Site Assessment Standard.

<u>Project Manager</u>, EnviroSearch International, Inc., Salt Lake City, Utah - September 1989 to January 1992.

 Excelled as Project Manager for over 100 Phase I Environmental Assessment projects. Trained colleagues in branch offices to assist with Phase I due diligence projects, streamlined Phase I work practices, and broadened existing client base.

Certifications &

Training

Certified EPA/AHERA Asbestos Inspector No. 663 OSHA HAZWOPER Standard 29, CFR 1910.120 Environmental Regulations, Executive Enterprises, 1990 First Aid/CPR

Citizenship United States

Countries

Worked In United States, Mexico

Language

Proficiency English