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A MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

Good day fellow colleagues!

I trust this message finds you all well.

As the executive team and I are working on the strategic plan, it brings to light to me how important it is to have a shared vision, mission, and goals for our association. Sometimes, when one hears the oft used words, like vision, mission and goals, it causes one's eyes to roll back in the head, reminiscent of teenage years during conversations with parents. Much like then, there could be a tendency to tune out and not fully participate in the discussion. The consequences of such non-participation can lead to discontent and frustration.

Well-functioning organizations set common goals to concentrate energy and resources on tasks that benefit and support a common vision held by its members. The organization should revisit these goals periodically to affirm their continued support. Members can think strategically, and higher levels of trust are achieved because they are working toward the same vision and goals. This is the goal of the current effort with the strategic plan -- to clarify our goals, get them written down, and move forward with trust and clarity.

As the strategic plan is shared, I hope you will participate in assuring that the vision, mission, and goals created there can become the foundation for efforts to move forward as an association.

Thank you all for your continued support and efforts to further our association.

Annette Hovorka
President



2020 FRESNO STATE GEOMATICS CONFERENCE

The 2020 Fresno State Geomatics Conference will be held January 24-25, 2020 at the DoubleTree by Hilton in Downtown Fresno.

- [Click here](#) to register.
- [Click here](#) to reserve a hotel room.
- [Email](#) for exhibit space
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- [Email](#) to donate items

CLSA RIVERSIDE/SAN BERNARDINO CHAPTER LSIT REVIEW CLASS

RSB CLSA will be hosting an LSIT (FS) workshop aimed toward potential test takers for the NCESS Computer Based Test (CBT) FS Exam. The workshop will cover an overview of the exam, test taking strategies, useful references for the exam and solved example problems.

October 3, 2019 (Thursday)

Time: 7:30AM-4:30PM

Lunch is included.

Location: 1995 Market St., Riverside, CA 92501

- \$50 RSB CLSA Members/\$60 Non-Members - before Oct. 3
- \$75 on Oct 3. @ Class (Bring Cash or Check)

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CLSA HUMBOLDT CHAPTER SEMINAR

The CLSA Humboldt Chapter is hosting a seminar on Friday, October 18, 2019 from 9am - 4pm. Speaker, Paul Mabry, Esq. will be presenting "How Case Law, Statutory Law and Legal Opinions relate to each other and affect the practice of Land Surveying." The seminar will be held at the Humboldt Area Foundation, 363 Indianola Road, Bayside, CA 95524. Lunch and handouts will be provided. Cost is \$100. Checks should be made out to CLSA Humboldt chapter and mailed to PO Box 253, Eureka, CA 95503.

-Max seating is only 45 attendees.

-Reserve your seat by emailing [Nathaniel Gravette](#).

-\$100 per seat, if payment is not received by October 1st, your reservation will be dropped.

NGS NEWS - CORS ITRF2014 COORINATES

NGS has started to release its NOAA CORS Network ITRF2014 epoch 2010.00 and NAD83 (2011) epoch 2010.00 coordinates, referred to as [Multi-Year CORS Solution 2 \(MYCS2\)](#). As a reminder, NGS has reprocessed all NOAA CORS Network and some IGS stations using data collected between 1/1/1996 and 1/30/2017.

Release Notes:

- The MYCS2 NAD 83 (2011) epoch 2010.00 coordinates are now available in NGS Datasheets and related products.
- The new coordinates are also available in output from the NGS Data Explorer, archived shapefiles, and output from DSWorld.
- Previous CORS coordinates are listed on the datasheets as superseded coordinates.
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All MYCS2 NAD 83 (2011) epoch 2010.00 coordinates and velocities will be integrated into all CORS and OPUS products in the next four to eight weeks.

Send questions to NGS.CORS@noaa.gov or your [Regional Geodetic Advisor](#).

Related Product Release: GEOID18

NGS is planning to fully release the MYCS2 NAD83 coordinates and velocities coincident with the final GEOID18 model. Feedback is still being accepted for [BETA GEOID18](#).

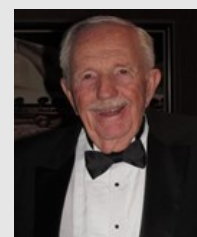
The coincident release of MYCS2 NAD83 coordinates and GEOID18 will minimize the changes to NGS' OPUS products.

Subscribe to the [GPSonBM Subscription Service](#) to get more information on GEOID18.

CLSA LOSES FRIEND, MICHAEL CHARLES BRUNELLI, PLS

February 18, 1934 - August 4, 2019 Michael Charles Brunelli, "Mike" died on August 4, 2019, at his home in La Palma, CA. He was surrounded by his beloved family and went peacefully at the end of a battle with cancer. Mike was born in Walsenburg, Colorado, and moved with his family to Southern California in 1942. He grew up in the South Bay area of Los Angeles, graduating from high school and college in San Pedro. Mike worked as a land surveyor until being drafted in 1956....

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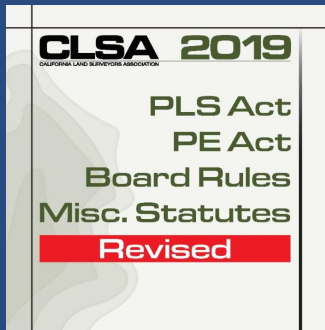
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OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL PUBLISHES OPINION NO. 18-303

On August 23, 2019, the California Office of the Attorney General issued an opinion regarding records of surveying being subject to the \$75 real estate document recording fee.

[READ OPINION HERE](#)



CLSA 2019 PUBLICATIONS

CLSA's 2019 publications have been published and are currently for sale in the [CLSA Store](#).

Please note, after the books were published, we were made aware of errors in the small spiral bound PLS Act/PE Act/Board Rules/Misc. Statutes book and Subdivision Map Act book. We have mailed corrections to all purchasers of these 2 publications. If you purchased these books in January or February and did not receive the corrections, please [contact CLSA Headquarters](#).

UPCOMING EVENTS

SEPT 18-21

[SHS]: Salt Lake City 2019 Rendezvous
5151 Wiley Post Way, Salt Lake City, Utah, 84116-2891, USA

SEPT 19-21

Cal Poly Pomona: Geomatics Conference
Bronco Student Center, Cal Poly Pomona on 9/19/19
East Los Angeles College on 9/20-21/19

SEPT 27

CLSA San Diego Chapter: 2019 Golf Tournament
Riverwalk Golf Club at 11:30am; Shotgun start at 1:00pm
1150 Fashion Valley Rd., San Diego, CA 92108

SEPT 27

CLSA Orange County Chapter: General Meeting
[JT Schmid's](#) from 11:30am - 1:00pm
2415 Park Ave, Tustin, CA 92782
Speaker: Fred Dyste, CEO, BizWatt to discuss Qfactor for land surveyors

OCT 3

[LCISO]: Southern Region Meeting | 9:30am - 11:30am
David Evans & Assoc. | 4141 E. Inland Empire Blvd, Ste 250, Ontario

OCT 16

CLSA Orange County & San Diego Chapters: Joint General Meeting
[Rancho Capistrano](#) at 6:00pm
26755 Verdugo St., San Juan Capistrano, CA 92675
Speaker: Keith Spencer, President-Elect, CLSA

OCT 18

CLSA Humboldt Chapter Event
California Law for Land Surveyors w/ Paul Mabry, Esq. Seminar

NOV 2

CLSA Board of Directors Meeting
Virtual Meeting at 8:30am

NOV 7

[LCISO]: Southern Region Meeting | 9:30am - 11:30am
County of Riverside | 3625 14th St, Riverside

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