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#### A MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT



We have completed our last Board of Directors meeting for 2020. At the November 7th meeting, the Directors chose to hold the first 2 meetings of 2021 as virtual meetings due to the continuing pandemic. All members are welcome to attend our Directors' meeting and the virtual meetings are no charge to attend. This is a great opportunity for those of you who have never attended to join us and see for yourself how we conduct your business. Our next Board of Directors meeting will be held via Zoom on **Saturday**,

**February 6, 2021 at 8:30am**. Mark your calendars now and contact Central office in late January to receive the Zoom meeting link information and a copy of the meeting agenda.

Our next conference will be in March of 2021 as normally scheduled. We are currently still hoping to have a joint conference with NALS live and in Reno. Your conference committee will be monitoring this diligently. As this comes together, we will keep you updated as to its status.

For now the pandemic is still going strong and there is no safe way to meet face to face in large gatherings. Please keep this in mind as you plan your holidays. Many states and other areas are recommending 14-day quarantines if you do any travelling. It might be prudent to wait until the upcoming vaccines have been out and distributed before taking vacation trips.

Watch our website for news of our upcoming webinars and other meetings like the Mentoring Mondays The Education Foundation has listed their 2021 scholarships. The list of scholarships and the application are available **HERE**. Applications are due by December 4th.

Please be safe and take care of yourselves and your families.

Keith Spencer | CLSA President

# POB - THE BEST STATE FOR LAND SURVEYORS

With the help of the National Society of Professional Surveyors (NSPS), POB is profiling each state land surveyors association to create a state-by-state ranking of what makes our nation's 50(ish) states such a great place for land surveyors. Factors include salary and benefits, diversity of projects, education availability and general quality of life.



Click **HERE** to vote:



### SACRAMENTO CHAPTER LS REVIEW COURSE

It is time once again for the Sacramento CLSA Chapter LS Exam Review classes. Give yourself the best chance to pass the California State Specific Professional Land Surveyor Examination.

**CLICK HERE FOR MORE INFORMATION** 

## **CLSA LOSES FRIENDS**

- Robert Bruce Richardson, LS 4389
- Marvin John Sylakowski, LS 6998
- James F. Lantry, LS 7898

### **CLSA ANNUAL AWARDS**

Are you aware of a CLSA member or chapter doing extraordinary things this year? If so, please consider nominating that person or chapter for a CLSA Annual Award! The following awards are available:

- · Chapter of the Year Award
- Member of the Year Award
- Dorothy Calegari Distinguished Service Award
- Chapter Newsletter Award
- Chapter Website Award
- Annual Photo Competition



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Donating to the Education Foundation is easy! Click <u>HERE</u> to donate via PayPal.

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