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CERTIFICATION COMMITTEE REPORT

At this time we have had 5 persons show an interest in the Professional Missouri Mappers designation. I strongly urge any former applicants to consider reapplying for the test. Again, we stress that this examination is not an easy one, however it is rewarding to take it and pass it. The deadline to get the applications to me is January 31, 1988. The applications are open to all that are interested and that qualify.

At the time of the deadline, I will do a preliminary review of each applicant, then forward them to the Committee. Upon completion of their review, I will then contact each applicant with regard to their acceptance or rejection. I will, at the same time, notify the successful applicants of the test date and location. I will go so far as to say, that the test date will be in March of 1988.

If you would like to apply or if you have any questions, please contact me at the following address or telephone:

Gary A. Drennan, PMM
c/o Hood-Rich Architects and Consulting Engineers
801 South Glenstone
Springfield, MO 65802
(417)862-4483

THE LITE TABLE

The mapping program for state wide equalization scrutinized the work done by surveyors, engineers, attorneys, etc. in the process of developing the property ownership maps we use today. Errors were found in the work they had done and many were contacted to help resolve the discrepancies those errors created. The mapping program has aroused their attention to the accuracy of their work. We are happy. As mappers we are happy to see their attention to detail and the good quality work they produce. Below is a legal description recorded in Cape Girardeau County that may reflect some extremes in accuracy.

A tract of land being a part of Survey 195 and Survey 217, Township 30 North, Range 13 East in Cape Girardeau County, Missouri containing 34.98474 acres (more or less) in Survey 217 and 119.47455 acres (more or less), in Survey 195 and having an aggregate area of 154.35829 acres (more or less), described as follows. . .

Send any interesting or unusual legal descriptions you may find in your office to Ken Eftink, PMM, Cape Girardeau County Mapping and Appraisal Office, #1 Barton Square, Jackson, MO 63755. We would enjoy hearing from you.

HELP WANTED

Ambitious person whose interests go beyond the local office needed for a temporary opening in Missouri Mappers Association Publication Committee. You will be involved with an active group of people who care about the work they do and you will receive state-wide recognition for your efforts. No previous experience necessary. If you are interested contact:

Ken Eftink, PMM
MMA Vice-President
Cape Girardeau County Mapping Office
#1 Barton Square
Jackson, MO 63755
314-243-3123

DID YOU FORGET?

Your 1987-88 membership dues were to be paid by our last annual meeting in August. To maintain your membership please pay your dues to:

Missouri Mappers Association
Attn: Dianna Carter, MMA Treasurer
P.O. Box 1692
Jefferson City, MO 65102

We are planning to print a new membership directory and would like to include you in it. If you have someone in your office who is not a member yet, invite them to join us.

SEASON'S GREETINGS



Architectural • Engineering • Interior Design • Land Surveying



HOOD-RICH

ARCHITECTS AND CONSULTING ENGINEERS
Dallas, Texas Springfield, Missouri

GARY DRENNAN
Design Draftsman, Surveyor
and Assessment Mapping

801 South Glenstone
Springfield, MO 65802
(417) 862-4483



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REAL PROPERTY MAPPING
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DATA PROCESSING
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CONSULTING

2355 NUSMAN AVE., STE. A
CAPE GIRARDEAU, MO 63701
314-651-4212



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Mary Ann Kaiser
Vice President



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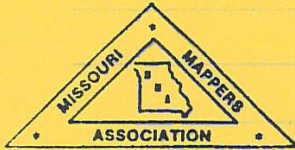
Building 5, Suite 100
409 Vandiver Dr.
Columbia, MO 65202

(314) 443-1666



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Education Committee Questionnaire

The Education Committee is working on preparing some workshops for you to be held this coming year. So we can provide the topics that would be most beneficial to you, please complete the following questionnaire:

Check the blank and/or fill in the blank with your comments.

1. I would like to see the following topics covered in a workshop:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Map Compilation | <input type="checkbox"/> Inking |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Soils Mapping | <input type="checkbox"/> Acreage Calculations |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Resolving deed conflicts | <input type="checkbox"/> Calculating missing deed calls |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Computer aided drafting | <input type="checkbox"/> Ownership tranfers |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Instruments that transfer property other than deeds. | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Plotting curves | |

Other topics _____

2. If we had a question/answer session who would like to have?

- | | |
|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Attorney | <input type="checkbox"/> Abstractor |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Assessor | <input type="checkbox"/> Surveyor |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Recorder | <input type="checkbox"/> Engineer |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Rep. from State Tax Comm. | <input type="checkbox"/> Rep. from Dept. of Natural Resources |

Other _____

3. ☐ Yes, I would like to see IAAO Course 6 offered by MMA this coming year.

☐ no

4. ☐ Yes. Would you like to see workshops held in more than one location?

☐ no

If yes, what locations? _____

5. How long do you want the workshops to last?

_____ 1/2 day

_____ 1 day

_____ 1 1/2 day

_____ 2 day

other _____

6. Yes. Would you like to see regional meetings set up to discuss problems or any interest that you

_____ No think may need to be discussed?

7. Yes. If so, should the same regions be used that the Assessors use for their regional meetings?

_____ No

8. Yes. Should the meetings be held back to back with the Assessors meetings?

_____ No

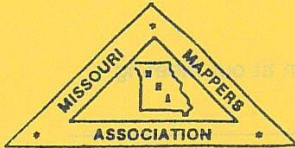
Other comments _____

Place

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Debbie Cochran, PMM
Education Committee Chairperson
Miller County Courthouse
Tuscumbia, MO 65082



1988 Annual Meeting Questionnaire

The Annual Meeting Committee is busy preparing for our 1988 meeting and would like to have your comments and suggestions to make the meeting as interesting and enjoyable as possible. When you have completed the questionnaire, simply refold it, staple it and mail it. Thank You.

Check the blank of the proposal you like and/or fill in the blank with your comments.

1. _____ I would like to meet in Columbia, MO.

_____ I would like to meet in _____

2. _____ I would like the meeting to be the last half of July.

_____ I would like the meeting to be the first half of August.

_____ I would like the meeting _____

3. _____ I would like a 1 1/2 day meeting.

_____ I would like a _____ day meeting.

4. _____ I would like to see the opening evening banquet continued.

_____ I would like to see the opening evening banquet discontinued.

5. I would like the program to cover the following topics:

_____ Computers used for making maps.

_____ Computers used for record keeping.

_____ New mapping equipment now available.

_____ Presentations by counties that have efficient maintenance systems.

_____ Time-saving ideas on doing maintenance.

_____ Legislation concerning mapping.

_____ Updating orthophotography.

_____ Question/answer session.

_____ Other _____

6._____The following person/company may be good to contact to give a presentation at our meeting.

7. Other comments_____

Place
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Yvonne Haile
Annual Meeting Chairperson
Route 2, Box 174
Lamar, MO 64759