Richard W. Bell

Statement of Qualifications



Applicable Projects

Oil and Gas Experience

Moxa Arch Area Gas Development EIS - Wyoming

Stone Cabin 3D Seismic Survey Project EA – Utah

Western Uinta Basin Oil and Gas Leasing EIS – Utah

Main Canyon 3D Seismic Survey Project – Utah

Price Coalbed Methane Project EIS – Utah

Big Porcupine CBM Project EA - Wyoming

Powder River Basin Oil and Gas Project EIS – Wyoming

Thunderhead Coalbed Methane Project EA - Wyoming

Wyodak Coalbed Methane Project EIS – Wyoming

Wyodak Coalbed Methane Drainage Project EA – Wyoming

HD Mountains Coalbed Methane Field Development EIS – Colorado

Tiffany Enhanced Coalbed Methane Recovery Commercial Pilot EA – Colorado

Rendezvous Phase IV Pipeline Project EA - Wyoming

San Juan Basin Gas-Gathering Pipeline System EA – New Mexico

Bell has managed and/or contributed to numerous environmental planning and permitting projects for the oil and gas Project locations are situated throughout the U.S., including the western states of Colorado, Wyoming, New Mexico, Montana, Utah, Arizona, California, and Alaska; and the eastern states of Vermont, New Hampshire, Maine, Ohio, Pennsylvania, New York, and Mississippi. He has also contributed to several environmental impact assessment reports for exploration and field development programs in the Amazon Basin of Ecuador. His contributions have been provided to a variety of oil and gas projects, including hydrocarbon leasing analyses, exploration wells, pilot/feasibility test programs, well field developments, gathering pipeline systems, major large diameter intrastate and interstate pipelines, gas plants, refineries, and oil and gas storage facilities. His experience includes both conventional oil and gas and coalbed methane/natural gas projects.

He has served as project manager for a number projects that have included analyses and documentation of impacts under the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) and the preparation of pre-NEPA project plans of development and completion of biological and cultural resource surveys. His NEPA compliance projects include both the preparation of EAs and EISs. Projects that he has managed include oil and gas leasing, exploration (both well- and geophysical-based programs), well field development. enhanced recovery, and gathering to major transportation pipeline projects for the industry and the federal agencies, including the USDA Forest Service, USDI Bureau of Land Management, USDI Bureau of Indian Affairs, and the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC). He has managed FERC permitting programs for interstate natural gas pipelines and state PUC permitting programs for intrastate pipelines.

Education

Professional Experience: 28 years

Masters Studies, Soil Science / Reclamation – Colorado State University **B.A.,** Distributive: Biology, Geology, Chemistry – University of Colorado