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Duties:

Amy has served the City of Lockport since 2003 as a Civil Engineer doing municipal design and construction projects. Her job duties include surveying, field investigation, design, preparation of plans and specifications, contract preparation and bidding for in-house projects to include watermain, sanitary sewer, storm sewer, drainage, roadway reconstruction, roadway maintenance and sidewalk construction. Construction duties included layout and staking, field inspection, pre-construction meetings, progress meetings, public meetings, scheduling, coordination with residents, businesses and schools, testing of utilities, pay estimate preparation and project closeout. Amy's day-to-day responsibilities include plan review of new subdivisions and commercial developments, review of site survey plans and top of foundation surveys, construction management and inspection of projects prepared by consultants, responding to resident phone calls, providing technical assistance to residents, inspection and testing of utilities and roadways in new developments, final inspections and preparation of punchlists, letter of credit reduction requests and project close-outs. During her time with the City of Lockport, Amy have played a key role in coordinating some very important major projects, including 5th and 12th Streets reconstruction, the Willow Walk Trunk Sewer project, and several street maintenance and sidewalk projects.

Employment History:

Amy has worked as a Civil Engineer for TranSystems Corporation in Schaumburg, Illinois and for Crawford, Murphy and Tilly, Inc. in Aurora, Illinois. While employed by these companies, Amy was able to work on several projects, including the North Taylor Basin Infrastructure Improvements Project in Glen Ellyn, Illinois, the City of Chicago Expressway Viaduct Program, the Milwaukee Avenue Bridge over Interstate 90, the Natoma Avenue Bridge over Interstate 90, the Fermi National Accelerator Laboratory, the Kankakee Airport Airfield Lighting Installation project, and as the project manager for City of Aurora's new construction inspection program. Some of Amy's other projects include resident engineering for a DuPage County Department of Environmental Concerns flood relief project, Consumers Illinois site piping for new above ground storage tanks and construction inspection of site piping for a new City of Aurora above ground storage tank.

Educational History:

Amy is a graduate of Lockport Township High School and received her Bachelor of Science degree from the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign in Civil Engineering in 1999. She has been a Licensed Professional Engineer in the State of Illinois since 2003 and a Class 3 Wastewater Treatment Works Operator since 2008.