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Ernest Howard has had over 44 years of hands-on experience on Federal, State, Municipal and private construction projects. The work was performed on heavy highway, bridges, airports, residential and commercial projects. Involvement includes all phases of construction – design build, procurement, construction and claim preparation and analysis.

OBJECTIVE

To serve as a Dispute Resolution Board Foundation member utilizing my 44 years of experience.

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

2022 – Current	Retired
2010 – 2022	Vice President Operations
2000 – 2010	Project Manager
1989 – 2000	General Superintendent
1985 – 1989	Superintendent
1980 – 1985	Foreman
1978 – 1980	Piledriver/Bridge Carpenter

DISPUTE RESOLUTION BOARD EXPERIENCE

Mr. Howard has been involved in numerous DRB meetings/hearings related to projects under his supervision.

PROJECT EXPERIENCES

HIGHWAY – New alignment; widening and reconstruction, new toll roads. Project scopes included extensive earthwork and grading; heavy construction phasing and maintenance of traffic; drainage and culverts; walls; erosion control; asphalt and concrete paving; tolling, ITS, lighting, signing and signalization.

STRUCTURES – Prestress; cast-in-place; post-tensioned; top-down; structural steel boxes and girders; rail; bridge rehabilitation.

MARINE – Bridges; ports; pile driving; piers; marinas; sea walls; bascule; demolition; ship unloader; submarine cables; dredging; riprap; scour protection; artificial reef construction.

FOUNDATIONS & PILE DRIVING – H-pile; pipe pile; prestress concrete; prestress concrete piles; drilled shafts; composite H-pile/prestress piles; steel sheet pile; H-pile lagging walls; cofferdams; sheet pile cells; soil nails; timer piles; spread footings; pile jackets; foundation cathodic protection systems.

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RECENT KEY PROJECTS*

FDOT SR-968/1st Street Bascule Bridge
FDOT SR-15 (US-17)
Tampa International Airport New Taxiway A & B Bridge
FDOT SR-46 (US-441) Widening
FDOT SR-87 New Bridge
COT Capital Cascade Bridge, Tallahassee, Florida
FDOT SR-69 Bridge Replacement
SR-20 Bridge Replacement
FDOT SR-30 Bridge Replacement
SR-269 Quincy Bypass
NEC Alutrint Material Storage Facility
Port of Galeota, Trinidad W.I.
MIC Bridge 10A, Miami, Florida
Tri-Rail New River Bridges, Ft. Lauderdale, FL

EDUCATION/CERTIFICATIONS

Local 1026 Apprentice of the Year – 1979
Miami-Dade Community College – 1980
Completed DRBF Administration & Practice Workshop - 2023
Concrete Field Testing Technician
30-Hour OSHA Training

REFERENCES AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST

***A MORE EXTENSIVE PROJECT LIST IS AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST**