

J. KENT O'BRIEN, P.E

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J. Kent O'Brien, P.E. currently serves as Senior Vice President and Managing Principal of the Austin office for Pape-Dawson Engineers, Inc. He has more than 26 years of experience providing civil engineering services to a variety of public and private clients in Central and South Texas. He grew up in South Texas, graduating from George West High School. He received his Bachelor of Science in Civil Engineering from Texas A&M University in 1983 and became a registered professional engineer in Texas in 1988.

Mr. O'Brien has held membership and leadership roles in multiple professional and civic organizations, including the American Society of Civil Engineers, Institute of Transportation Engineers, American Public Works Association, The Greater San Antonio and Greater Austin Chambers of Commerce, Gateway San Antonio, The Real Estate Council of Austin, CEC/PEPP Consultant Committee, North San Antonio Chamber of Commerce Infrastructure Committee, Society for Marketing Professional Services and the National Society of Professional Engineers and Texas Society of Professional Engineers (TSPE) in both Bexar and Travis Chapters and statewide. He has served TSPE in many successive leadership capacities over the past 20 years and is currently serving as the State President. In his career, Kent has managed and led a diverse range of land development, water resources and transportation projects, including all phases of design and construction. Throughout such projects he has been responsible for project administration and management, engineering design, as well as construction inspection. His areas of experience include residential, commercial and industrial land development,



Education:

Bachelor of Science in Civil Engineering,
Texas A&M University, 1983

Registration:

Professional Engineer, Texas No. 64398



federal, state and rural highways including interstate, new location and existing roadway rehabilitation, route and cost feasibility studies, schematic design and development, right-of-way requirements, site grading plans, construction administration and municipal and private utility systems

A few of Kent's more salient projects that he has led and managed include:

- TxDOT Rail Road Relocation Corridor Preservation Study
- CPS Energy Calaveras Plant Access Roadway Infrastructure
- Travis County Slaughter Lane East Project
- 3 separate Wurzbach Parkway Projects, City of San Antonio
- IH410/US281 Interchange
- Widening and reconstruction of IH410: Nacogdoches Rd. to Austin Hwy
- IH35 improvement and reconstruction in Selma, TX
- Schematic development for improvement of 22 miles of IH35 from San Antonio through New Braunfels to Hays County Line
- 3 General Service Contracts for the TxDOT SA District developing over 50 separate projects totaling over \$150 million
- Blackjack Oaks in Fair Oaks, TX
- Indian Hollow Apartments
- The Forum Retail Center
- Exchange Park Retail Center