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Brant Johnson Curriculum Vitae

BRANT A. JOHNSON

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

GRID UNITED – Senior Vice President, Development | 2021–Present

Executive leader responsible for development of large-scale, high-voltage transmission projects supporting grid reliability, resiliency, and integration.

- Hired and oversee a team of developers and project managers and external consultants responsible for major electric transmission projects.
- Lead end-to-end development strategy from early concept through permitting and commercial readiness; align routing, engineering, and stakeholder strategies.
- Direct routing/siting, environmental review, and land acquisition approaches across multi-jurisdictional regions; coordinate internal teams and external advisors.
- Serve as senior interface with utilities, regulators, landowners, public officials, and community stakeholders; manage political and reputational risk.
- Prepare development budgets, schedules, and risk assessments for executive leadership and investors; drive disciplined governance and decision cadence.

TC ENERGY – Director, U.S. Liquids Law: Environment, Land & Tribal Engagement | 2020–2021

Executive leader for regulatory, land, and stakeholder strategy on highly visible infrastructure projects.

- Directed tribal consultation and rural landowner engagement strategies; negotiated complex agreements and managed dispute resolution.
- Managed litigation and enforcement risk affecting capital investment outcomes; coordinated with government relations and external counsel.

TC ENERGY – Director, U.S. Land & Environmental Governance | 2017–2020

Promoted into a business governance role overseeing land and environmental governance supporting major regulated energy infrastructure assets across North America.

- Led a 120-person organization with a \$42MM annual budget; delivered governance, standards, and processes supporting development and operation across a 60,000+ mile asset footprint.
- Established enterprise frameworks for capital project siting, land access, and environmental compliance; improved audit readiness and regulator confidence.
- Supported major capital projects through regulatory risk assessment and land access feasibility; strengthened schedule certainty via standardized documentation and controls.

- Reduced program costs by \$70MM while improving compliance outcomes and organizational effectiveness.

COLUMBIA PIPELINE GROUP (TC Energy) – Assistant General Counsel, Projects & Development | 2015–2016

Supported a \$4B capital growth program involving regulated energy infrastructure.

- Coordinated multidisciplinary project teams (engineering, regulatory, land, finance, external advisors) supporting project development and investment readiness.
- Oversaw due diligence and integration for major transactions; strengthened documentation and processes supporting land acquisition and permitting.

TC ENERGY / TRANSCANADA – Senior Counsel (Major Projects & Operations) | 2009–2015

Led permitting, land access, and dispute strategy for large-scale, multi-state energy infrastructure development and operations.

- Lead counsel for right-of-way acquisition, regulatory permitting, and eminent domain and construction-related litigation across multiple states.
- Managed cross-functional responses to stakeholder opposition and public safety issues; coordinated with local law enforcement and communications teams.
- Secured time-critical environmental approvals by negotiating mitigation strategies with federal agencies and executing land acquisition to support permit conditions.

EARLY CAREER EXPERIENCE

LYONDELLBASELL INDUSTRIES – Senior Environmental Attorney | 2006–2009

- Managed a portfolio of ~400 CERCLA/remediation matters; led due diligence and liability-containment initiatives for legacy assets.
- Created the largest environmental bankruptcy trust in U.S. history.

HOUSTON HOUSING AUTHORITY – Associate General Counsel / Interim General Counsel | 2003–2006

- Led legal and risk management functions for a large federally regulated agency; supported multiple public/private development projects.
- Advised senior leadership on regulatory compliance and enforcement; negotiated and drafted key development and financing documents.

EL PASO CORPORATION – Senior Environmental Manager | 2000–2003

- Managed FERC environmental permitting and NEPA compliance for natural gas pipeline and storage projects across the U.S.; led public outreach and agency coordination.

ARTHUR ANDERSEN LLP – International Tax Associate | 1999–2000

- Researched and analyzed transaction structures; authored memoranda supporting corporate, partnership, and M&A matters.

INDUSTRY & THOUGHT LEADERSHIP

- **Adjunct Professor**, University of Houston Law Center (2016–2019)
- **Interstate Natural Gas Association of America (INGAA)**: EHS Committee Chair (2020); Legal/Regulatory & Environmental Committee
- **International Right of Way Association (IRWA)**: Pipeline Leadership Committee; conference presenter on tribal easements and project opposition

EDUCATION & CREDENTIALS

Juris Doctor, Brigham Young University – J. Reuben Clark Law School

Bachelor of Science, Zoology, Brigham Young University

Bar Admissions: Texas; Montana