

# JOSEPH C. JOHNSON, BCLS, CLS

Managing Partner, Professional Land Surveyor

## PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

### Association of British Columbia Land Surveyors

*Commissioned Member #604*  
*Former ABCLS Chairman*  
1981-Present

### Association of Canada Land Surveyors

*Commissioned Member*  
1994-Present

### Professional Surveyors Canada

*Member*  
2010-Present

## EDUCATION

### British Columbia Institute of Technology

*Dipl T (Diploma in Survey Technology)*  
1975-1977

## EXPERIENCE

### Browne Johnson Land Surveyors

*Managing Partner, Professional Land Surveyor*  
1977-Present

- Partner, responsible for field operations management, field survey assignments, office production and development planning.
- Involved in all aspects of the survey practice.
- Conducted a large variety of surveys on BC Lands for over 35 years: Joe has been involved in thousands of engineering and legal surveys throughout the North Okanagan, Shuswap, and Thompson regions.
- Conducted numerous surveys over the past two decades on the surrounding First Nations lands in the Okanagan and Thompson areas. Joe has developed a rapport with all of the band representatives looking after land transactions on their respective Reserves. That comfort level has facilitated the ease with which Registration Plans and

Official Plans are made on First Nations lands, and has encouraged those looking after the survey requests to contact Browne Johnson initially for advice on how to proceed.

- Extensive experience in retracing old boundaries on British Columbia and Canada Lands.
- Any of the large-scale jobs undertaken in the past by Browne Johnson have been overseen by Joe. The timely delivery of the product is an unquestionable requirement when we accept a particular project. Regardless of the difficulty, or of the number of unforeseeable circumstances, the final survey product is completed on time.
- As chairman of the Aboriginal Affairs Committee, Joe has been very cognisant of the state of Land Claim settlements in British Columbia. He has studied the Nisga'a Final Agreement, and has a solid understanding of the reasons for the areas that have been chosen in the final land transactions.