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Local Engineer Passes Licensing Exam

Whipple Consulting Engineers Employee gains Licensure

SPOKANE VALLEY, WA— A former Engineer in Training employed at Whipple Consulting Engineers recently became a Professional Engineer following the release by the National Council of Examiners for Engineering and Surveying of the results of the twice-yearly Principles of Engineering examination.

Sophia Trueblood, P.E. received word recently of her licensure. According to the National Society of Professional Engineers:

PE licensure is the engineering profession's highest standard of competence, a symbol of achievement and assurance of quality... A century ago, anyone could work as an engineer without proof of competency. In order to protect the public health, safety, and welfare, the first engineering licensure law was enacted in 1907 in Wyoming. Now every state regulates the

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practice of engineering to ensure public safety by granting only Professional Engineers (PEs) the authority to sign and seal engineering plans and offer their services to the public. (NSPE.com)

The road to professional licensure in Engineering is lengthy and difficult. It requires a four-year degree in Engineering from an accredited program, an additional four years of engineering experience under a PE, and a passing score on two historically difficult examinations.

Whipple Consulting Engineers is an established consulting firm providing professional services publicly and privately for over 20 years. Based out of Spokane Valley, Washington, WCE provides civil, structural and traffic engineering, land planning and landscape architectural services to the architectural and land development communities of the western United States.

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