INTERNATIONAL RIGHT OF WAY ASSOCIATION WEST VIRGINIA MOUNTAINEER CHAPTER 21



DRONE SEMINAR

June 9, 2017

Bridgeport Conference Center 300 Conference Center Way Bridgeport, West Virginia 26330

TO DRONEOR NOT TO DRONE

Presented By: CLAY RILEY & JOEY KIMMET OF THE THRASHER GROUP, INC.

In a world with ever changing technologies, new ideas and uses of these tech gadgets can be difficult to navigate the benefits for your company. This presentation will provide a brief history of the unmanned aerial vehicle (UAV) systems and the uses of drones. This will lead into the benefits and the where the future may lead with drone technology. Thrasher will close the presentation with a brief demonstration of the UAV.

NAVIGATING THE LEGALITIES OF DRONE USAGE

Presented By: BETH MINEAR OF THE CONTRACT LAND STAFF

Ms. Minear will provide an overview of drone usage with respect to land rights and project needs. It will explore existing land rights and how the use of UASs can be deemed consistent, as well as determining when supplemental rights are needed and how to draft. Finally, this presentation will look at the growing body of "drone law" as well as likely legal analysis using both existing land rights and case law, particularly in Ohio, Pennsylvania and West Virginia. While not all cases are on point, many courts have considered other technology advances when ruling for or against a claim of overburdening an easement or other estate. Review of these cases could give a good view of how courts may view in the future.

REGISTRATION:

\$75.00 to attend Lunch Provided by IRWA

Please Contact Ronnette Roberts to register at: 304-514-2602 or <u>ronnette.roberts@contractlandstaff.com</u> Check should be made payable to: IRWA Chapter 21

