**Jeff Grady:** I attended college at Southeast Community College in Milford and graduated in 2007 with an AAS in Land Surveying/Civil Engineering Technology. After college I entered the workforce with Olsson Associates in their Survey Department in Lincoln. When the economy slowed down in the mid 2000's I made the transfer to the Materials Testing/Special Inspections Team for Olsson in the Omaha area, working up from field technician to Project Manager. During that timeframe is when I met my now employer, Valley Corporation, while testing soils on one of their projects. For the last 11 years I have been employed by Valley Corporation, starting as Project Manager, Senior Project Manager and currently as Vice President. I have managed most scopes



of Demolition, Grading, Utility and Sewer Construction and Paving Operations on projects. I am currently a Contractor Director for NUCA of Nebraska and I also sit on the Excavation Safety Committee through the State of Nebraska as an appointed position which was in part created with the help of NUCA of Nebraska 811 Committee in previous years.

Jeff said, "I would like to be considered as a candidate for Vice President of NUCA of Nebraska Board of Directors to continue to be an advocate and voice for the Underground Industry within Nebraska regarding continued education of employees, education for the general public, workforce development issues, and other issues concerning our industry as a whole as they arise."