

John Gawronski

Summary Mr. Gawronski has over 35 years of pipeline industry expertise in the areas of Hazardous Liquids and Natural Gas Transmission and Distribution pipelines, risk-based integrity management programs for pipelines, developing pipeline codes and standards, as well as, monitoring and regulatory compliance reviews.

Employment 2003 - Present Independent Consultant Salem, NY

- Consulting services to PHMSA involving Operator Qualifications, Integrity Management Programs inspection protocol development, pipeline operator audit support.

1977 - 2003 NYS Department of Public Service Albany, NY
Chief Gas & Petroleum Safety

- Develop and administer pipeline safety programs for NYS regulator.

Education 1972-1974 The City College (CUNY) New York City, NY
M.S. Mechanical Engineering

1964-1969 The City College (CUNY) New York City, NY
B.S. Mechanical Engineering

Major Projects **Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration**

Provided consulting services to implement natural gas, and hazardous liquid pipeline safety codes' regulatory inspection processes concerning Operator Qualification and Pipeline Integrity Management Program (IMP) requirements. Served as Chair of the Technical Pipeline Safety Standards Committee as well as Co-Chair of Risk Assessment Quality Action Teams to apply risk-based approaches to manage pipeline safety practices. Provided guidance concerning Direct Assessment methods in evaluating corrosion impacts on pipelines. Supported pipeline integrity inspections.

New York State Department of Public Service

Provided guidance and direction to the New York Public Service Commission concerning the safe operation of natural gas, petroleum and steam pipeline systems. Developed and administered a risk-based pipeline safety inspection program, an excavation damage prevention program, enforced safety regulations, investigated root causes of pipeline failures, recommended remedial safety measures, and implemented pipeline safety performance measures for operators of pipeline systems.