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Berges celebrates 30 years of state service

Lynn Berges, Local Bridge Engineer in the Kansas Department of Transportation's Bureau of Local Projects, has achieved a career milestone and is celebrating 30 years of valued service to the State of Kansas.

Berges started with KDOT in 1994 in the Emporia Construction office as an Engineering Associate I. He transferred to the Bureau of Local Projects in 2000 where he has also served as the Assistant Bridge Engineer and Traffic Safety Engineer. He was promoted to his current position in 2015.

In his role, Berges helps cities and counties remain compliant with federal requirements for bridge inspections, conducts quality assurance reviews of bridge inspection data, oversees statewide programs for special bridge inspections and reviews plans for new bridges funded in part through KDOT programs.

From 2014 to 2019, he served on the board of officers for the Topeka Chapter of the Kansas Chapter of Professional Engineers and was president for the 2017-2018 term. Berges also was one of the original 20 KDOT employees trained to operate drones.

He and his wife, Jennifer, reside in Holton.

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