



Brian Farris has over 40 years of experience in environmental impact, public participation, and air quality programs. He has managed projects encompassing all aspects of environmental impact analysis, public information/participation, waste management, infrastructure, air quality, environmental regulatory and planning activities, air quality dispersion modeling, and fire and explosion risk assessment.

**Brian Farris**

**Principal Planner**

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**EDUCATION**

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**M.P.A., Public Administration, 1970**

**B.A., Sociology, 1967**

**Certified Environmental Professional (CEP) IPE1994**

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**AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION**

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**Program/Project Management**

**Environmental Compliance**

**Resource Management**

**Permitting**

**Public Involvement**

**EMPLOYMENT SUMMARY**

- 2006-DATE: Hauge Brueck Associates, LLC. Principal Planner
- 1989-2005: Parsons. Senior Project Manager
- 1998-1999: Parsons Brinckerhoff Quade & Douglas, Inc. Senior Project Manager
- 1979-1989: South Coast Air Quality Management District. Program Supervisor
- 1971-1979: Southern California Association of Governments. Senior Regional Planner
- 1967-1971: City of Los Angeles, Planning Department. City Planning Associate

## EMPLOYMENT

**2006-Date: Hauge Brueck Associates, LLC. Principal Planner.** Prepared sections of the Mariposa County General Plan and Final EIR in response to changes by the Board of Supervisors, and prepared the EIR for the Catheys Valley Specific Plan in southern Mariposa County. Prepared updates to the Rohnert Park Stadium Master Plan EIR in response to requests by the City of Rohnert Park, CA. Also prepared or assisted in studies for various clients including the Diamond Valley Reservoir air quality impact analysis, Greenway Shared-Use Trail EIR, Grizzly Mountain Booster Station IS/MND, Homewood Mountain Resort Ski Area Master Plan EIR/EIS, and various NEPA-related tasks for the Southern Nevada Water Authority.

**1989-2005: Parsons. Senior Project Manager.** Managed preparation of an environmental impact report for the Mariposa County General Plan. The document was prepared within an extremely short time schedule, meeting all CEQA requirements. In addition, prepared air quality, noise, visual resources, and other impact analyses for a proposed wastewater treatment plant in Petaluma, CA, and for the proposed South Tahoe Public Utilities District reclaimed water treatment and disposal facilities plan.

Prepared environmental impact analyses for a proposed combined cycle power plant in southern California, meeting California Energy Commission requirements including managing and quality control for air quality, water resources, land use, socioeconomics, traffic, and other environmental media.

Manager of environmental mitigation measure compliance for the Pasadena-Los Angeles Blue Line project. This program includes tracking and reporting compliance with CEQA-required mitigation measures for design and construction of a major light rail transit project.

Prepared socioeconomic impact analyses for the National Park Service for park management plans, including socioeconomic impact modeling and assessment.

Manager of the Bangkok Air Quality Management Project for the city of Bangkok and the World Bank. This involved all aspects of air quality and international environmental project preparation to meet local and World Bank standards. This included management of the work of a variety of local sub-consultant and expatriate environmental professionals.

Prepared and presented comprehensive air quality plan development training for Beijing China. Consulted to the Municipality of Beijing on mobile and stationary source air quality planning and energy issues, and directed preparation of an air quality plan for the city. The work was performed both in Beijing and the United States, and involved extensive interaction with Chinese staff of all disciplines, and with the World Bank.

Managed and directed the Environmental Sciences Department, which provides comprehensive services in the areas of environmental impact analyses for water supply projects, port and transportation projects, integrated natural resources plans, waste management facilities, biological studies, water quality and watershed management, stormwater plans, major public infrastructure projects, and NEPA/CEQA/EA and related environmental compliance studies.

Managed the environmental compliance program for construction of the Metro Rail Red Line subway system under contract with the Metropolitan Transportation Authority.

Managed the preparation of the environmental assessments for the development of three major projects in Saudi Arabia including a natural gas processing plant and pipelines project, a new polyethylene plant, and a new gas/oil separation plant. This effort also includes oversight of dispersion modeling and fire/explosion risk assessment.

**Manager, Air Quality Services Department (1992-1995).** Managed and directed the activities of the Air Quality Services Department, providing assistance to government and industry for domestic and overseas air quality permitting assistance, regulatory analysis, stationary source emissions evaluation,

mobile source emissions analysis and controls, control technology studies, risk assessments, and ambient air quality measurements. Additional responsibilities included cost control and project quality assurance.

Provided overall program management for federal and local CAAA Title V permitting for 14 Air Force bases and numerous steel manufacturing facilities, defense and aerospace plants, petroleum distribution facilities, chemical plants, printing plants, and other manufacturing facilities throughout the United States. Managed the coordination of air quality impact analysis, regulatory compliance, and environmental impact documentation for federal and local air quality permits for the Metropolitan Water District in Southern California.

**Senior Project Manager (1989-1992).** Responsible for management of a variety of environmental impact, air quality, and socioeconomic impact analysis projects. Provided on-call air quality assistance to a major Southern California water district, and managed the environmental and permitting analysis for a groundwater remediation pilot program. Managed preparation of environmental impact reports for a major port container cargo facility and four major bulk liquid terminals in Los Angeles Harbor. Prepared air quality and energy impact analyses for two major oil terminals in the Harbor. Prepared the air quality impact analysis for a major resort development, and managed the environmental analysis and permitting for the re-use of incinerator ash as a manufacturing feed stock.

Managed the preparation of an environmental impact report for a new wastewater treatment plant in a city in Riverside County, which included an analysis of area-wide growth inducement and air quality plan conformance.

**1998-1999: Parsons Brinckerhoff Quade & Douglas, Inc. Manager, Environmental Services Department.** Managed the environmental department, providing environmental impact analysis services for a wide variety of transit and transportation projects. These projects included widening State Route 22 freeway for HOV lanes, and building new overpasses over existing freeways.

**1979-1989: South Coast Air Quality Management District. Program Supervisor.** Managed the environmental impact analysis and energy planning programs. Directed preparation of environmental impact reports for air quality regulatory actions, specific proposed major industrial projects, and regional Air Quality Management Plans. Prepared the first Air Quality Impact Analysis Guidebook for CEQA Projects in California. These activities also included management of the intense public participation components for these controversial proposals.

**1971-1979: Southern California Association of Governments. Senior Regional Planner.** Managed four regional planning programs: the Development Guide Program, Conservation and Open Space Planning Program, Energy Planning Program, and Environmental Impact Analysis Program. Directed the preparation of regional population and land use plans.

**6/1967-9/1971: City of Los Angeles, Planning Department. City Planning Associate.** Participated in and headed the preparation of twenty-two transportation and public facilities elements for the General Plan.

## PROJECTS

### Environmental Documentation

Mariposa County, CA	Three Lakes Groundwater Project
General Plan EIR, 2006	Coyote Springs to Moapa Pipeline
Catheys Valley Community Plan Negative Declaration, 2007	South Tahoe Public Utility District, CA
Road Standards Negative Declaration, 2007	Recycled Water Facilities Master Plan EIR, 2007-2009
Catheys Valley Supplemental EIR, 2010	City of Sutter Creek, CA
Redwood City, CA	Gold Rush Ranch and Golf Resort EIR editor, 2007-2009
Saltworks Project Environmental Documentation, 2010-date	County of Placer
City of Rohnert Park, CA	Homewood Mountain Resort Ski Area Master Plan EIR/EIS, 2011
Stadium Area Master Plan EIR, 2006-2008	Grizzly Mountain Booster Station IS/MND
City of Santa Rosa, CA and US Corps of Engineers	South Coast Air Quality Management District
Santa Rosa Subregional Long-Term Wastewater Project EIR/EIS, 2000-2005	Air Quality Management Plan EIR 1985, 1987, and 1989
Southern Nevada Water Authority, NV	EIRs for various air quality management rules and regulations
In-State Water Resource Development Projects	Documentation to establish air quality permitting process as a “functional equivalent” under CEQA
Clark Lincoln and White Pine Counties Groundwater Development Project	State of California
Virgin and Muddy Rivers	Greenway EIR
Surface Water Development Project	

### Public Outreach and Consent Building

Redwood City, CA
Saltworks Project “Transportation, Air Quality, Noise, Greenhouse Gas Emissions Open House Scoping Meeting”, 2011

### Community & Regional Planning

City of Los Angeles	Southern California Association of Governments
Twenty-two transportation and public facilities for the Interim City General Plan, 1967-1971.	Southern California Regional Development Guide, 1973 and 1975
	Regional Conservation and Open Space Plan and EIR, 1976

## MEMBERSHIPS, REGISTRATIONS, AND CERTIFICATES

Air and Waste Management Association, 1991-2005

## PUBLICATIONS

Air and Waste Management Association, “Air Quality Planning in Beijing, China”, Cincinnati, Ohio, 1997, and San Francisco, California, 1998.