

## Region 5 Member Spotlight - November 2021

Region 5 has chosen **Aaron Rohlfing** of Chapter 88 (Three Rivers) as the Member Spotlight for November 2021. Aaron works as a Right of Way Agent with Century Engineerings, Inc. in their Pittsburgh office. He assists with various assignments, clients and projects including real estate acquisitions, relocation advisory assistance, property management, negotiations and title research. So far, Aaron has 10 years in the industry working with a variety of clients in the energy, real estate, and transportation/infrastructure sectors.

Once Aaron graduated from Washington & Jefferson College, he became an abstractor performing a variety of title related duties for oil and gas focused clients. He enjoyed learning the “title side” of the industry, and found that his skills and background translated nicely to field acquisitions and landowner/client relations. He was (and still am) incredibly fortunate to have worked with great team members as well as managers and leaders who took time to train and teach him big picture items as well as the technical aspects of his positions.

Aaron first heard about IRWA through other industry trade groups and magazines, however, Jonny Garner (President of Chapter 88) was instrumental in getting him formally involved with the IRWA. Jonny invited Aaron to a “lunch and learn” meeting through the Pittsburgh Right of Way Group (PITROW Group) and he has been hooked ever since. Aaron has been a member of IRWA since 2019 and is currently serving at the Vice President of Chapter 88.

Aaron has learned that no matter how long you’ve been in an industry or how long you’ve been doing your job, there is always a new perspective and skill set to learn or master. He learned early on, everyday you are not challenging yourself and getting better, someone else (likely your competitor) is taking advantage of that opportunity.

Aaron currently lives in Carnegie, Pennsylvania (just outside of Pittsburgh) with his wife, Marta and their 2 very spoiled cats, Captain and Ava. When not tackling home projects or the growing “to-do” list, Aaron enjoys listening to music and being outdoors whenever possible. Aaron also enjoys playing lacrosse for his men’s league team, the Pork Chop Platoon, in Pittsburgh.

