

**David "Red" Faulkenberg
for
Spencer County Surveyor**

Red, 62, lives in rural Grandview. He has been married to Shirley (Mattingly) Faulkenberg for 40 years. They have 2 children, daughter Allison Durnil (husband Seth) of Grandview, and son Wesley Faulkenberg of Chicago. He has 4 grandchildren, Mason (16), Nolan (14), Hayden (12) and Abram (1). He was a 1971 graduate of Tell City High School and he attended ISUE, now the University of Southern Indiana, where he studied Business Administration.

Red has worked in the coal industry for 42 years and counting. For the past 35 years he has been the Superintendent at various locations across the tri-state. For the last 12 years in addition to his Supervisor duties he has also served as Safety Director. Among his top responsibilities are overseeing all aspects of mining from the first topsoil removal to the final reclamation of the projects. This includes all material handling, coal removal, and the restoring of the land back to crop producing farms. This included leveling, drainage, and reseeded the land to the landowners' satisfaction and Department of Natural Resources specifications.

Red has worked with several government agencies. They include the Mine Safety and Health Administration (MSHA), the Department of Environmental Management, the Corp of Engineers, the Department of Natural Resources in Indiana, Kentucky, and Illinois, the Office of Surface Mining, and various local Environmental Protection Agencies.

Red also holds various licenses and certificates. He is a licensed Mine Supervisor in Indiana, Kentucky, and Illinois. Along with being a Certified MSHA Safety Instructor, he also has certifications in Methane Detection, Dust Sampling, Noise Level Testing and Oxygen Deficiency.

As Surveyor, Red will use his decades of experience with government officials, contractors, and local landowners to better serve the residents of Spencer County. He will be honest, hardworking, dependable and fair to everyone.