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# **Brief History**

I am originally from and currently live in Kansas City, KS. I received my electrical engineering degree from the University of Kansas in 2004. Later that summer, I began working for the R.E. Pedrotti Company and have been with the company my entire career. As both a project manager and controls engineer, I enjoy working with municipalities to add or update their instrumentation and plant SCADA systems.

My incredible wife, Kelly, and I just celebrated our 17th anniversary and have 2 boys and a girl ranging from 15 to 7 years old that keep us extremely active (and broke).

#### **Favorite Quote**

"Play stupid games, win stupid prizes" -Unknown

## **Fun Fact**

I have been a youth football head coach for the past 4 years. Last year, our 3rd grade tackle team was selected by the Chiefs organization to play during half-time at Arrowhead in front of 76k+ fans. Being a life-long fan myself, it was an amazing experience to hear the crowd roar for something you were involved in. Meeting with all of the players and staff as well as getting the exhibition "W" during a Superbowl championship season was an opportunity that my team and I will never forget.

## My job would be easier if....

...I had an airplane or a helicopter to get me from one city to the next. In my position, I physically have to attend project coordination meetings and visit with customers to survey plant needs, and often have to be back home in time for a practice or game by 5:30 or 6 p.m. that makes it incredibly difficult.