



Bellevue, Washington

Eastside Genealogical Society

Eastside Genealogical Society presents:

Across the Prairie: Land Records in the Public Land States

Our speaker: Jamie Lee McManus Mayhew
Thursday, October 14, 2021 at 7:00 pm PST
Via Zoom---watch for the link

About our speaker: Jamie Lee McManus Mayhew is a California native with deep Southern U.S. roots. She is a speaker, family genealogist, genealogical educator, occasional blogger, and professional researcher. Jamie is active in numerous societies and organizations and has served as president of several. She is the founder and principal researcher for CALIFORNIA COUSINS, providing family history research and education.



About our program: Land records form the largest group of records for our ancestors and often leave the only clues to marriages, deaths, and relationships. When records were destroyed, land records were the first to be recreated, leading to information where little else existed. Thirty states in the U.S. are public land states using the rectangular survey system of townships and ranges. Jamie will discuss the differences between Federal Land States and State Land States, where to find land records and how to read them.

Everyone is welcome---we hope you will join us.

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