

## **Jennifer Vilbig**

### ***Tell us a little about yourself.***

Hi! I am Jennifer Vilbig Lawson. I am a 2nd generation civil engineer and native of Dallas. I am recently married and have a wild 2-year-old jack russel terrier. She keeps life interesting!

### ***Tell us a little about your business.***

Vilbig & Associates is civil engineering and surveying consulting firm that was founded by my parents in Dallas in 1983. We have been doing work in Grayson County for over 20 years, and we moved our office to Denison in 2017. We help small business owners, property owners, developers and municipalities with construction plans for water lines, sewer lines, parking lots, street, and landscape plans. We're small but look forward to continuing to our growth. My parents are not retiring anytime soon, but when they do my brother, Tommy, who is also a civil engineer, and I will be ready to continue the tradition of the Vilbig family in Texas business since 1886.

### ***How long have you worked at your job?***

8 years with VA, 13 years as an engineer

### ***What you like most about your job?***

I am a jill of all trades. Every day is different working for a small business.

### ***What is the best career lesson you've learned?***

Your boss can make or break your career. If you find a good one, keep in touch with them!

### ***What do you like to do when you aren't working?***

Read, run (to keep up with my dog), cook with my husband, waterski and I am learning how to play golf. I also volunteer with the Texas Society of Professional Engineers and Society of American Military Engineers.

### ***What's a fun fact about you that many people do not know?***

I've traveled to 21 countries and both of my grandfathers went to school for electrical engineering.

### ***Where's your favorite place in the world?***

Anywhere with friends and family

### ***Three words to best describe you.***

Inquisitive, kindhearted & intelligent

### ***Why should businesses join the Denison Area Chamber of Commerce?***

For the awesome community!