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Welcome to the office of Jon Dieges,  
Architect.

Born and raised in Ojai, I am a one-person architectural firm specializing in complex energy-efficient residential, commercial and institutional buildings.

Since receiving my architect's license (#C10466) in 1979 and my general building contractor's license (#437536) in 1983, I have designed and drawn the plans for dozens of building projects every year.

Some of the largest public buildings for which I have been responsible are:  
Ojai Valley Foursquare Church (10,000 square feet, completed 1984);  
115 Pirie Road Medical Complex (9,000 square feet, completed 1994);  
Meiners Oaks Ace Hardware (formerly Double J and then Valley Market) (13,000 square feet, completed 1981);

and Help of Ojai, next to Ojai City Hall (5,000 square feet, completed 1992).

I have also created designs and construction plans for residential projects as small as 96 square feet (a bathroom addition) and as large as 9,600 square feet (a huge residence atop Sulphur Mountain partially completed by my client and later absorbed into Larry Hagman's 27,000 square foot house).

I personally observe and inspect the construction of my architectural projects, often visiting them once a day to answer questions, anticipate potential mistakes, and give out praise where it is deserved. To do this efficiently, I have voluntarily restricted myself to jobs in the greater Ojai Valley area.

I pride myself on being the most cost effective architect in town, giving my clients the most for their money, including doing my own structural calculations. I am a hands on architect, working closely with general contractors and their subs to ensure the careful execution of my clients' dreams.

While at the University of California, Berkeley, School of Architecture, I founded and edited the student *Journal of Environmental Design* for nine issues