

Pamela Lowe, Executive Director, Idaho Transportation Department



Pamela K. Lowe became Executive Director of the Idaho Transportation Department in January 2007. Lowe has more than 25 years of engineering experience, including positions in the private sector, with the Federal Highway Administration and with the Arizona Department of Transportation. She began her career with the FHWA working on construction and design projects throughout the country. She was the first female to oversee a construction project in that organization's history.

During her tenure at ADOT, she co-located her staff with the personnel from a worldwide consulting firm and developed Arizona's Project Management model for design development and construction coordination that is in use at ADOT today. She began her career at ITD in 1993 as a construction associate, advanced to planning services manager and then to regional engineer in 1997. Lowe became the first female district engineer in Idaho when she was chosen to lead District 3 in December 2000.

Lowe was promoted to DMV administrator in 2004. Under her leadership, the division initiated a process to evaluate current computing deficiencies and identify options for securing a new statewide system for issuing licenses, titles and vehicle registrations.

She is a registered professional engineer in Oregon, Idaho and Arizona.