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Summary:

- ✓ **Experience:** 30 years in the field of energy, technology, and environmental science
- ✓ **Management:** 20 years of managing of up to 40 science, policy, and energy employees
- ✓ **Leadership:**
 - Director, DEP's Energy Programs Office
 - Director, DEP's Energy, Innovations and Technology Office
 - Director, Pennsylvania Energy Development Authority
 - Member, National Association of State Energy Officials, Board of Directors
- ✓ **Responsibility:**
 - Developed and deployed dozens of new energy policy and incentive programs
 - Deployed over \$100 million dollars in federal clean energy funding during ARRA
 - Deploying over a \$1 billion dollars in federal clean energy funding via IIJA and IRA
- ✓ **Mission:** Dedicated to reducing greenhouse gas emissions, improving our environment, increasing equity, and safeguarding Pennsylvania's indigenous natural resources.

Experience Sr. Management:

Director, Pennsylvania State Energy Office:

PADEP, Energy Programs Office, Harrisburg, PA.

Responsibilities, Activities, Achievements

- Overall management of the DOE-recognized Pennsylvania State Energy Office
- Oversight of Pennsylvania's Climate Change Act responsibilities: emissions inventory, action plan & impacts analysis
- Deployment of IIJA and IRA clean energy funding in Pennsylvania
- Oversight of Pennsylvania's Alternative Energy Portfolio Standard
- Oversight of Pennsylvania's Energy Assurance and Energy Security Program
- Oversight of DEP's Alternative Fuels Incentive Grant program
- Development of the Pennsylvania's Drive Electric PA coalition and PA Electric Vehicle Roadmaps
- Development of Pennsylvania's Energy Storage Consortium, PA Energy Storage Report and PA Food Waste to Energy Report
- Author of "Finding Pennsylvania's Solar Future" PA's Solar Future Plan

Experience Sr. Management Cont'd:

Executive Director, Pennsylvania Energy Development Authority:

PADEP, Pennsylvania Energy Development Authority, Harrisburg, PA

Responsibilities, Activities, Achievements

- Management of PEDDA incentive grant programs (\$30 Million)
- Operation of PEDDA including: 19-member board of director meetings, development of the PEDDA Energy Development Plan, fiscal and annual reports, and audit.
- Developed the 1st of its kind PEDDA COVID -19 Restart grant program to support the restart of clean energy projects halted due to COVID-19
- Spearheaded efforts to establish PEDDA as a State Green Bank
- Supervision of subordinate PEDDA staff

Bureau Director, Bureau of Energy Innovations and Tech Development

PADEP, Office of Energy and Technology Deployment, Harrisburg, PA

Responsibilities, Activities, Achievements

- Oversaw the successful deployment and completion of the PA's portion of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act, (\$136 million)—deployed as various clean energy grant, rebate and loan programs
- Established the \$12 million Green Energy Revolving Loan Fund
- Oversaw the successful deployment and completion of the \$113 million PA Sunshine residential and commercial solar grant program
- Oversaw the development and implementation of the Act 13 of 2012 Natural Gas Energy Development program (\$20 million)
- Assisted with development of PA Act 78, the Penn Security Fuels Initiative
- Assumed responsibility for development and implementation of PA's State Energy Assurance Plan, as well as led energy emergency response and recovery
- Supervision of three division chiefs and over 40 subordinate staff

Team Leadership, Practical Experience:

Environment and Technology Group

PADEP, Office of Energy and Technology Deployment, Harrisburg, PA
Chief, Division of Energy Policy & Technology Deployment

Energy/Environment Program Specialist

PADEP, Office of Pollution Prevention and Compliance Assistance, Harrisburg, PA
Staff Member, Division of Technology Development

Solid Waste Specialist

PA DER/DEP, Bureau of Waste Management, Harrisburg, PA
Regulator/Inspector, Field Operations

Memberships, Committees, Responsibilities, Awards, Education

- Board member, National Association of State Energy Officials (current)
- PJM States Energy and Environment Committee (current)
- Staff member, Independent States Agency Committee (current)
- PADEP Delegate, Pennsylvania GreenGov Council (current)
- Chair, DEP Executive Sustainability Team (current)
- Steering committee member, PA Climate and Resiliency Network (current)
- Steering committee member, Drive Electric Pennsylvania Coalition (current)
- Steering committee member, Pennsylvania Energy Futures Project (past)
- Two-Time winner of PADEP Individual Award for Excellence
- USDOE Exceptional Achievement Award (ARRA)
- Bachelor of Science, Environmental Studies, University of Pittsburgh, 1992