

## Sheree Davis, New Jersey DOT

Sheree Davis is the Manager of the Bureau of Commuter and Mobility Strategies at the New Jersey Department of Transportation. She also serves as the State Bicycle & Pedestrian Program Coordinator.

Sheree has been serving as New Jersey's Bicycle & Pedestrian Coordinator for the past 11 years. During her tenure, the Bicycle & Pedestrian Program has received the Outstanding Sustainable Initiative Award by the NJ American Planning Association and the State Government Partner Award from the East Coast Greenway Alliance. Recently, Sheree was presented with the Leadership Award from the Newark Regional Business Partnership for her work in enhancing mobility for non-motorized transportation in the region.

Under Sheree's direction the Department became one of the first states to adopt a Complete Streets Policy. New Jersey was recognized two years in a row by the National Complete Streets Coalition for having the strongest Complete Streets Policy in the country.

Sheree is well known around the country for her leadership in improving pedestrian safety in New Jersey. New Jersey was one of the first states to adopt a Pedestrian Safety Action Plan in 2005. This 5-year plan was funded at \$74 million dollars and continues to be funded today. Capitalizing on her expertise in pedestrian safety, Sheree was tapped by NJDOT Commissioner James Simpson to oversee the development and implementation of the New Jersey Safety at Railroads Short-Term Action which she will speak about today.

Sheree is a career state employee with 27 years of service. She holds a Bachelor's Degree in Physical Education from Temple University in Philadelphia and a Master's Degree in Education from The College of New Jersey.