



## **NCSITE Mentoring Program**

### **Mentor Resume:**

***Teresa Hart, PE, CPM***

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***Raleigh, NC***

**Contact Information:**

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**Educational Background:**

- BS in Civil Engineering (NC State University, Raleigh NC)
- NC Public Manager Program (2000)
- Certified Public Manager (2000)

**Work Background:**

- 40 total years of experience in planning/engineering for complex to small transportation projects to improve infrastructure. Provided project management and technical oversight. In depth experience in environmental and NEPA planning, consultant project management, business development, leadership management, and public speaking. Project Development and Environmental Manager, Director of Public Transportation for NCDOT Public Transportation Division,
- 33 years transportation experience with in depth knowledge of inter agency coordination and relationship building. Instrumental in project development and project management processes, technical guidance and training, established policies and collaborate with special interest groups, federal, state, and local governments. Led state's program to promote Intercity, Urban and Rural public transportation, light rail, and policy development at the highest levels.
- 9 years of marketing and client management and service delivery for public and private entities. Business development, proposal development, financial management. Project management, technical oversight, for transportation projects. Management and office leadership for private engineering firm.

**Career Volunteer Background:**

- Member, High Point University Industrial Engineering Advisory Board (2021-Present)
- Member, Women's Transportation Seminar NC Triangle Chapter (WTS) (2016-Present)
- Co- chair, ACEC/NCDOT Planning Committee (2014-2015)
- Member, ACEC/NCDOT Planning Committee (2005-Present)



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- Co-Executive Sponsor, JMT Business Resource Group for Veterans (2022-Present)
- Regional Action Plans for NC Transit Systems (2012-2013)
- Coordinator, Project Development/NEPA /FHWA Training (2014-2016)
- STaRS Initiative Development and Implementation Committee Member
- AASHTO Standing Committee on the Environment (2009-2012)
- Advisor, PDEA Regionalization Initiative (2004-2005)
- Member, National Society of Black Engineers
- NC Institute of Transportation Engineers
- District 37 SEANC Scholarship Chair (2008-2016)
- District 37 SEANC Vice – Chair (2010-2012)
- AAU Boys Basketball Coach (2009-2014)

### **What's different about me:**

- Over 40 years of diverse experience in both state government and private engineering sector. Experienced in leadership roles leading large staff of technical transportation experts of various disciplines and expertise, technical project delivery, business development, and client management.
- Served in appointed position(Director of Public Transportation) and worked directly with state legislators, Governor, Secretary of Transportation, and Board of Transportation.
- Woman of the Year WTS NC Triangle Chapter (2018)
- First African American Female Manager to lead PDEA Unit developing major Highway and Bridge Projects.
- In depth knowledge of transportation planning and environmental planning.
- Mentored numerous young professionals and help sharpen their Engineering Transportation and NEPA planning skills for success
- Have an extensive network of federal, state, municipal and local government professionals to introduce the mentee where they can expand their knowledge and resources.
- Effective communications skills, written, verbal including public speaking experience.



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- In depth Knowledge of transportation process, including project management, financial management and marketing.

### **I attribute my success to the following:**

- Strong Ambition and my personal desire to contribute to my community
- Being Proactive....Being prepared for opportunities
- Surrounding myself with a very collaborative team of extraordinary professionals with various expertise to have as a resource.
- Strong Family support

### **Other Passions/Hobbies/Interests:**

- Enjoying sports (basketball and football)
- Cake decorating and baking
- Cruising and enjoying the beach
- Volunteer work with young children
- Gardening and family time