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Alana Shockey

Deputy Director, Sustainability and Regulatory Compliance Columbus, Ohio, United States

Summary

Executive-level municipal leader with expertise in sustainability, regulatory compliance, and environmental advocacy. Leads a diverse team of sustainability and environmental professionals, regulatory compliance advisors, and communications and outreach coordinators. Implements ambitious climate change policies and programs centered on community collaboration, equity, anti-racism, and environmental justice.

Experience

City of Columbus 6 years 7 months

Deputy Director, Sustainability and Regulatory Compliance September 2022 - Present (1 year 4 months)

Columbus, Ohio Metropolitan Area

Assistant Director, Sustainability and Regulatory Compliance January 2021 - September 2022 (1 year 9 months)

Columbus, Ohio Metropolitan Area

- Oversaw Department of Public Utilities Regulatory Compliance and Sustainability Offices
- Advised drinking water, wastewater, stormwater, and electric utilities on environmental compliance
- Interacted with regulatory agencies on compliance, regulatory development, permitting
- Monitored state and federal legislative activity and developed of legislative advocacy
- Oversaw maintenance of Environmental Management System conforming to ISO 14001 standard
- Maintained all Assistant Director, Sustainability responsibilities

Assistant Director, Sustainability
June 2017 - December 2020 (3 years 7 months)
City of Columbus

- Oversaw Blueprint Columbus implementation and supervised Blueprint Columbus outreach staff
- Recommended City sustainability goals and oversaw achievement of same
- Advised the City on environmental objectives related to climate change, energy, and ecological systems
- Collaborated with environmental stakeholders, inside and outside the City
- Served on Stormwater Drainage Manual variance committee and review and updates to same
- Oversaw the City's EcoSmart Agreement providing for the purchase of renewable energy products

Frost Brown Todd Senior Associate April 2015 - June 2017 (2 years 3 months)

Columbus, Ohio Metropolitan Area

- Advised clients on complex wastewater, wetland, drinking water, and contaminated site issues
- Negotiated with Ohio EPA to find wastewater and storm water NPDES permits compliance solutions
- Litigated multifaceted judicial and administrative matters on behalf of businesses and municipalities
- Served as Ohio State Bar Association, Environmental Law Committee Vice Chair and Secretary

Ohio Attorney General's Office

5 years 8 months

Associate Assistant Attorney General, Environmental Enforcement Section

November 2010 - April 2015 (4 years 6 months)

Columbus, Ohio Metropolitan Area

- Litigated environmental cases from referral through case filing, discovery, trial, and appeal
- Advised Ohio EPA on environmental laws, including surface water, drinking water, and air pollution laws
- 2012 and 2013 Co-Chair for the Ohio State Bar Association Environment, Energy and Resources Seminar
- 2013 Ohio Attorney General's Office All Staff Meeting PRIDE Award Recipient

Assistant Attorney General, Planning & Analysis September 2009 - November 2010 (1 year 3 months) Columbus, Ohio Metropolitan Area

- Assisted the Ohio Attorney General, General Counsel, and First Assistant Attorney General
- Researched Advanced Energy and Research & Commercialization Task Forces legal questions
- Oversaw the Economic Development Accountability Program
- Drafted agency rules streamlining the operation of the Environmental Background Investigation Unit

Education

The George Washington University Law School Doctor of Law - JD · (August 2006 - May 2009)

The Ohio State University

Bachelor of Arts - BA, History · (September 2002 - June 2006)