

Natalie Meeks, PE

As the Public Works Director for the City of Anaheim, Natalie Meeks oversees an operation with 250 employees and a budget of over \$300 million. She has established a culture of results through collaboration and the achievements resulting from this philosophy have earned her department awards for Top 100 Fleet, World Class Partnerships, Project Design and Project Management.

As part of a progressive executive team in Anaheim, she takes the lead on innovative transportation projects that will provide residents and visitors greater options for traveling in and around Anaheim. The recently completed LEED Platinum designed Anaheim Regional Transportation Intermodal Center (ARTIC) will create a transportation gateway and a mixed-use activity center in the heart of Orange County. ARTIC has been recognized by multiple organizations for outstanding design and sustainability.

During her 27 years with Anaheim, Meeks' has been instrumental in accomplishing many significant projects which change the way people travel and experience Anaheim, including transformation of the Anaheim Resort Area, the Anaheim Convention Center Grand Plaza, and advancing the proposal to construct a modern streetcar connecting Anaheim's destination centers. The innovative and progressive planning and design of these projects provide the foundation for Anaheim's world class destinations.

She is dedicated to her profession and developing young engineers through a robust internship program in Anaheim. She has also served in leadership positions for professional organizations and served as the co-chair for the 2012 APWA International Congress and Exposition.

Meeks received her bachelor's degree in Civil Engineering from California State University, Fullerton and a master's degree in Organizational Leadership from Chapman University.