

**Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation
Division of Recreation Education Services
Staff Roster**

Gerald Parish

Interim Director, Recreation Education

731-512-1370

Gerald.Parish@tn.gov

| NAME | POSITION | RESPONSIBILITIES |
|---|---|---|
| Arnold, Silke 615-532-0758 Silke.Arnold@tn.gov | Accounting Technician | Auditing reimbursement requests. Working with budget revisions and amendments. Responsible for grant signage |
| Avant, Bill 615-532-0052 Bill.Avant@tn.gov | GIS/Land Acquisition Manager | Managing GIS services for TDEC state land management. Technical advisor to State Lands Acquisition Committee. Designing projects, programs or procedures for GIS and land acquisitions. Conservation environmental review for the RES grant process. |
| Buntin, Ella 615-532-0752 Ella.Buntin@tn.gov | Administrative Services Assistant | Internal division operations |
| Burke, Alice 615-532-0765 Alice.Burke@tn.gov | Grants Administrator (ASA-4) | Grants management for LWCF, LPRF, RTP, TRIP, HCTF, HPP, and NRTF Grant Contracts. Researching grant guidelines, regulations and requirements. Liaison with local, state and federal agencies. |
| Guy, Kimberly 615-532-0748 Kimberly.D.Guy@tn.gov | Administrative Secretary | Administration for TDEC Commissioner's Council on Greenways and Trails |
| Johnson, April, CPRP, CPSI 865-594-2144 April.Johnson@tn.gov | East TN PARTAS (Parks and Recreational Technical Advisory Service) Consultant | Providing training, grant assistance, technical service, assessments, strategic planning and grant support to local governments in East Tennessee. Post completion inspections on grant projects |
| Parish, Gerald, CPRP, CPSI 731-512-1370 Gerald.Parish@tn.gov | Recreation Planning Resources Manager | Managing the PARTAS Section and the Grants Section for division. Providing training, grant assistance, technical service, assessments, strategic planning and grant support through PARTAS to local governments in West Tennessee |

| | | |
|---|--|--|
| <p>Richards, Robert (Bob) CPRP 615-532-0753 Robert.Richards@tn.gov</p> | <p>Greenways & Trails Program Coordinator</p> | <p>Developing Geographic Information Systems (GIS) for hard and natural surfaced trails on publicly owned lands. Administration and technical assistance with the Recreation Trails Program. Trail design, construction and maintenance statewide for trail managing agencies and trail user groups. Trail information clearinghouse for all types of trails</p> |
| <p>Reagan, Mackel, CPRP, CPSI 615-532-07565 Mackel.Reagan@tn.gov</p> | <p>Middle TN PARTAS (Parks and Recreation Technical Advisory Service) Consultant</p> | <p>Providing training, grant assistance, technical service, assessments, strategic planning and grant support through PARTAS to local governments in Middle Tennessee</p> |
| <p>Thompson, Carol 6415-532-0208 Carol.H.Thompson@tn.gov</p> | <p>Administrative Services Assistant 2</p> | <p>Administration for Tennessee Conservation Commission</p> |
| <p>Tucker, Ruse, Jr. 615-532-1599 Ruse.Tucker@tn.gov</p> | <p>Administrative Services Assistant 2</p> | <p>Responsible for deeds, maps, boundary surveys on TDEC-owned land. Assisting Environmental Impact document review. Responsible for boundary markers.</p> |
| <p>Tyrell, Erin 615-532-0751 Erin.Tyrell@tn.gov</p> | <p>GIS Technician</p> | <p>Providing technical assistance in the production of geographical information, including map production, GPS training and LWCF grant inventory.</p> |

**Recreation Educational Services
Staff Roster
May 7, 2009**