



# Region 1 Traffic Engineer

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Mr. Andrew Padgett has 17 years of experience with the Tennessee Department of Transportation along with being a registered professional engineer in Tennessee. He earned his Bachelor of Science in Civil Engineering degree in 2005 and his Master of Science in 2006 from the University of Tennessee, Knoxville. Mr. Padgett has worked for TDOT since September 2006 where he began his career in the Regional Traffic Office for the first 11 years. Andy then served as a Civil Engineering Manager in the Project Development Division, where he managed Team 3 and Specialty Type Projects, such as Resurfacing, Bridge Replacement, Rockfall Mitigation, Alternate Delivery Projects, SIA Projects, and Consultant Management. Mr. Padgett now acts as the Regional Traffic Engineer for Region 1 where he oversees the Signing and Marking Shops, Traffic Operations Studies, Commercial Highway Entrance Permits, and Safety Project Analysis and Concepts.

Andy has been a member of ITE and TSITE since 2006. He was a participant in the 2014 Leadership Program and assisted with the coordination and planning of the 2017 program. In 2020, Mr. Padgett also assisted in modernizing some of the PowerPoint presentations as part of the SDITE Leadership Development Committee.

Born in East Tennessee, Mr. Padgett spent 12 years in Belgium with his family, where his father was a Missionary. Andy now lives in Powell, Tennessee with his wife Mary, 12-yr old daughter Lilly, and 9-yr old son Nathaniel. He enjoys spending time with his family, serving in his church, hiking, playing pick-up basketball, and watching sports.

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