
Deputy Commissioners



Richard D. McCarty
Division of Administration and Finance

Richard D. McCarty has served as the Deputy Commissioner of Administration & Finance since January 1999. Prior to his appointment to Deputy Commissioner, McCarty was the Fiscal Comptroller for the agency. McCarty has worked for MDOC since June 1989. He received a Bachelor of Science in Accounting degree from Belhaven College in 1983. After graduation, he worked in the field of public accounting. He received his CPA License in 1986 and is a member of the Mississippi Society of Public Accountants. Some his accomplishments at MDOC are:

- Implementation of a fully automated perpetual inventory system for all agency warehouses.
- Coordination of the Statewide Automated Accounting System.
- Implementation of the Statewide Inmate Banking and Commissary System for which the Agency won the 2000 Award for Creative Excellence from the National Association of Governmental Administrators.



Jerry Williams
Division of Community Corrections

Jerry Williams is the Deputy Commissioner of Community Corrections. He was appointed in July 2011. Prior to this assignment, he served in several positions with MDOC including Region III Community Corrections director; MDOC liaison for a transitional facility; branch director II-American Correctional Association manager for Community Corrections; Central Office, Operation Management Analyst Principle; and Central Mississippi Correctional commander, correctional supervisor/MDOC liaison for Offender Health Care Services, sergeant and corrections officer at Central Mississippi Correctional Facility In 2008, ACA selected him as one of the Best of the Best Professionals in Corrections. Williams is a graduate of Jackson State University, with a BA in Sociology and MA in Sociology with an emphasis in Criminal Justice. He has served on an advisory board for several community organizations and is an Executive Gold Member with the ACA.



Archie Longley
Division of Institutions

Archie Longley has served as the Deputy Commissioner of Institutions since April 2013. Longley has 25 years of extensive experience serving in federal correctional institutions throughout the United States. His past most immediate job was chief executive officer for the Federal Correctional Complex in Yazoo City, where he oversaw three facilities and directed a \$57 million budget while being responsible for 560 employees. Longley also was CEO at federal facilities in Pennsylvania and South Dakota. He began his career as a corrections officer at the former Boron Federal Prison Camp in Boron, Calif., and since has worked in five other states. A member of the American Correctional Association, he has received multiple awards for outstanding performance.