

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON HUMAN TRAFFICKING

MEMBER BIOGRAPHIES



CHAIR – RABBI DAVID SAPERSTEIN

***Special Government Employee;
Director Emeritus and Senior Advisor for Policy and Strategy,
Religious Action Center on Reform Judaism**

Designated by Newsweek Magazine as the most influential rabbi in America, for 40 years David Saperstein served as Director of the Religious Action Center of Reform Judaism, representing, the Reform Jewish Movement to Congress and the Administration, the largest segment of American Jewry.

During the second term of the Obama administration, Saperstein served as the United States Ambassador-at-Large for International Religious Freedom (the first rabbi in American history to hold the title of “Ambassador”), carrying out his responsibilities as the country’s chief diplomat on religious freedom issues. At the Department of State, he worked closely with the Office of Trafficking in Persons, with religious freedom issues often intersecting with human trafficking. Since leaving government, he has served as the Senior Advisor on Policy and Strategy to the Union for Reform Judaism. In 2019-20, Saperstein served as the President of the World Union for Progressive Judaism, the international denomination of the Reform Jewish Movement.

Also an attorney, Saperstein taught seminars on Church-State law and on comparative Jewish and American Law for 35 years at Georgetown University Law Center and later as an adjunct professor at Georgetown University’s Foreign Service School and Center for Jewish Civilization. A member of the Council on Foreign Relations, he also serves as a “Distinguished Fellow” at the PM Glynn Institute at Australian Catholic University.

During his career, Saperstein has served as the chair or co-chair of several national interreligious coalitions including the Coalition to Preserve Religious Liberty and the Washington Interreligious Staff Council. Saperstein has served on the boards or executive committees of numerous national non-profit organizations including the NAACP, Common Cause, People for the American Way, the Leadership Conference on Civil and Human Rights, the National Religious Partnership on the Environment, and the World Faith Development Dialogue. In terms of government service, he served as the first chair of the U.S. Commission on International Religious Freedom and has served on federal advisory councils at the White House and the State Department.

Saperstein’s work has been recognized over the years, receiving numerous national organizational awards (including the inaugural recipient of the Embassy of the Netherlands’ “Anne Frank Award”) and honorary doctorates from several universities (most recently from

Yale University and the Jewish Theological Seminary). His articles have been published in publications ranging from the New York Times and the Washington Post to the Harvard Law Review and he has appeared on most major television news and talk shows, including Oprah, Meet the Press, ABC's Sunday Morning, the Rachel Maddow Show, Nightline, PBS News Hour, Crossfire, Hardball, and the O'Reilly Factor. His latest book is Jewish Dimensions of Social Justice: Tough Moral Choices for our Times.



VICE CHAIR - ESTHER GOETSCH
Executive Director, Truckers Against Trafficking

Esther Goetsch is the Executive Director of Truckers Against Trafficking (TAT), a 501(c)3 organization that exists to educate, equip, empower and mobilize members of the trucking, bus, and energy industries to combat trafficking in North America.

Joining TAT in 2016 as a part-time Coalition Build specialist, Goetsch focused on building strategic public-private partnerships between leaders in the truck, bus and energy industries with state/provincial and local leaders to effectively counter the crime of human trafficking. By leveraging their networks, providing industry/agency-specific training on human trafficking and creating meaningful pathways for strategic engagement, TAT has helped states and provinces develop and implement locally tailored strategies to close loopholes to traffickers. Under Goetsch's leadership, TAT has conducted 80 Coalition Builds in 41 states and 3 provinces.

Over the last few years, Goetsch's role has shifted to expanding TAT's model replication in Canada and scaling and growing TAT's 10 core programs, which focus on both public and private sector engagement. To date, TAT has trained over 1.5 million industry professionals, and TAT's work within the private sector has deepened as TAT regularly advises companies on anti-trafficking training, policy implementation, resource activation and how to leverage their networks to make a positive social impact in fighting human trafficking. In December of 2021, Goetsch became the Director of Strategic Partnerships before assuming her current role as Executive Director in August of 2022.

During Goetsch's career at TAT, she provided expert witness testimony on human trafficking for the United States Congress at the Commerce, Science and Transportation committee in 2017 and has testified before the Texas and Oklahoma Legislatures. She has presented at the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime (UNODC) and contributed to UNODC's 2021 Compendium of Promising Practices on Fostering Public-Private Partnerships (PPPs) to Prevent and Counter Trafficking in Persons.

Goetsch came to TAT with a bachelor's degree in international relations from Wheaton College, where she conducted award-winning research on HIV-AIDS prevention in Ethiopia. At Wheaton, she also earned a certificate in human needs and global resources.



EARLYNE ALEXANDER

Supplier Diversity Compliance Manager, Port Authority of NY & NJ

Earlyne “Lena” Alexander is a well-rounded professional with experience in cultivating an environment of diversity, equity, inclusion and belonging, airport management, employee well-being, customer experience, and bringing awareness of Human Trafficking prevention to the transportation industry through air, land, rail and sea. She is a strong program and project management professional at The Port Authority of New York & New Jersey (PANYNJ) in the Office of Diversity, Equity and Inclusion.

Alexander is passionate about her work in Human Trafficking prevention. She introduced Human Trafficking awareness and prevention to the agency she works with in 2016, willing to take this on as an additional project for five regional airports. In 2018, she persuaded her agency to sign a memorandum of understanding with the Department of Homeland Security Blue Lightning campaign to reinforce the importance of Human Trafficking awareness. By 2021, she created a Human Trafficking awareness campaign and training program for airport, port, bus terminals and rail employees. Employees at any PANYNJ facility, are required to take this training and posters for the campaign are displayed at all PANYNJ facilities (airports, ports, bus terminals, World Trade Center) and rail cars in frames and digital monitors for passengers’ and customers’ awareness. She is currently working on a refresh of the Human Trafficking awareness campaign due out by January 2024 for Human Trafficking Awareness month.

Alexander was introduced to human trafficking by a friend who warned her of it since Alexander traveled alone internationally a great deal. Once she started to research and learn more about Human Trafficking, her shock turned into a passion to help bring awareness of this silent crime that often goes unrecognized.



SAM CHO

Commission President, Port of Seattle

Sam Cho was elected to the Port of Seattle Commission in 2019 and became the Commission President in 2023. He is the son of immigrants who immigrated from South Korea to the United States through Seattle-Tacoma International Airport (SEA) in the 1980’s. Today, he is the youngest person and the first person of color to become Commission President since the founding of

the Port in 1911.

Driven to help shape the economy of the future, Cho’s career has spanned from government and emerging start-ups to established companies in the tech and sustainability space.

Cho currently serves as the Director of Strategic Initiatives in the Office of Seattle Mayor Bruce Harrell. Immediately before his election to the Port, he was the founder and CEO of Seven Seas Export, an international trading company that exported over 2.5 million pounds of eggs to various countries throughout the Asia-Pacific.

Earlier in his career, Cho held positions as an analyst at the U.S. Department of State, as a Legislative Assistant to both a Washington State Senator and a member of Congress and served as a political appointee under President Obama. He earned his Master of Science in International Political Economic from The London School of Economics, and his Bachelor of Arts in International Relations from American University.

One of his top priorities is ending human trafficking at the Port of Seattle. Under his leadership, the Port has implemented trainings for recognizing and reporting human trafficking for all badged employees at SEA, engaged tenants in a pledge campaign to fight human trafficking, and coordinated anti-trafficking efforts with federal partners and airports across the country. In recognition of his work, SEA won the 2022 U.S. Department of Transportation Combatting Human Trafficking in Transportation Impact Award.



MARY DIRKSEN

Senior HR Policy Analyst, Oregon Department of Transportation

Mary Dirksen has served on Oregon's Trafficking Advisory Committee since 2017, has worked for ODOT since 2002, and has been involved with various anti-human trafficking efforts throughout her tenure. Every January as part of Human Trafficking Awareness month, she actively engages with the Oregon Trafficking Advisory Committee for different activities to share with the community. This has included being a panel member for a webinar, attending award ceremonies where champions in the anti-human trafficking efforts are recognized, and volunteering on various projects to help raise

awareness. She worked with ODOT experts at TripCheck (ODOT's live travel website) during January 2022 to place the Transportation Leaders Against Human Trafficking (TLAHT) logo with the human trafficking hotline number in a visible location for the traveling public. During ODOT's annual fall forum, she presents anti-trafficking information and has also worked with the ODOT DMV and motor carrier division to raise awareness related to human trafficking.

Dirksen recently completed the Oregon Department of Justice's Sex Trafficking Train the Trainer Workshop and plans to provide the training at ODOT to help raise awareness. Dirksen has been involved in anti-human trafficking efforts for approximately 13 years, volunteering with both private and public sector organizations. She volunteered with the Stop Child Trafficking Now walks in Portland, OR as a planning committee member and with Remember Nhu, a faith-based anti-trafficking non-profit that has a unique portfolio aimed at prevention. She served as a panel member on the National Cooperative Highway Research Program for an ongoing project titled, State DOT Contributions to the Study, Investigation, and Interdiction of Human Trafficking. The project is now in the implementation phase and now titled: Countering Human Trafficking: A Toolkit for State DOTs.



CASEY FRENCH

Deputy District Attorney, San Diego County District Attorney's Office

Casey French has been a Deputy District Attorney with the San Diego County District Attorney's Office since 2012. She is currently assigned to the Sex Crimes and Human Trafficking division. In that capacity, she previously worked as part of the San Diego Human Trafficking Task Force.

French is a former co-chair of the Lawyers Club of San Diego Human Trafficking Collaborative, which focuses on equipping the community with the knowledge and tools to combat human trafficking and encourage community participation in the fight against it. Previously, she served as co-chair of the Education Subcommittee. She is also a member of the San Diego Regional Human Trafficking & Commercial Sexual Exploitation of Children Advisory Council which is tasked with identifying best practices for combatting human trafficking and making recommendations to the Board of Supervisors regarding county-wide anti-trafficking policies.

French has worked with law enforcement both locally and nationwide to assist victims of human trafficking. She has met with policymakers at the local, state, and federal levels on ways to improve laws addressing human trafficking and gaps in legislation. On a global scale, she has met with leaders from European and Western Hemisphere countries as well as delegates from Bahrain, Africa, and Thailand to engage in an interactive dialogue with countries affected by human trafficking.



HEATHER HEALY

Director of Employee Assistance Programs, Association of Flight Attendants-CWA, AFL-CIO

Heather Healy is the Director of the Employee Assistance Program for the Association of Flight Attendants which represents 50,000 Flight Attendants at 18 airlines. She is licensed in Maryland and DC as a clinical social worker. She holds multiple professional certifications and serves as a field instructor for the University of Maryland Graduate School of Social Work. For nearly forty years, she has been designing and developing support services and best practice guidelines

for employee behavioral health and victim support issues across federal, state, local and non-governmental organization workplaces.

Healy has coordinated and conducted awareness programs on human trafficking for transportation peer assistance professionals, their union leaders, and managers. She provides guidance and counseling services to Flight Attendants along the continuum of witnessing and reporting this heinous crime. She provides on-going consultation to the Association of Flight Attendants around supporting and resourcing Flight Attendants (especially through the Blue

Lighting Initiative) to identify suspected victims of trafficking. Finally, she serves as the project manager for a Federal Aviation Administration funded safety initiative called the “Flight Attendant Drug and Alcohol Program” which is available to all Flight Attendants in both commercial and business aviation.



ANNIKA HUFF

***Special Government Employee;
Survivor Advocate Expert**

Annika Huff is a survivor of domestic sex trafficking; she started her career in 2016 after her trafficker was sentenced to life in prison. Her case and trafficker were the first in Nevada to undergo trial. She worked as one of the original 12 survivors of the Commercially Sexually Exploited Child (CSEC) action team and CSEC advisory board for California. Huff and her co-board member created statewide policies to support youth exploited in California from 2016 to 2018.

She provided training for employees in numerous hospital systems, police, and fire departments, testified for statewide human trafficking bills, and spoke for statewide programs, such as Victims of Crime. She has contracted with the Blue Campaign for Homeland Security and presented at conferences as a keynote speaker or breakout session leader about domestic human trafficking in groups of up to 1,000 audience members. In 2022, she presented as a keynote speaker at III Simposio Internacional Trata de Personas y Trafico Llicito de Migrantes in Antigua Guatemala.

Huff has a focus on media training/education within the anti-trafficking space. She was a production assistant on *The Zen Speaker: Breaking the Silence*, a human trafficking documentary on Amazon. She has toured film festivals around the country, including in the US Capitol building, and participated in many other projects, both behind the scenes and as a film subject herself. She is a certified group facilitator in the Lotus Module from Wichita State University and worked as a CSEC case manager at The Embracing Project, a direct service provider in Las Vegas. She served youth from 12 to 19 years old and has volunteered to speak in juvenile halls/detention centers and run weekly groups with the female units in California, Colorado, and Nevada.

Huff worked as a field trainer and training specialist for Truckers Against Trafficking (TAT) from 2018 to 2022. She traveled the nation as part of a two-person team, providing in-depth training to law enforcement on human trafficking throughout the United States and Canada. Additionally, she helped TAT develop targeted training materials for its many programs, from videos to written booklets. Huff was a co-producer and editor of the *Driving Freedom Podcast* for the first two seasons, receiving 6,000 downloads from September 2020 to May 2022.



MICHAEL KRUMM
Lieutenant Colonel, Michigan State Police

Michael Krumm is a Deputy Director for the Michigan State Police overseeing the Professional Development Bureau. Krumm graduated from Michigan State University with a bachelor's degree in Criminal Justice and a master's degree in Public Administration and is a graduate of the 239th session of the FBI National Academy.

Krumm began his career in the State Police in 1995 after graduating from the 112th Trooper Recruit School and was assigned to the Paw Paw Post. He started teaching at the State Police Academy in 1997 and in 2001 was promoted to sergeant at the Training Academy.

Krumm was promoted in 2006 to F/Lieutenant in charge of the Career Development Section of the Training Division and laterally transferred into the Trooper Development Section in 2009. In October 2011, he took a lateral transfer to become the Post Commander in Jackson. As the Jackson Post Commander, he was selected to lead a group of 23 troopers on a 15-day deployment to assist with the hurricane Sandy relief efforts in New Jersey.

Krumm was promoted to Inspector of the Special Operations Division in March 2013; and in September 2013, he was promoted to Captain of the Commercial Vehicle Enforcement Division (CVED). In 2015, Krumm championed efforts in Michigan to combat human trafficking through his work with Truckers Against Trafficking. Under his leadership, Michigan became the second State in the nation to fully adopt the Iowa Model which is the gold standard in equipping, engaging and educating the commercial vehicle industry in human trafficking. He then started a quad state initiative with the Indiana State Police, Illinois State Police and the Ohio Highway Patrol. In 2020, Michigan was awarded the State Champion award by Truckers Against Trafficking for his efforts.

In 2020 Krumm served as the vice-chair of the first human trafficking prevention program for the Commercial Vehicle Safety Alliance and later in 2021 became the chair of the program. Under his leadership, over 35 states and Canadian provinces participated in the first North American Human Trafficking Awareness Initiative in 2022.

Krumm was promoted in March 2020, to Major in the Field Operations Bureau where he served on the Directors Leadership Team and continued to support efforts to combat human trafficking. He was finally promoted to his present position as deputy director in June of 2021. His responsibilities include the leadership and oversight of the Organizational Development, Training, and Human Resources Divisions as well as the Office of Behavioral Science and the Michigan Commission on Law Enforcement Standards for the Michigan State Police.



JAMES LEWIS

Communications Manager, Amtrak Police Department

James Lewis is the Communications Manager for the Amtrak Police Department where he coordinates public affairs and media relations, social media, employee training, and employee and customer communications to include production of two Telly Award winning videos targeting recruitment and human trafficking awareness.

Working as a liaison with the Department of Homeland Security and the Department of Transportation, Lewis spearheads Amtrak efforts in training the workforce and educating the traveling public on human trafficking awareness. In October 2020, Lewis assumed the lead role for the Amtrak Police Department Human Trafficking Working Group; and has coordinated methods for mitigating the potential for human trafficking in the passenger railroad system.



SHAMERE MCKENZIE

***Special Government Employee; CEO, Sun Gate Foundation**

Shamere McKenzie is a consultant, activist, subject matter expert on human trafficking and a sought-after award winning internationally recognized speaker and trainer. Turning her past adversities into an opportunity to liberate and protect others, McKenzie has brought about social and political change in America and around the world.

McKenzie has a strong passion for education and policy and is the Chief Executive Officer for Sun Gate Foundation, an anti-trafficking organization that provides educational opportunities for survivors of human trafficking. She previously served as the Training Manager for the National Human Trafficking Hotline. She is also the co-chair for the victim's services committee of the Maryland State Human Trafficking Task Force. As a former Program Director, McKenzie authored an anti-trafficking program from the ground up and oversaw an emergency residential program for adult survivors of human trafficking.

In 2018, McKenzie responded to a call from the Ministry of Justice in her birthplace, Jamaica, and currently serves as the first appointed Anti-Human Trafficking Ambassador for Jamaica.

McKenzie works tirelessly to raise awareness on human trafficking by speaking at universities, conferences, community events, and consulting with government officials around the world. She has trained a variety of professionals on how to identify and respond to victims of human trafficking, including the FBI, Homeland Security, Bureau of Diplomatic Security, churches, hotels and airline staff to name a few.

McKenzie's lived experiences with sex trafficking have been featured in several books including a college textbook focused on social justice. In addition, her story has been featured widely, on television, radio, documentaries, and in blogs. Her most recent documentary was released on the island of Aruba on September 25, 2018 entitled False Promises. The documentary serves as a tool to educate youth in the Caribbean about sex trafficking.

In 2015, McKenzie graduated from Loyola University Chicago with her Bachelor of Science degree in Criminology and Criminal Justice. Additionally, she serves on several boards, advisory boards and speaker's bureaus and has received numerous awards in recognition for her work.

Her strong determination, passion for success and her faith in Jesus Christ helps her to keep her eyes on the prize. McKenzie does not consider herself a victim because she is no longer enslaved; she is not a survivor because she is more than surviving; but, she considers herself a liberator - one who has broken free from the chains of her past, determined to pave the way for others who have been enslaved.



LESLIE RICHARDS
CEO, Southeastern Pennsylvania Transportation Authority (SEPTA)

Leslie S. Richards is the CEO and 11th General Manager of the Southeastern Pennsylvania Transportation Authority (SEPTA), the sixth largest public transportation agency in the U.S. with a budget of more than \$2 billion and a vast network of 9,500

employees that enable the five million residents of the Greater Philadelphia region to connect to each other. SEPTA operates across six transportation modes and has 2,800 vehicles in service, 285 subway and rail stations, 13,000 bus and trolley stops, and 150 routes.

SEPTA has partnered with Enon Tabernacle Baptist Church in Philadelphia and the Salvation Army Eastern Pennsylvania and Delaware on anti-human trafficking programs to provide support and resources to victims of trafficking. Frontline SEPTA employees and transit police officers receive training on identifying and investigating signs of trafficking and riders can report instances of trafficking directly on the SEPTA Transit Watch app or follow informational signage in SEPTA stations and vehicles to contact the National Human Trafficking Hotline.

Prior to joining SEPTA, Richards was the first woman secretary of the Pennsylvania Department of Transportation (PennDOT), one of the largest and most innovative transportation agencies in the U.S. She left a lasting mark on the department by creating strategic solutions for the long-term success of Pennsylvania's transportation needs through innovative, collaborative programs such as PennDOT Connects. PennDOT was the first statewide transportation agency to train employees on recognizing victims of human trafficking. The agency partnered with Villanova law to develop training materials, and by 2019 all state employees at driver's license center and highway Welcome Centers received anti-trafficking training.

A staunch advocate for women and diversity in transportation and government, Richards has been recognized for her leadership in the industry and commitment to public service. Prior to her public service, she worked in the private sector as a senior project manager for environmental and civil engineering firms. Richards is a graduate of Brown University, where she concentrated in economics and urban studies. She received a master's of regional planning from the University of Pennsylvania. She received The Villanova Law Institute To Address Commercial Sexual Exploitation's Justice Done Award in 2018.



DERRICK WATERS
Chief Executive Officer, Coach USA

Derrick Waters, the Chief Executive Officer of Coach USA, has a rich legacy spanning over three decades in the transportation and logistics sector. Known for his transformative leadership and strategic foresight, he has set high benchmarks in every role he's undertaken.

Waters' journey began in 1987 as a part-time employee with UPS in North Carolina. Demonstrating both aptitude and diligence, he swiftly progressed. By 1988, Waters had ascended to a part-time management role in accounting and, in 1990, assumed duties as a package car driver during the bustling Christmas season. He was promoted to full-time management in the industrial engineering department the following year. Over his 34-year tenure at UPS, he undertook diverse roles, from operations management to significant assignments at the UPS corporate office in Atlanta. He eventually held the title of Vice President of Package Operations, overseeing operations across seven districts in 24 western states.

Waters' transition to Coach USA in August 2021 saw him initially as the Chief Operating Officer, where he was entrusted with global operations. Under his leadership, Coach USA experienced transformative changes in its operational focus, setting new industry standards. Recognizing his unmatched capabilities and the significant strides made under his leadership, he was promoted to his current position as CEO in March 2023. He is now responsible for guiding the organization's day-to-day management, ensuring its continued growth and innovation.

Beyond his corporate accomplishments, Waters' heart lies in community engagement and education. A staunch advocate for continued education, he has been a driving force behind initiatives like the Black Executives Exchange Program since 2000. He has also contributed as a board member for esteemed institutions, including the Henry Samueli School of Engineering at UC Irvine and CSULA School of Engineering. His dedication to fostering knowledge also led him to become a part-time instructor at Cal State University L.A. in 2015. Academically, he holds a bachelor's degree in organization management from Saint Augustine's College and an MBA in international studies from Mercer University.

Coach USA is a proud supporter of Buses on the Lookout, which equips all employees with the knowledge and resources to recognize and respond to potential trafficking situations. Every Coach USA and Megabus unit carries a human trafficking sticker, and drivers are equipped with wallet cards containing essential contact information to aid any individual in distress.



BRAD WHITE

Associate Director of Safety and Compliance, Werner Enterprises

As an Associate Director of Safety and Compliance, Brad White closely works with both the Dedicated and One Way Divisions, as well as our Legal, HR, Recruiting, Sales Department, and School Network. In his role, he serves as a subject matter expert on Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration and Hazardous Materials Regulations. He also assumed responsibility as the company's Designated Employer Representative for drug and alcohol testing and DOT physical qualifications, in addition to driver illness and medical leave of absence program. He is the primary point of contact for the company's Customs and Trade Partnership Against Terrorism partnership with U.S. Customs and Border Protection and the Canadian Border Services Agency's Partners in Protection.

White has been involved with Werner's efforts to support the trucking industry in the fight against human trafficking by providing associates with training resources and information needed to combat this global human rights crisis. The company has spent over 8,500 hours training Werner drivers and Roadmaster driving school students to support efforts against human trafficking within their fleet. As a result of training and reporting accessibility through their Driver Werner Pro application, their drivers have reached out to the National Human Trafficking Hotline over 120 times. Werner also partners with state and governmental agencies who require equipment for staging to help with targeted trafficking cases and was recognized by the Department of Homeland Security's Blue Campaign on Human Trafficking Awareness Day on January 11th.



TIFFANY WLAZLOWSKI NEUMAN

Vice President of Public Affairs, NATSO

Tiffany Wlazlowski Neuman is the Vice President of Public Affairs at the National Association of Truck Stop Owners (NATSO), which represents the truck stop and travel plaza industry. She leads NATSO and the NATSO Foundation's public affairs initiatives and communications strategies to promote the truck stop and travel plaza industry to the public, opinion leaders, elected officials and the media. Her outreach includes a spectrum of policy issues facing the industry, including transportation, the evolving refueling landscape, truck parking and human trafficking.

Wlazlowski Neuman serves as NATSO's representative on the Department of Transportation's National Truck Parking Coalition and serves on various state truck parking technical advisory committees. She also serves on the American Highway Users Policy and Government Affairs Committee and is a Board Member for the Charge Ahead Partnership.

Wlazlowski Neuman is the architect of the truck stop and travel plaza industry's anti-human trafficking campaign, a multi-faceted program centered on educating the industry to identify and report suspected incidents of human trafficking. She serves as the primary liaison with all partner organizations working to combat human trafficking. She also served as Vice Chair of the U.S. Department of Transportation's Human Trafficking Advisory Council Subcommittee on Training and Awareness in 2018-2019.

Under Wlazlowski Neuman's leadership, the NATSO Foundation launched an online learning initiative designed to deliver comprehensive educational and safety training materials to truck stop owners, operators and employees. Among its offerings, the NATSO Foundation makes available e-learning courses that teach members of the truck stop and travel plaza industry how to respond to requests for help from people in need of assistance in various life-threatening scenarios. The online learning module "The Role of Truck Stops in Combating Human Trafficking" has been adopted throughout the United States many of which have incorporated it into their new employee training. Prior to joining NATSO, Wlazlowski Neuman served as the Director of Public Affairs and Deputy Press Secretary at the American Trucking Associations. She also spent nearly 10 years in the print news business as a business writer and editor, including Baltimore's daily business and legal newspaper, The Daily Record.

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