

Wisconsin Department of Revenue

Diane L. Hardt is Administrator of the Division of Income, Sales and Excise Taxes (IS&E) in the Wisconsin Department of Revenue. Diane was appointed administrator in May 1993 by the Secretary of Revenue.

The IS&E Division is responsible for tax policy and administration of all income, franchise, sales/use and excise taxes, including processing, audit, customer service, collections, criminal investigations, and technical services. The division has 812 permanent employees and 62 seasonal employees.

Prior to her appointment as administrator, Diane held positions as an auditor, audit supervisor, Director of the Tax Processing Bureau and Director of the Audit Bureau. Diane has an undergraduate degree in accounting and a Masters of Business Administration degree, both from UW-Madison. Diane is also a Certified Public Accountant.

Diane served as co-chair of the Streamlined Sales Tax Project for eight years. She has also served in various officer positions, including President, of the Streamlined Sales Tax Governing Board. Diane also received the FTA Harley T. Duncan Leadership Award in 2019.