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Abbie Goodman joined The Engineering Center (TEC, now TECET) in May 1996, and was appointed Executive Director at that time. She now serves as the Executive Director of the American Council of Engineering Companies of Massachusetts (ACEC/MA). She also serves as Chief of External Affairs for The Engineering Center Education Trust and for the Massachusetts Association of Land Surveyors and Civil Engineers (MALSCE). She is a registered lobbyist for The Engineering Center Education Trust.

She currently serves on the Massachusetts Department of Transportation (MassDOT) Highway Every Day Counts STIC and as co-chair of the Water Infrastructure Alliance. She previously served on the Massachusetts Division of Capital Asset Management and Maintenance (DCAMM) Construction Law Working Group. In 2010, Abbie chaired the Longfellow Bridge Rehabilitation Task Force at the request of the Massachusetts Department of Transportation.

Abbie Goodman was the Executive Director of the Massachusetts Office of Travel and Tourism (MOTT) from April 1993-November 1995, where she managed the \$9.8 million domestic and international tourism marketing program. As Executive Director of the Massachusetts Office of International Trade and Investment (MOITI) from May 1991 to April 1993, Abbie managed trade missions for the Governor, Lt. Governor, and Secretary of Economic Affairs to key markets in Asia, Europe, Israel, Canada, and Mexico and opened the state's trade offices in Berlin and Jerusalem. Abbie also consulted for the International Trade Office from December 1988 until her appointment as Executive Director by Governor Weld. In both positions she assisted environmental technology firms, software, hardware and telecommunications firms, and biotechnology companies with trade opportunities.

Abbie has addressed national and local associations, civic and community groups, including half the nation's governors at the 1992 National Governors' Association Summer Conference. She held several positions with the Massachusetts Corporation for Educational Telecommunications from 1984-1988 and served in the Mayor's Office of Cable Communications in the early days of Boston's cable system from 1982-1984.

Abbie Goodman is a graduate of the CEO Track of the US Chamber of Commerce's Institute for Organization Management and the ACEC/MA Odyssey Leadership Program. She has served as an elected Town Meeting Member in Wellesley, MA. A past President of the Massachusetts Women's Political Caucus, she serves on their Advisory Board. In FY2017, she served as the President of the National Association of Engineering Council Executives (NAECE). She is a member of the American Society of Association Executives, and the Women Lobbyists' Network. She has a BA in Communication with a minor in Political Science from Chatham University in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.