

35 Years Service Recognition
Dee Azeredo, Deputy Department Director
Environmental Resource Assessment Department

Dee is a child of the District in the truest sense. Dee was just a teenager when she came to work here as a summer aide. On December 15, 1973, Dee was hired - as a Clerk in the Resource Planning Department, simultaneously completing her senior year at Forest Hill High School. Over the years, working full-time attending college at night, Dee climbed from Aide, Level I to to her current role as a Deputy Department Director. In 2006, Dee was honored with a Leadership Award for her involvement in changing the culture of her Department through the Fish Philosophy.

On a personal note Dee and her husband, Dan, have been married for twenty-seven years. They have one son, Christopher, who is attending the University of Florida. Dee has been very involved in the Race for the Cure and in additional multiple charities: Adopt-A-Family, Support Your Troops, the Palm Beach County School Drive and the Gift of Life Foundation.

Who would have predicted in 1973 when Dee started working at the District as a part-time aide, that she would have such a successful career, leading to her present position as Deputy Director of the Environmental Resource Assessment Department? Well, honestly, anyone who is fortunate enough to know her.