

Steven Suder

Mr. Suder is the National Alternative Transportation Program Manager for the National Park Service stationed in Washington, DC. He has over 30 years of transportation and environmental planning experience covering a range of local, regional, state and Federal government positions. Since 2017, he has focused on NPS multimodal transportation improvements (roads, transit, trails and technology) connecting to, through and within national parks. Previously, he was National Transportation Program Manager at the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service overseeing transportation improvements and analyses at wildlife refuges across the U.S. He is an expert in the development of long-range transportation plans and their implementation.

Earlier in 2020, he completed a six-year tenure as chair of the National Academy of Sciences-Transportation Research Board's Committee on Transportation Needs of National Parks and Public Lands. This caucus of academia, consultants and government staff is a forum to discuss important research needs and prioritize efforts to move the practice ahead. Considering automated vehicles and new innovations in a park setting continue to be regular topics during these sessions. Steve holds a B.S. degree in Geosciences from the Pennsylvania State University and a Master's in Urban & Environmental Planning from the University of Virginia.

