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Marsha B. Jetté comes to the State Executive Director position with over 38 years served in an FSA County Office. Mrs. Jetté began her career in 1971 with the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service (now Farm Service Agency) as a Program Technician, moving into the County Executive Director Trainee Program in 1974 and as the County Executive Director position for New London County FSA Office in April, 1975. On July 31, 2009, Mrs. Jetté was appointed the State Executive Director for Connecticut by President Obama.

While CED in New London County, Marsha has been a Trainer for the County Office Trainee (COT) program and had a hand in training many of the present CED's now on staff in Connecticut, Massachusetts and Rhode Island. She has also served on the 2007 National County Executive Director Classification Review Committee, and from 2002 until 2009 she served as the State Communications Coordinator for Connecticut and Rhode Island. During this time, Marsha received five state/regional communication awards. Marsha also has coordinated various Connecticut events including a visit from the FSA Administrator and Washington DC staff as well as educational tours for the Connecticut State FSA Committee. Mrs. Jetté is responsible for developing, compiling, and distributing the Connecticut "Briefing Book" for employees and State and County Committee Members in order to provide a better understanding of who FSA is and what FSA does. During her tenure as CED in New London County, Mrs. Jetté received 11 performance based awards.

Mrs. Jetté was born and raised in Norwich, CT, and is a graduate of the Norwich Free Academy. She has coursework in Accounting and Management from Johnson & Wales College in Rhode Island as well as Accounting and Income Tax Law from the University of Southern California. Mrs. Jetté has two children, Michael and Michelle, and still resides in Norwich with her husband of 32 years, Peter.