



Dallas L. Cheston , joined the Trenton Housing Authority team on February 1, 2012 as the Section 3 Coordinator , under the Housing and Urban Development Section 3 Coordination and Implementation Grant.

Dallas earned her B.A. from Rutgers University and has an A.A.S in Management from Mercer County Community College.

Section 3 involves helping to foster local economic development, neighborhood economic improvement, and individual self-sufficiency. In her role as Section 3 Coordinator, Dallas is responsible for coordinating Section 3, employment, business, and vendor outreach and services. She also serves as a liaison with the One-Stop Career Center, service providers, employers, community or civic organizations, public officials, and the general public.

Dallas has already certified several businesses, vendors and suppliers throughout the Mercer County area . She has successfully placed four Trenton residents into full-time employment within the City of Trenton.

Dallas is currently collaborating with Laborers Local 55 Union to develop a Residential Construction Trainee program for THA residents. This trainee program will introduce participants to a wide variety of concepts, tools and skills that are important to begin a successful career as a Construction Craft Laborer. Based on completion of the program, participants will have the opportunity to join the Laborers Local 55 Union.

Dallas presently resides in Haverstick Homes with her two sons Nathaniel, 12 and Khary, 10.

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For information about Laborers Local 55 please visit <http://www.laborers55.org/index.html>

One-Stop Career Center [http://lwd.dol.state.nj.us/labor/wnpjpin/services/Mercer\\_OneStop.html](http://lwd.dol.state.nj.us/labor/wnpjpin/services/Mercer_OneStop.html)