

# PROFILE

## Eugene L. Petitt, Chief Engineer, Atlantic County Utilities Authority

**Eugene L. Petitt** Eugene L. Petitt is the Chief Engineer for the Atlantic County Utilities Authority (ACUA), a position he has held since 1990.

Mr. Petitt is responsible for the planning, design, permitting, and construction of infrastructure for both the Wastewater and Solid Waste Divisions as well as heading up the Central Maintenance Department which consists of fleet, buildings, grounds, mechanical, and electrical maintenance. He has overseen over \$120 million worth of capital improvements since coming on board.

Prior to joining the ACUA, he was the Atlantic County Engineer for eight years, and managed a consulting engineering company in Millville, NJ for six years.

Mr. Petitt graduated from Cumberland County College, Vineland, NJ with a Associates of Arts degree in Math and Science and Drexel University, Philadelphia, PA evening college with a Bachelor of Science degree in Civil Engineering. He has attended numerous seminars, taken courses in various areas of civil and environmental engineering, and routinely makes technical presentations to various institutions, agencies and affiliations.

Mr. Petitt is a licensed Professional Engineer, a Registered Architect, and a Professional Planner. He is a member of several engineering and construction affiliations and has received numerous awards, the most prestigious are the "Twenty year achievement award" from Drexel University and the "Key-D" award also from Drexel University. Most recently, Mr. Petitt was inducted into the "Mary S. Irick Drexel Society" joining a very elite group of engineers who have graduated from Drexel since 1932. He was presented with the "Mary S. Irick Drexel Medal" and elected President of the Society. Mr. Petitt resides in Milmay, Buena Vista Township, NJ with his wife Susan and has two children, Matthew and Alisa.

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