Michael D. Herrin Director, Purchasing, Contract & Facility Services Biography

In January 2013, Michael D. Herrin was named Director of Purchasing, Contract and Facility Services. He is responsible for all corporate purchasing, contracts and facility services for Tampa Electric, Peoples Gas, TECO Services and TECO Energy.

From November 2003 until December 2012, Herrin was Director of Information Technology Infrastructure, responsible for all aspects of network, mainframe and distributed systems computing environments for TECO Energy.

Previously, he served as Director of Business Computing Services, Information Technology for Tampa Electric since 2001. Before that, Herrin held a variety of positions of increasing responsibility, including Manager of New Services, Manager of Market Services, and Wholesale and Retail Account Manager, since joining Tampa Electric in 1991.

Prior to his career with Tampa Electric, Herrin worked for Johnson Controls as an application engineer for three years and as a cooperative education student for a year while attending the University of South Florida.

Herrin received his Bachelor of Science in Electrical Engineering from the University of South Florida in 1988 and his Master of Business Administration from the University of Tampa in 1996. He graduated from the Executive Transformation Program at the University of South Florida in 2012.

Herrin is a graduate of the Tampa Connection. He is a past Board member of the University Community Hospital Foundation and Easter Seals. He serves as chair of TECO Energy's Values Leadership Committee. He serves as vice chairman of the Railroad and Industrial Federal Credit Union and as a Board member for TECO Energy's federal and state political action committees.

He is married and is a Tampa native.