

Misael Cabrera, P.E.

Governor Doug Ducey appointed Misael Cabrera as director of the Arizona Department of Environmental Quality on August 17, 2015. He previously served as the agency's deputy director since October 2011 under former ADEQ Director Henry Darwin, functioning as chief of staff and directly overseeing the agency's operations, including its budget and administrative support functions. With Director Darwin, Misael led ADEQ in an agencywide transformation to apply Lean principles and techniques and deliver

better, faster, cheaper environmental protection for the citizens of Arizona.

Before joining ADEQ, Misael worked in a variety of project, managerial and operational leadership roles for both small and multi-national environmental consulting companies. His work experience includes projects in Mexico, Costa Rica, South Korea, and Italy where he managed to learn a bit of Italian. Misael is also fluent in Spanish. Misael has a B.S. degree in Civil Engineering and is a registered professional engineer.