Jeffrey M. Shanker

With over 30 years of transportation logistics and emergency preparedness operations and planning, always with safety and security in the forefront. Jeff started his career in transportation when he opened his own limousine company in 1986, while he served as a volunteer fire fighter and EMT. After a devastating house fire, which he responded to and assisted putting the fire out, and the loss of his own business, he was thrust into emergency services as his career. Dedicating his life to helping others, he rose to become the first career Chief EMT for Ewing Township, NJ and then on to become the EMS Coordinator for Mercer County, NJ. He entered a career in law enforcement in 1996; unfortunately, he sustained a career disabling injury. After a sabbatical to heal from his injury, he joined a large transportation provider in New Jersey as the Director of Safety and Insurance, eventually promoted to Executive Vice President. During his distinguished career, he became active within the Philadelphia Regional Limousine Association, serving as an Executive Board Member, Secretary and Treasurer; he also was extremely active with The Limousine Association of New Jersey, serving as the Legislative Chairman, Secretary, Vice President and President. He recently moved to Maryland, where he joined one of the largest passenger ground transportation companies in the DC area. Jeff routinely speaks at trade shows, industry conferences and other events. He is considered an extensively knowledgeable individual that leads pointed discussions and educational topics for the industry. He has lobbied extensively for the betterment of the passenger ground transportation industry, always with safety being paramount and has been instrumental in crafting a number of laws in New Jersey.

Why I want to serve as the BISC Secretary.

With my knowledge and experience within the passenger ground transportation industry, I feel that I am qualified to assist the industry in many aspects. My insight into the industry, including the smaller vehicle side of our industry (limousine) is a benefit for everyone, especially as this aspect of the industry is growing exponentially into motor coaches. I have served my duties in every capacity to the fullest and garnered respect of my industry peers. I feel that I can be a large asset to the BISC and look forward to serving with my peers for the betterment of our industry.