



Tyree Daniels

Director, Electric Transmission

Thaddaeus “Tyree” Daniels serves as Director of Transmission Operations at The DeSoto Group, bringing nearly 20 years of progressive experience in the utility industry. His career path includes truck operator and lineman to foreman, construction manager, and transmission supervisor and provides him with unmatched hands-on knowledge of grid systems from 46kV to 500kV.

Mr. Daniels has successfully led large-scale storm restoration efforts, including coordinating more than 130 crews and 1,400 personnel during Hurricane Helene, restoring critical transmission systems across multiple regions. He is recognized as a proven safety leader, effective communicator, and developer of high-performing teams. A third-generation transmission professional, he takes pride in advancing reliability, safety, and operational excellence for the nation’s energy infrastructure.

Key Competencies

- Nearly 20 years of utility industry experience (46kV–500kV)
- Career progression from lineman to supervisor → Director of Transmission
- Led storm restoration for 130+ crews / 1,400+ personnel (Hurricane Helene)
- Expertise in safety leadership, union collaboration, and cross-department execution
- Deep practical knowledge of grid systems and large-scale project delivery
- Pipeline Leadership Program graduate; Spirit of Safety & Sam Green Award recipient
- Level 2 DE&I certified; active on multiple transmission safety and leadership councils