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Lisa Helme is the Student Pathways Assistant Division Director at the Vermont Agency of Education (AOE). This division oversees work in curricular standards and teaching practices, after school and expanded learning opportunities, education technology, career and technical education, and adult education and literacy. She has a broad background in communication, education and government service, with more than 20 years of experience working as a public-school teacher and adult educator, developing curriculum and working with diverse groups of people.

She comes from a family that has decades of military service and grew up as part of a military family. Her father served more than 20 years in the U.S. Air Forces. Her husband also served in the Air Force, and her son now serves in the Vermont Army National Guard and is currently on active duty serving abroad. In her work at AOE, Lisa has partnered with the Vermont Army National Guard to bring cybersecurity training to school districts, and she remains AOE's primary coordinator for cybersecurity education. In the role of Commissioner, she will focus on addressing military family educational concerns.