



*Annual Meeting of the General Assembly 2026*

*Saturday, April 18, 9:30 a.m.*

*Woodside Event Center at St. Michael's, Broadview Heights, OH*

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| I.    | Call to Order                                  | Kathy Moock, Chair<br>GSNEO Board of Directors                 |
| II.   | Opening Ceremonies                             |  |
| III.  | Adoption of Agenda                             | Kathy Moock, Chair   |
| IV.   | Elections                                      | Stephanie Adams<br>Board Development<br>Committee Chair        |
|       | a. Board of Directors: Officer                 |  |
|       | b. Board of Directors: Directors-at-Large      |  |
|       | c. Board of Directors: Girl Directors-at-Large |  |
|       | d. Board Development Committee                 |  |
| V.    | Treasurer's Report                             | Kate Asbeck<br>Finance Committee Chair                         |
| VI.   | Operations and Committees Report               | Jane Christyson<br>GSNEO Chief Executive<br>Officer            |
| VII.  | Quorum Report                                  | Cindy Skelton-Becker,<br>Secretary<br>GSNEO Board of Directors |
| VIII. | Election Results                               | Stephanie Adams  |
| IX.   | New Business                                   | Kathy Moock, Chair   |
| X.    | Question and Answer                            | Kathy Moock, Chair   |
| XI.   | Closing Ceremonies                             |  |
| XII.  | Adjournment                                    | Kathy Moock, Chair   |



**GIRL SCOUTS OF NORTH EAST OHIO  
CANDIDATES FOR ELECTION, 2026**

BOARD OF DIRECTORS: OFFICERS, 2026-2028 (2 Year Term)

1. Chair: Sandra Reid
2. Vice Chair: Vivian von Gruenigen
3. Secretary: Elizabeth Engels
4. Treasurer: Ruth Coleman

BOARD OF DIRECTORS: DIRECTORS-AT-LARGE, 2026-2028 (2 Year Term)

1. Stephanie Adams
2. Kate Asbeck
3. Claudia Diaz-Singer
4. Christopher Hirschler
5. Ka-Pi Hoh
6. Kimberly Huff
7. Lisa McKay
8. Kathy Moock
9. Linda Rae
10. Cindy Skelton-Becker
11. Tony Srithai

BOARD OF DIRECTORS: GIRL DIRECTORS-AT-LARGE, 2026-2027 (1 Year Term)

1. Natalie Laymon
2. Jadzia Myers

BOARD DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE, 2026-2028 (2 Year Term)

1. Tami Bolder
2. Christine Hockman
3. Laura Schultz
4. Sandra Rapp
5. Pamela Valentine
6. Chris Venditti

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**BOARD OF DIRECTORS: OFFICERS**

**BOARD OF DIRECTORS - CHAIR**

**Sandra Reid**



Sandra Reid is the Executive Vice President of Corporate Communications and Strategic Planning at The Davey Tree Expert Company. Since joining Davey in 1986, Sandra has worked as video and communications coordinator, company spokesperson, manager of corporate communications and marketing and Vice President of Corporate Communications and Strategic Planning. In 2024, Sandra was promoted to her current role where she is a member of the Executive Leadership Team and leads the Strategic Leadership Team. Sandra's professional awards and certifications include the International Association of Business Communicators' Strategic Communication Management Professional and Communications Management Professional certifications. Sandra was also recognized as a Women of Distinction honoree by the Girls Scouts of North East Ohio, an ATHENA Akron Leadership Award Finalist Honoree, a 2024 Women in Green Industry Award Honoree, a Crain's Cleveland Business' Notable Leader in Communications 2024, Kent City Schools Hall of Fame Class of 2024 and the 2025 Corporate Leadership and Impact Award by Garden Communicators International. She is a proud graduate of Leadership Cleveland Class of 2025 and serves as Chair of Portage Development Board, Vice Chair of the Girls Scouts of North East Ohio and on the Boards of the Cleveland Leadership Center, Greater Cleveland Sports Commission, and Ohio Northern University.

**BOARD OF DIRECTORS – VICE CHAIR**

**Vivian von Gruenigen**



Vivian von Gruenigen, MD has been a Professor at NEOMED since 2012. She is a former regional CMO for University Hospitals of Cleveland, and CMO along with Chair of Obstetrics and Gynecology at the Summa Health System. In 2016 and 2018 she was listed on Becker's Hospital Review as a "leader to know." In 2014 she was named the "Most Powerful & Influential Woman of Ohio" by Ohio's Diversity Council. In 2012 she received the 1st Annual Richard Ireland Award for Excellence and Innovation in the Business of Women's Health. Under her leadership, Summa was awarded numerous Ohio Hospital Association patient safety awards. Dr. von Gruenigen is also a nationally recognized gynecologic oncologist, having been awarded numerous teaching and research awards. The federal government, the American Cancer Society and the Lance Armstrong Foundation has funded her research. She has authored and co-authored over 100 publications and book chapters. In addition, she has given hundreds of domestic and international lectures. Dr. von Gruenigen was a dual board examiner for gynecologic oncology

and gynecology for the American Board of Obstetrics and Gynecology (ABOG). She served on the Excellence Foundation with ABOG since 2010 and as the President of the Board. She also was a board member for the Society of Gynecologic Oncologists and the foundation board for Stark State College. She presently serves on the board for the Girl Scouts of Northeast Ohio.

**BOARD OF DIRECTORS – SECRETARY**

**Elizabeth Engels**



Betsy Engels is retired from The Timken Company where she held various leadership roles over 30 years. Since retirement, she has worked as a business development consultant and continues to be actively involved in the community. Her technical background led her to a career working with manufacturing companies and she particularly loves working with entrepreneurs. She has a passion for mentoring women and girls and creating sustainable change within companies and community organizations. Throughout her career Betsy has been active in the community. She is a graduate of Leadership Stark County and Leadership Akron – NEXT. She has served on boards of United Way, Chamber of Commerce, YWCA, Women in Manufacturing and Leadership Stark County. She currently serves on the boards of the Stark State College Foundation, the Akron Community Foundation Women’s Endowment Fund, the Girl Scouts of North East Ohio and the Summit Fresh Mobile Market. Betsy is an active volunteer with GSNEO and is a lifetime Girl Scout member, having been a Girl Scout and a troop leader. Betsy has a degree in materials engineering from The University of Michigan and an MBA from The University of Houston. When not travelling, she lives in Akron with her husband who is a retired physics teacher. They have two grown daughters.

**BOARD OF DIRECTORS – TREASURER**

**Ruth Coleman**



Ruth Coleman, RN, MA has spent her career promoting healthcare quality, patient advocacy, and appropriate cost. As a nurse having 20 years’ experience from the bedside to executive management, she founded Health Design Plus (HDP), serving as CEO of a third-party administrator managing large employer health benefit plans. HDP innovated and served as the national leader for domestic medical travel serving Fortune 50 companies, with over 5,000 individuals per year receiving top quality care at carefully evaluated medical centers. Currently, through ValTrans Health she consults with healthcare organizations on creating value-based transformation and productizing direct employer relationships simultaneously to the benefit of the patient, employer, and medical center. Coleman was named a “Woman of Distinction” in 2021. Under Coleman’s direction, Health Design Plus was named to the prestigious Inc. 500, and Weatherhead 100 on eleven occasions. She was named one of the Top Ten Women Business Owners

in Northeast Ohio. Coleman serves on the GSNEO Finance Committee, Executive Committee, and has served in its Strategic Initiatives Steering Committee and STEM Advisory Committee. She holds a BSN from Widener University, and an MA from The Ohio State University.

**BOARD OF DIRECTORS – DIRECTORS-AT-LARGE**

**Stephanie Adams**



Stephanie Adams is Senior Corporate Counsel at the Sherwin-Williams Company where she works in complex litigation throughout the country. A graduate of the University of Akron School of Law, Stephanie is the past chair of the Supreme Court of Ohio's Commission on Professionalism and currently serves as a mentor with the Lawyer-to-Lawyer Mentoring program. She volunteers with Legal Aid of Cleveland, the Centers for Families and Children and the Euclid Hunger Center. Stephanie is a single mom to an active daughter who enjoys dance, ice skating, coding and theater.

**Kate Asbeck**



Kate Asbeck is currently Treasurer of the GSNEO Board of Directors, and before that she served as Director-at-Large. She is GSNEO Finance Committee Chair. Kate Asbeck is a retired financial executive. Kate served as Chief Financial Officer of the Cleveland Foundation from April 2010 until her retirement in June 2016. In that role, Kate was responsible for the Foundation's \$2 billion endowment and its finance, information technology, and human resources teams. Prior to the Cleveland Foundation, she was Senior Vice President - Finance at Corning Incorporated. In that role, she led a 600-person global finance organization - including control, treasury, tax and shared services - and served as its principal accounting officer. She graduated cum laude from Ohio Wesleyan University. Kate is on the board of Jumpstart and is a Trustee of University Hospitals. Mrs. Asbeck is a member of the Leadership Cleveland Class of 2012.

**Claudia Diaz-Singer**



Claudia Diaz-Singer is Senior Director, Talent Development and Workplace Inclusion at The J.M. Smucker Company, where she is responsible for employee development; leadership development; change management; and inclusion, diversity, and equity efforts. Claudia led Smucker's first company-wide appreciative inquiry summit, a two-day company transformation exercise that won the coveted Innovation Award. She has worked in sales, marketing, customer service and human resources roles with both small and large-scale organizations. She is a graduate of The University of Akron and holds a Master of Science from Case Western Reserve University, Positive Organization Development and Change. She currently serves on the Ashland University Advisory Board, as well as The University of Akron Leadership Institute Advisory Board. Most recently, she was recognized as AMMORE 100+ Latinos Cleveland Must Know. Claudia grew up loving her Girl Scout experience, as did her daughter. Ms. Diaz-Singer is currently a Director-at-Large on the GSNEO Board of Directors and is passionate about contributing to the organization that made a significant impact on her.

**Christopher Hirschler**



Dr. Hirschler is Dean of Health and Wellness Division at Lorain Community College. Previously he served as Department Chair and tenured associate professor of Health and Physical Education within the Marjorie K. Unterberg School of Nursing and Health Studies at Monmouth University. His education includes earning a Ph.D. in Urban Education with specialization in Learning and Development from Cleveland State University and a M.A. in Liberal Studies: Concentration in Health from the State University of New York at Brockport. His Board experience includes University Hospitals, Regional Board of Directors, Lorain County Safe Harbor, Board Member; and A Better Life Guatemala, President and Trustee.

**Ka-Pi Hoh**



Dr. Ka-Pi Hoh recently retired after 36 years with The Lubrizol Corporation where she was the senior site manager, responsible for all site services and support functions for the Lubrizol teams based in the corporate headquarters at Wickliffe, Ohio. She joined Lubrizol in 1988, where she has held a variety of leadership positions involving research technology, commercial development, operations, and resource management including expatriate assignments in the United Kingdom and in China. She spent four years on assignment in China as the head of research, development and testing for Lubrizol Additives China. At Lubrizol, Dr. Hoh is involved with Lubrizol's diversity initiatives; she was a member of Lubrizol's Corporate Inclusion Steering Committee and is a founding member of the Asia-Pacific Resource Group as well as Women in Lubrizol Leadership. Dr. Hoh graduated from Case Western Reserve University (CWRU) with a B.S. in Polymer Engineering and a minor in Economics. She earned an M.S. and a Ph.D. in Macromolecular

	<p>Science from CWRU. As a CWRU alumna, she is currently on the Case Advisory Board, chairs the Industrial Advisory Board for the Department of Macromolecular Science, and recently joined the Case Alumni Association Foundation board. She is an emeriti board member for the CWRU Alumni Association and for the Flora Stone Mather Center for Women. She also serves as a professional mentor for CWRU's WISER (Women in Science and Engineering Roundtable). In the community, Dr. Hoh is on the Board of Directors for The Lakeland Foundation at Lakeland Community College, where she served 7 years as the chair. She is joining the newly launched Lakeland Innovation Council. She is a board director for the Lake Humane Society, Apollo's Fire, and the Andy Nowacki Foundation. In China, she has an appointment as an Associate and Visiting Professor at the Zhuhai College of Jilin University. At CWRU, Dr. Hoh has been awarded the 2023 Flora Award, the 2022 CAA Meritorious Service Award, and the 2020 Daniel T. Clancy Alumni Service Award. In 2019, she received Lubrizol's Founders Award for Community Service with her dedication to improving lives in our communities. She was awarded Crain's Cleveland Business 2019 Women of Note and was recognized as Crain's 2019 Notable Women in STEM. She also received the 2019 Women of Achievement award from the Women's Center of Lakeland Community College. In 2008, she was awarded the YWCA Woman of Professional Excellence. Dr. Hoh is a 2022 recipient of the GSNEO's Women of Distinction Award and chaired the Women of Distinction event in 2023. She currently chairs the GSNEO's STEM Advisory Committee.</p>
<p><b>Kimberly Huff</b></p> 	<p>Kim Huff is the Community Relations Representative for the Synthomer Foundation where she manages a \$1.3 million dollar budget and is responsible for the initial evaluation of all incoming grant requests from Synthomer's ten domestic communities. She also serves as the key representative for employee and community engagement activities. She recognizes the importance of giving back to the community and does so by serving on various boards throughout the community including the Women's Endowment Fund, and Philanthropy Ohio. Kim is a graduate of Leadership Akron Class 41. She is also an alumnus of Torchbearers Akron, Leadership Akron's Diversity on Board program and Cleveland Bridge Builder's Class of 2020. She graduated from The University of Akron where she earned a Bachelor of Arts degree in Business and Organizational Communications and a Master of Arts Degree in Higher Education Administration. She also earned an MBA from Kent State University.</p>

**Lisa McKay**



Lisa McKay is Vice President, Supply Chain at Swagelok Company. She leads both the supply chain and customer service teams. She is proud of the work her team has done to create analytics effectiveness to help balance demand and labor, as well as advance commercial consensus forecasting, carrier and trade management, and enterprise inventory management. Lisa holds a Bachelor of Business Administration degree in logistics and an MBA, both from John Carroll University. She stays connected to her alma mater by serving as an ambassador to the university. Lisa was Girl Scout growing up and currently is a GSNEO Director-at-Large. She is also the chairperson for the supply chain council for The University of Akron. Outside of work, Lisa is busy with her two children.

**Kathy Moock**



Kathy Moock is currently serving as GSNEO's Board Chair. Previously, she was Board Secretary as well as a Director-at-Large of the GSNEO Board of Directors, Co-Chair of the Board, Development Committee, and a member of the Strategic Planning and Special Projects Committee. Kathy has served as Women of Distinction Chair and a member of the Fund Development and Dessert First Committees. Kathy is a community volunteer, who was recently elected as a Board Trustee to the Naples Children's Foundation and is currently serving on the NCF Grant Committee. She has served two terms as President of WITAN (Women in Touch with Akron's Needs), which raises grant funds for and provides volunteers to community non-profit agencies. Kathy is the Membership Director on the WITAN Board of Directors. She has served on the WITAN Board for 12 years in a variety of roles including the Treasurer, the Fund Development Director, Endowment Director, and the Civic/Grant Management Director. She was a Board Member of the Junior League of Cleveland for 9 years, most recently in the role of Sustainer Treasurer. She served for 16 years in various offices of the Brecksville Broadview Heights Parent School Organization Council, including 6 years as PSO President at different schools. Kathy is currently volunteering at Stewart's Caring Place Cancer Resource Center, and Blessings in a Backpack. She has been a leader of nonprofit fundraising events, including events with the Cleveland Orchestra, Leukemia Lymphoma Society, and University Hospitals. She has retired from Proctor & Gamble, where she was a Regional Sales Manager. She graduated from Miami University in Ohio, with degrees in Finance and Marketing. Kathy is a recipient of GSNEO's Women of Distinction Award and was a girl member of Girl Scouting through 12th grade, earning the First-Class Award (Gold Award).

**Linda Rae**



Linda Rae recently served as Vice President and General Manager for the Power and Energy Resource Software business for GE Vernova, from which she retired in 2025. In this role, Linda was responsible for driving profitable growth for the SaaS business serving energy, oil and gas, chemical, and metals and mining industries. Prior to this role, Linda spent nine years at Danaher and Fortive Corporations in several President roles, including Commercial President for Tektronix and President of Qualitrol. She spent the first 15 years of her career at Keithley Instruments, where she served as Executive Vice President and Chief Operating Officer prior to Keithley's acquisition by Danaher. Linda is a member of the Board of Directors for the Great Lakes Science Center, the Board of Directors for Edwins Leadership and Restaurant Institute, the Visiting Committee for the Weatherhead School of Management at Case Western Reserve University, the Dean's Advisory Board for the College of Engineering at the University of Florida, and the Advisory Board for the Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering at the University of Florida. Linda holds a BS in Electrical Engineering from the University of Florida and MS in Electrical Engineering and MBA degrees from Case Western Reserve University.

**Cindy Skelton-Becker**



Cindy Skelton-Becker recently retired from the Nordson Corporation where she had been employed since 1986, holding a number of management positions during her tenure. She was Senior Manager of Corporate Continuous Improvement where she was responsible for developing and improving Nordson's commercial business process. She is a graduate of the General Motors Institute (BEE, Electrical Engineering), and has earned Master's degrees from Case Western Reserve University and Cleveland State University. Cindy is drawn to Girl Scouts due to her experience as a Girl Scout, as well as her personal dedication to helping develop women leaders, with a particular emphasis on STEM programming and technology, for which she has a passion for due to her professional background. Cindy is currently Secretary of the GSNEO Board of Directors and serves as a member of the STEM Advisory Committee as well as Chair of the Properties Committee. Cindy has a long affiliation with the YWCA of Elyria where she served in several Board capacities. For several years, Cindy has chaired the YW's Women of Achievement Selection and Judging Committee, (like the GSNEO Women of Distinction award). She believes in strong branding to promote an organization's mission. She has brought the cultural values of the Nordson Corporation, which continued to be one of GSNEO's program supporters.

**Tony Srithai**



Dr. Srithai is Principal: Beachwood Middle School in the Beachwood City Schools District. He has made significant contributions to one of Ohio's top 10 school districts and a National Blue Ribbon School (2019), Dr. Srithai coordinates the technology efforts of a 1:1 middle school through the use of chrome books, the Google suite, and other technology resources. In addition, he designs and delivers training to teachers and staff. He also hires, organizes, and leads teachers and staff to promote student success, intercultural awareness, and mental health. Previous positions include Assistant Principal in the Chapel Hill-Carrboro City Schools; Curriculum and Instruction Specialist; Curriculum Designer; as well as Curriculum Coordinator; Science Teacher, and Cross Country Coach. He received his education at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill: Doctor of Educational Leadership (Ed.D), Master of School Administration (M.S.A.), Master of Arts in Teaching (M.A.T.), and Bachelor of Science (BS) in Biology. Dr. Srithai and his wife and three sons live in Beachwood.

**BOARD OF DIRECTORS – GIRL DIRECTORS-AT-LARGE**

**Natalie Laymon**



Natalie Laymon has been a proud Girl Scout since Kindergarten. In addition to bonding with her troop and being a role model to younger girl scouts in her service unit, she is in her 3rd year as a Girl Scout Media Girl. Media Girls has provided her additional opportunities that have been unique and enhanced her Girl Scout experience. Her favorite event has been the Legislative day in Columbus, where she met many elected officials, including Gov. Dewine. Currently a Junior at Lake Local High School, Natalie is also involved with the high school band and drumline, theater, class officer, NHS, and speech and debate. Natalie has earned her Bronze and Silver Award and was a 2025 Leader of Tomorrow.

**Jadzia Myers**



Jadzia Myers is a dedicated and enthusiastic member of the Girl Scouts of North East Ohio. Currently at Revere High School, Jadzia has been a Girl Scout since kindergarten, starting as a Daisy. Her extensive camp experience includes Day Camp, Resident Camp, and Troop Camping at both Camp Ledgewood and Camp Timberlane. She attended Counselor-in-Training camp at Camp Ledgewood, where she enjoyed helping younger scouts have a fun and safe time. Her unique perspective as a Juliette Girl Scout, having experienced the challenges of being without a troop, allows her to bring valuable insights. Jadzia is eager to contribute by brainstorming ideas for events, helping connect Juliettes, and suggesting ways for them to find new troops.

**BOARD DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE**

**Tami Bolder**



Dr. Tami Bolder is a Director in the Northeast Ohio office of CBIZ. Tami's Bachelor of Science degree in Business Administration and Accounting/International Business is from the University of Akron, Master's in Business Administration from Case Western Reserve University, and Doctor of Business Administration from the University of Pheonix. She oversees valuation projects for various purposes including mergers and acquisitions, estate and gift tax reporting, litigation, and financing. She also provides litigation consulting services for commercial and personal damage cases. Tami was recently appointed to the AICPA's National Judiciary Subcommittee where she provides training on financial concepts to federal court judges across the country. She is a member of Leadership Akron Class 36 and Cleveland Bridge Builders Class of 2015. Tami currently serves as a GSNEO Director-at-Large and is the Audit and Risk Management Committee Chair. Tami also served as a past board member of the Cleveland Metropolitan Bar Association and Junior Achievement of North Central Ohio and she served as a coach for Leadership Akron's Diversity on Board Program.

**Christine Hockman**



Christine Hockman is a transformational coach, speaker and founder who takes individuals and organizations on growth adventures — helping leaders unleash their potential so they can bring out the best in others, build aligned and resilient teams, and create cultures where people thrive, perform sustainably and actually enjoy the journey. As CEO of One Degree Shifts, a Certified High Performance Coach and Positive Intelligence Mental Fitness Coach, Christine partners with leaders and teams across Fortune 500 companies and high-impact nonprofits like United Way. Her work sits at the intersection of self-leadership, emotional intelligence and culture — empowering leaders to show up with more consciousness, courage, clarity and joy while creating teams and organizations that feel alive. Before launching One Degree Shifts in 2020, Christine spent 13 years in leadership roles — building high-performing teams, driving business development and using biomimicry (nature-inspired innovation) to fuel creative problem-solving, culture-building and some fun experiments along the way.

**Laura Schultz**



Laura Schultz is a lifetime member (30+ years) and a proud Gold Award Girl Scout. Currently, Laura serves as a GSNEO Board Development Committee member. Previously, Laura served as GSNEO's Board Chair, and prior to that, Laura served on the GSNEO Board in the capacity of 1st Vice Chair, Director at Large, Chair of the Board Development Committee and a National Delegate. Laura also served on the GSNEO Code of Regulations Review and Bylaws Committees. Laura is Owner and Wealth Advisor of Preservation Retirement Services, an independent retirement planning company, with her husband, Tim. Laura is also an

	<p>attorney and previously was an associate in the Business Litigation practice group at Thompson Hine LLP. Laura volunteers for the Legal Aid Society of Cleveland, focusing her pro bono legal practice on women's and children's issues and family law. Laura attributes much of her success to the leadership skills she learned in Girl Scouting and hopes to be able to continue to give back through her work with GSNEO. Laura and Tim reside in Westlake with their children Caspian and Samantha.</p>
<p><b>Sandra Rapp</b></p> 	<p>Sandy Rapp is the Vice President, Ethics &amp; Compliance and Engagement at bp. She has more than 35 years of experience in managing technology, strategy and transformation teams with leading companies in Northeast Ohio. Sandy was recognized as a Woman of Distinction in 2021 by the Girl Scouts of Northeast Ohio and named by the University of Akron as a Simonetti Distinguished Business Alumni Recipient in 2019. She was recognized as a 2024, 2016, and 2008 CIO of the Year in Cleveland and Ohio-based Technology categories. She was also selected by ExecRank as a top chief information officer for 2014. A Girl Scout alum and lifetime member, Sandy previously served on the board of directors for the Girl Scouts of America in Northeast Ohio. She also served as the vice chair of the board of directors of the United Way of Greater Stark County (Ohio) and was a board member and president for Stewart's Caring Place in Akron, Ohio. Sandy earned a bachelor's degree in political science from the University of Michigan and a master's of business administration from The University of Akron.</p>
<p><b>Pamela Valentine</b></p> 	<p>Pamela was born in Monroeville, Alabama. At a young age, she and her family relocated to Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. She graduated from Langley High School in Pittsburgh and is a 1978 graduate of The University of Akron in Akron, Ohio where she received her Bachelor of Science degree in accounting. She is retired from Girl Scouts of North East Ohio as the Manger of Major Gifts. She is retired from Lockheed Martin as a Senior Accountant. Pamela is also actively involved in many professional and civic organizations. She served six years as the Chairperson of the Board of Trustees for Western Reserve Girl Scout Council, is a past president of the Board of Trustees for the Young Women's Christian Association (YWCA) of Summit County. She is an active member and past two-term Chapter President of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc., a non-profit public service organization committed</p>

	<p>to sisterhood, service, and scholarship. Served on the Board of Women’s Endowment Fund, Project Grad Akron, and the Association of Fundraising Professionals Northeast Ohio. Currently serves on the board of Jewish Community Center, Akron Child Guidance and Family Solution, the Minerva Fund of Akron, and ATHENA Akron. She has received numerous awards for her service including, the YWCA Black Woman of Excellence Award in the Business Category, the YWCA Women of Achievement Award, the Sisterhood Award from the Akron Alumnae Chapter of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc., Woman of the Year Award from Wesley Temple A.M.E. Zion Church, The University of Akron Dr. Frank L. Simonetti Distinguished Business Alumni Award and the Soul of Philanthropy Hidden Philanthropist Award. University of Akron Greek of the Game in November.</p>
<p><b>Chris Venditti</b></p> 	<p>Chris Venditti is the Global Head of Sales at Ideal Industries. His prior role was Senior Director, Revenue Growth Management for the total Fortune Brands portfolio. Prior to joining Ideal Industries, Mr. Venditti was responsible for creating Strategic Plans at Cardinal Health for their At-Home Division. Before Cardinal Health, he increased complexity at the J.M. Smucker Company. He is an effective problem solver and is at his best when managing teams. He has served as Board Vice Chair, Director-at-Large and on the GSNEO Executive Committee. He has also chaired the GSNEO Board Development Committee and is an active member of the STEM Advisory Committee. Chris completed his undergrad at Baldwin-Wallace and obtained his MBA at Ashland University. He has also studied at the Weatherhead School of Business at Case Western Reserve University. Chris and his wife Larissa reside in Richfield with their two future Girl Scouts.</p>