

Betsie Trew, President & CEO



Betsie Trew is the President & CEO of the Washington County Community Foundation, a position created by the Board of Trustees in December of 2010. Previously, she was the Executive Director of the Foundation, a position she has held since late 1998.

Under her leadership, the assets of the Foundation have grown from less than \$250,000 to approximately \$10 million, representing more than 150 funds, with over \$2 million in grants and scholarships awarded. During her tenure, the Washington County Community Foundation was one of the first community foundations in the country to be approved for the National Standards for Community Foundations.

Immediately prior to coming to the Community Foundation she was the Vice President, Community Services for the United Way of Washington County, where she was responsible for the distribution of approximately \$1 million annually to local health and human services organizations. Previously, she was employed at US Steel in both Washington and Pittsburgh, where she held positions in human resources, sales, and accounting.

Betsie is a Past President of the Rotary Club of Washington, where she remains active. She has served on various community-based committees such as the Washington County Tourism and Promotion Agency Grants Committee and the Community Connections Grant Committee for Washington County.

She is a magna cum laude graduate of California University of PA, where she earned a degree in Business Administration and Management. Betsie is also a graduate of the Executive Leadership Program at the University of Michigan and was selected from a nationwide pool of applicants to attend the premier Community Foundation Course at the Center on Philanthropy at Indiana University. In 2009 she received the ATHENA Award from the Washington County Chamber of Commerce, which in part, recognized her efforts to support disadvantaged women and children through the Foundation's *Mother's Fund*.

