

2022-2023 Board of Directors



**Moreen Miller,
Board Chair**

Ms. Moreen Miller has worked in various roles in the aggregates industry, most recently as the President of Fowlers Construction and CEO of the Ontario Stone, Sand and Gravel Association. Prior to this, Ms. Miller was Vice-President, Land Management for Lafarge worldwide. She worked internationally in many countries, concentrating on legislation, rehabilitation initiatives, community affairs and sustainable development. Ms. Miller has over 25 years of experience in the rehabilitation and restoration of industrial landscapes. She has been involved in many industrial rehabilitation projects across North America, as well as provincial initiatives involving non-renewable resources, policy development, and community sustainability. Ms. Miller has been involved in many not-for-profit boards and initiatives over the years at both the provincial and community level. Her most recent activities have focused on local community initiatives that bring value and long-term prosperity to the communities involved. She has served on several commissions and boards as well, most recently as a Commissioner on the Niagara Escarpment Commission from 2004 to 2016. She is a member of the Ministry of Labour's Ontario College of Trades Appointment Council, and sits on the board of the Bracebridge Chamber of Commerce.

Since joining the MAHC Board of Directors in September 2016, Ms. Miller has been a member of the Resources & Audit Committee, a member and Chair of the Nominations Committee, Chair of the Local Share Committee and Vice Chair of the Board.



**Dave Uffelmann,
Vice Chair**

Dave Uffelmann graduated with a Bachelor of Arts in business administration from Laurier. He subsequently qualified as a Chartered Accountant. Prior to his recent retirement, he spent most of his career in manufacturing, holding senior positions in finance, production, sales and general management. He brings extensive volunteer experience having served in board leadership roles with United Way at the local, provincial and national levels, and Community Foundations locally, nationally and as the Canadian representative to the US leadership team. He has also served on the boards of Conestoga College and Waterloo North Hydro. More recently, Dave sat on the board of Grand River Hospital. There he served as chair of the Resources Committee. He also participated on the Quality and Patient Safety, Audit and Executive Committees.

Dave and his wife, Kitty, cottaged on Lake of Bays for over 35 years. At the beginning of 2018, they moved from Waterloo to make Lake of Bays their home. They have five children and five grandchildren. One of their daughters and family lives in Bracebridge.

Since joining the MAHC Board in 2019, Dave has been Chair of the Resources and Audit Committee and a member of the Nominations Committee. In addition to Vice Chair, he is currently the Chair of the Quality and Patient Safety Committee as well as the Capital Redevelopment Steering Committee. He is also a member of the Performance Management, Resources and Audit and the MAHC MAOHT Committees.



**Brenda Gefucia,
MAHC MAOHT Chair**

Brenda Gefucia is a Chartered Professional Accountant (CPA, CGA) and an accredited Executive Coach (CEC). Ms. Gefucia spent 30 years of her professional career with Canadian Tire Corporation, retiring in 2010 as a financial executive. In 2011 she became associated with Forrest & Company and began what is now her second career as a Business Consultant and Executive Coach. For four years she served on the Board of Directors of Community and Home Assistance to Seniors (CHATS) in York Region as Vice Chair of the Board and on the Finance & Audit Committee, Business Development Committee and Planning Committee. Born and raised in Bracebridge, and after spending 30 years in the GTA, Ms. Gefucia has returned to her roots and now makes her home in Bracebridge.

Since joining the MAHC Board of Directors in June of 2014, Ms. Gefucia has served on the Strategic Planning Committee, the Master Program/Master Plan Ad Hoc Steering Committee and as Treasurer and Chair of the Resources & Audit Committee. She is currently to the Chair of the MAHC MAOHT Committee and Nominations Committee and a member of the Performance Management Committee.



Tim Ellis,
Resources & Audit Chair

Mr. Tim Ellis completed a Bachelor of Business Administration at Brock University in St. Catharines, Ontario. He subsequently achieved Chartered Professional Accountant (CPA) credentials as a CMA in 2010. Tim is currently serving as the Superintendent of Business and Chief Financial Officer for the Trillium Lakelands District School Board.

A very active family of five with deep sporting roots, he and his wife Crystal are proud of their three children aged 19, 12 and 9 who are all avid lacrosse players. This commitment keeps the family busy with travel to the United States including visits to Baltimore, upstate New York, Michigan and Pennsylvania. When not shuttling children here and there, hiking, biking and paddling are things they enjoy in their down time. The family is also members of the Muskoka Paddle club.

Tim joined the Board of Directors in August of 2020 and is currently the Chair of the Resources & Audit Committee, a member of the IDEA Working Group, Performance Management Committee and Strategic Planning Committee.



John Sisson, Governance
Committee Chair

John Sisson is a skilled municipal leader with over 30 years senior management experience with the Town of Bracebridge and the City of Barrie. John retired from the Town in June 2020 after serving as Chief Administrative Officer since June 2007. As the CAO for the Town, he was responsible for the general, financial and human resource management of the Town's operations including planning and development; public works; engineering; culture and recreation; finance and administration; economic development; and fire services. Sisson joined the Town after an eighteen-year career with the City of Barrie where he served in a variety of positions including Assistant Director of Personnel, Executive Assistant to the Chief Administrative Officer, Deputy City Clerk and City Clerk. John graduated from Queen's University with a Masters Degree in Public Administration. He received an Honours Bachelor of Arts Degree from Wilfrid Laurier University with a major in Political Science and courses in Urban Studies.

He holds the Certified Human Resource Leader (CHRL Ret.) designation from the Human Resources Professionals Association of Ontario and the Certified Municipal Officer (CMO) designation from the Association of Municipal Managers, Clerks and Treasurers of Ontario. John has also completed advanced training in not-for-profit governance essentials through the Rotman School of Management at the University of Toronto.

Sisson has been an active volunteer with Hospice Muskoka for over 10 years. He has been active in the United Church of Canada and was previously a volunteer with the Hospice Simcoe Capital Campaign Team. John resides in Bracebridge with his partner Robin Hiltz.

John joined the MAHC Board of Directors in August of 2020 and is currently serving as the Chair of the Governance Committee, a member on the Quality & Patient Safety Committee, the Performance Management Committee, the Local Share Committee and the IDEA Working Group.



Evelyn Bailey,
Strategic Planning
Committee Chair

Evelyn Bailey joined the MAHC Board of Directors in August 2021 as a Global Managing Director and business transformation professional at IBM and a relatively new resident of Port Carling.

She is passionate about her community and seeing people succeed in community efforts. Evelyn brings enterprise risk management, innovation and transformation skills to the Board in addition to a decade of board and community experience.

She is currently the Chair of MAHC's Strategic Planning Committee as well as a member of the Performance Management Committee, the MAHC MAOHT Committee and the IDEA Working Group.

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Marsha Barnes,
Director

Marsha Barnes, a health care executive is currently working as CEO for a health care consulting firm. In her distinguished career, Marsha has held many executive positions with the Government of Ontario, including 20-plus years in various leadership roles with the Ministry of Health & Long-Term Care. Marsha has deep roots in Muskoka and was involved in the successful development of the Muskoka and Area Ontario Health Team.

She joined the MAHC Board of Directors in August 2021 and serves as a member of the Quality & Patient Safety Committee, the Strategic Planning Committee and the MAHC MAOHT Committee.



Carla Clarkson-Ladd,
IDEA Working
Group Chair

Carla Clarkson-Ladd has a 30-plus year career as a municipal civil servant. She has worked as a Chief Administrative Officer for the Cities of Kitchener and Barrie, and holds a Masters of Science in Urban Planning. She brings impressive board experience and community participation and has a strong background in governance and policy development.

Carla joined the MAHC Board of Directors in August 2021 and currently serves as the Chair of the IDEA Working Group and a member of the Governance Committee



Anna Landry,
Director

Anna Landry has health care experience from her professional involvement in long-term care, paramedicine and social services at the District Municipality of Muskoka having recently retired after 17 years as Director, Human Resources. Her local Muskoka perspective, prior private sector experience, overall business acumen and systems thinking will serve the board well. She also brings board experience from the Baysville Curling and Bocce Club and the Dickie Lake Association.

Anna was appointed to the Board in June 2022 and serves as a member of the Quality and Patient Safety Committee and the MAHC MAOHT Committee.



Line Villeneuve,
Director

Line Villeneuve served as the Committee Appointee Member on the MAHC board's Resources & Audit Committee in 2021/2022. She also served eight years on the CAA (North and East Ontario) Board of Directors, and for a wildlife refuge and Collège Boréal as the representative of the mining industry. She is an experienced labour relations and human resources senior leader whose roles also included public relations.

Line was appointed as a Director in June 2022 and currently serves on the Resources and Audit Committee as well as the IDEA Working Group.



Bruce Schouten,
Director

Bruce Schouten is a retired financial services executive with extensive credit, risk management, strategy, transformation and change champion experience. He holds a Chartered Financial Analyst certificate as well as a Directors Education Program certificate from the Institute of Corporate Directors and serves on the board of DUCA Financial Services Credit Union Ltd. Bruce has also participated in several community programs including children's sports, United Way and the BC-based Cops For Cancer.

Since his appointment as a Director in June 2022, Bruce is serving as a member of Resources and Audit Committee as well as the Governance Committee.