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Kevin Bolding

President and CEO, YMCA of Greater Pittsburgh

Mr. Kevin Bolding is the President and CEO of the YMCA of Greater Pittsburgh, one of the oldest YMCA associations in the country. With nearly 30 years of service to the YMCA, Mr. Bolding has served YMCAs in Lynchburg, VA, Detroit, MI, and Miami, FL, before his move to Pittsburgh in 2009. In Pittsburgh, he has served as a District Vice President and Chief Operating Officer before his promotion to President/CEO in May, 2016.

During his tenure in Pittsburgh, Mr. Bolding has led the YMCA through an extensive restructuring of its assets to better position the organization to succeed. This has included strategic agreements with affordable housing partners, repurposing YMCA community centers, and advocating for a “Y Without Walls” program outreach model. Through all of this, the YMCA remains the largest provider of full-day and after school child care programming in Allegheny County.

In our local community, Mr. Bolding currently serves as a member of the board of directors of Bridgeway Capital, the Carnegie Museum of Natural History, and the Squirrel Hill Health Center, and has been selected as a 2017 Smart 50 honoree by Smart Business Magazine and 2018 Outstanding CEO by the Pittsburgh Business Times.

Inside the YMCA Movement, Mr. Bolding serves on the national board of the YMCA of the USA and is active in a number of YMCA national committees. As an advocate for equity and inclusion, he is active with several planning groups to support these initiatives, both locally and across the country.

Mr. Bolding is a graduate of the University of Virginia, and continues to be involved in its student recruitment and outreach efforts. He, his wife and daughter are members of Central Baptist Church in the Hill District of Pittsburgh and are also active supporters of the Crohn’s & Colitis Foundation of America and the Pittsburgh Promise.