

CCHF Board Member

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Spotlight

Columbus Community Hospital Foundation



Jerod L. Trouba

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After Jerod Trouba first joined the Columbus Community Hospital Foundation board in 2019, he realized the importance of Columbus Community Hospital and the services it provides to the community.

“I wanted to be part of ensuring the hospital continued to be a resource for the community,” he said.

In addition to serving as treasurer for the board, Trouba also sits on the golf tournament committee, planned giving committee and Sterling Society committee.

His favorite part of serving on the board is working together toward a common goal.

“As a team, we work to meet the needs of the hospital and help provide a wide range of quality care to our community,” he said. **“In my role on the board, I have been able to rely on my previous work experiences.”**

Trouba, who currently works as a lawyer at Trouba Law Offices, LLC, said his experiences collaborating with clients and attorneys to develop plans that reach the best resolution possible have prepared him to serve on the foundation board.

He said the foundation’s work is important because it benefits the community and allows community members to become involved in the hospital’s operation.

“Community members can take ownership and pride in what the foundation provides to the hospital and, ultimately, the patient,” Trouba said. **“They can do that by giving to the foundation, playing in the golf tournament or serving on the board.”**

When you support the foundation, you also support the hospital. The foundation serves as the hospital’s primary partner by helping provide the necessary resources for state-of-the-art patient care.

“The foundation is well-run and does an excellent job of being a steward with donated funds,” Trouba said. **“It takes extra care to distribute funds appropriately and in a manner that is best suited for the goals of the hospital.”**

Supporting the foundation is a great way to assist the hospital and secure access to the best possible health care in the community.

People can contribute to the foundation through:

- **Outright gifts:** Memorials, cash gifts, real estate, appreciated stock, collections (art, etc.) and U.S. savings bonds.
- **Planned giving:** Bequests, life insurance policies, charitable remainder trusts and IRAs.
- **Major gifts:** Gifts of \$5,000 and greater are considered major gifts. In these situations, the foundation will request your permission to recognize your name or the name of your choosing.
- **Participation in the Holing Out Fore Health golf outing:** Since this charitable event started in 2003, it has raised more than \$1 million for hospital health care programs and equipment.
- **Memorial trees:** Trees can be donated as memorials in honor of individuals or groups and planted on the hospital campus.

For more information on Trouba or the Columbus Community Hospital Foundation, please visit <https://www.columbushosp.org/foundation.aspx>.