

## PATTY HUDDLE



Hometown: Granville, OH

Personal: Widowed. Three stepchildren.  
2 horses, 1 goat, 2 chickens, 3 dogs.

Community activities, boards, volunteer service: None presently. Formerly Rotary, Sertoma, Equestrian Therapy, Reading Volunteer – Elementary schools

Last book read: Something by Harlan Coban

Best advice you have ever received: Let go of the things you cannot control.

**Title:** Senior Vice President,  
Economic Development

**Team:** Business Development and Project Management

**Start date:** September 2011

**Economic development experience:** 20 years

**Previous organizations:**

Economic Development-related:

- Heath-Newark-Licking County Port Authority
- Allen Economic Development Group
- City of Upper Arlington
- Ohio Department of Development
- TechSolve
- Columbus Chamber.

Other private sector (non-economic development) employment as well.

**Primary roles and responsibilities:**

Manage and lead Columbus Region existing industry and strategic initiatives.

**Special skills:**

- Certified Financial Economic Development Professional
- Incentive packaging; negotiations
- Technical (program) knowledge
- Strategic partnerships

**Professional development goals:** Build out skills in: Management training; Communications; Business Development