



Lynne P. Pietz
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Lynne Pietz, JD, is the Executive Director of Development for Hinds Hospice, overseeing a diverse and multi-faced fundraising program to generate all of the agency's nonpatient revenue. Trained as a healthcare/elder law attorney, Ms. Pietz began her career as a medical malpractice trial attorney in Orange County, CA and then founded an estate planning/elder law practice in Dayton, Ohio after relocating there with her family. She left the practice of law to become the founding executive director of The Disability Foundation and The Ohio Community Pooled Trust, part of The Dayton Foundation. After moving to Cleveland, Ohio in 2001, she became Director of Planned Giving for the Northern Ohio Region of the American Cancer Society and then established a consulting business helping nonprofits in Cleveland. Since coming to Hinds Hospice in 2010, Ms. Pietz has successfully led the agency's first capital campaign to secure a new home for the agency. She also launched a new "Ray of Hope" annual fund drive, strategic grant-seeking program and direct mail program. She established a new "moves-management" culture for her department to support the cultivation of both major and planned gifts. She is an avid cyclist and hiker and loves living in Fresno.