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BettyLynn Smith is Executive Director of Community Impact of Chattanooga, Inc. (Community Impact), a non-profit community building organization that works to revitalize declining inner-city neighborhoods. Before joining Community Impact, she served as Senior Vice President of Neighborhood Revitalization and Community Relations for Chattanooga Neighborhood Enterprise, Inc. During her professional career, BettyLynn has held several senior positions in the non-profit, profit and government sectors. Prior to returning to Chattanooga in 2000, she served as Executive Vice President of the National Association of Investment Companies; Senior Vice President of Client Services for Wedgewood Capital Management, Inc.; Senior Vice President of Corporate Affairs for Pryor, McClendon, Counts & Co., Inc.; and as Assistant Secretary of the District of Columbia.

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