

**KAREN A. WHITE** was appointed as an ex officio member of the Cleveland State University Board of Trustees on July 1, 2023, by virtue of her position as Chair of the Cleveland State University Foundation, Inc.

Ms. White is Sr. Vice President and Manager, Community Relations and Corporate Initiatives, at KeyBank. In this role, she is accountable for leading the strategy for community impact through employee engagement, including Key's annual day of service which provides nearly 20,000 hours of volunteer time annually, and Key's nationwide United Way Campaign activities which yield approximately \$3 million annually. She leads the oversight and distribution of a \$3 million charitable sponsorship budget, engages Key's executives and teammates on strategic nonprofit board placement, and leads teams of up to 75 people across the U.S. for strategic community impact outcomes. Ms. White is also responsible for the development of corporate initiatives that bring economic impact opportunities to low-income individuals and underserved communities.

Previously, Ms. White held the role of Senior Program Officer for KeyBank Foundation, stewarding a \$40 million active grant portfolio in the states of Michigan, Ohio, Indiana, and Pennsylvania. She continues to provide oversight