



# Development Endowment Committee



## Ethan Gibbel

Endowment Campaign Chairman

*Ethan is President of Gibbel Insurance Agency and a longtime resident of Lititz, where he is actively involved in strengthening the local community. As a lifetime member of the Lititz recCenter, Ethan serves as one of the leaders who is overseeing the recCenter's Endowment Campaign. Ethan has also been actively serving on the LrC's Development Committee.*



## Henry Gibbel

Development Committee Chairman  
Lititz recCenter Board of Director Member

*Henry R. Gibbel, a lifelong Lititz resident joined Lititz Mutual Insurance Company in 1981 and currently serves the four Lititz Group of Mutual Insurance Companies as Chairman, President & CEO.*

*Henry has served on numerous nonprofit organizations throughout the community and greater Lancaster including the Pennsylvania Dutch Council of Scouting America, United Way, Warwick Education Foundation, Lititz Historical Foundation, Lititz Fire Company, Warwick Emergency Services Association and the Lititz Police Civil Service Commission. He values the opportunity to serve the Lititz RecCenter.*



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## Madelyn "Bunnie" Buckwalter

*Bunnie has lived in Lititz for over 50 years. Her life has centered around her children, eight grandchildren and living a life of meaningful volunteering. Bunnie served nine years on the Warwick School Board and was the WSD Board representative on the Lititz recCenter's Board.*



*Bunnie has also served nine years on the Lancaster Cleft Palate Clinic Board. She is also one of the proud founders of the Hands on House Children's Museum. Presently Bunnie serves on the Lititz Public Library Board.*

## Melissa Kalicicki Rojas

*Melissa graduated from Millersville University and began an independent writing career in 2013, writing young adult nonfiction. In 2015, Melissa transitioned from writing independently and working in the healthcare field to Landis Communities, beginning her work in development. Merging her love of writing with service to older adults and others became a natural and rewarding path.*



*Over the years, her role has grown into the Donor Engagement Coordinator at Landis Communities, where she continues to connect donors with their passion for giving through storytelling. Melissa has also remained committed to being healthy, continuing to compete in her age group as a Spartan racer and trail runner while training at Lititz recCenter. She joined the Development Committee in 2023.*



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## Maria Di Stravolo Elliot

*Maria Di Stravolo Elliott is an attorney and partner with the law firm of Barley Snyder, concentrating on real estate and construction law. Maria has lived in Lititz for the past 24 years raising her three children who all graduated from Warwick High School and frequently participated in Lititz recCenter activities and after-school program.*

*She is active in the Lititz community, having served as President of Venture Lititz and is currently on the Board for Venture Lititz. She is also a Fulton Theatre Trustee Board Member. Maria loves playing pickleball at the Lititz recCenter and serving on the Development Committee.*



## Thomas Hoover

*Thomas Hoover is a seasoned commercial banker with over 20 years of experience in the industry, including the past five years with Truist. He specializes in building strong client relationships and delivering tailored financial solutions to support business growth. His deep expertise and long-standing commitment to commercial banking make him a trusted advisor to his clients.*

