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New Development Director Joins Community Solutions

[Cleveland, OH] **Lindsey M. Whitling** joins **The Center for Community Solutions** as its new fund development director today (February 1, 2010).

Whitling comes from the Cleveland Clinic Foundation, where she served as director of development, Orthopedic and Rheumatologic Institute, since 2007, following work with the Heart and Vascular Institute. Her experience includes overseeing a successful \$2.5 million campaign, event coordination, Board and donor relations, and project/research management. Whitling has a Master of Arts degree from John Carroll University and is a member of the Association of Fundraising Professionals.

Whitling will be the organization's first full-time development director. "We're living in different times that require different strategies—especially for nonprofit organizations," said John A. Begala, executive director. "We look forward to Lindsey's contributions to building support for the critical work we do to improve health, social, and economic conditions by strengthening the infrastructure of services that help people in Northeast Ohio."

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The Center for Community Solutions is a nonpartisan, nonprofit organization focused on policy and system reform. It provides strategic leadership to improve targeted health, social, and economic conditions. Established in 1913, it is a United Way agency.