

Lynda Altovilla celebrated six years with The Helm in early June. As the organization's Finance Director, she is responsible for financial administration and office management functions including maintaining budgets, accounts receivable and payable, payroll and interfacing with IT vendors, to name just a few of her many job activities. She also serves as the manager for Pointe Area Assisted Transportation Services (PAATS).

"While I do interact with guests at The Helm, my primary role is supporting my co-workers. I work with some truly amazing people and providing them what they need to support the community we serve is important to me. I enjoy finding creative solutions when asked to help."

Lynda earned a bachelor's degree in Psychology from Michigan State University, an associate degree in Accounting from Macomb Community College and a certificate in Nonprofit Management from Oakland University. She owned English Business Support Group, LLC for more than 25 years before joining The Helm.

"I worked with a wide variety of small businesses and nonprofits in the metro Detroit area. I still help a very select few clients!"

Lynda grew up and currently lives in Grosse Pointe Park, with detours in East Lansing; Schleswig, Iowa; and East English Village, Detroit. She serves as a board member and treasurer for the Moross Greenway Project. Away from work and volunteer activities, she loves growing roses, gardening, feeding backyard birds, reading, baking cookies, and collecting new recipes and cooking them for family and friends – and coworkers!



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