

J. Patríck Byrne, NJ 2000-2003

J. Patrick Byrne has more than 28 years' experience in administrative management. Mr. Byrne was previously employed by the New Jersey Division of Youth and Family Services (DYFS), the state's child welfare and protective services agency. As the Chief of Staff (COS) of DYFS, he was responsible for administrative operations, overseeing the Office of Human Resources for some 3,400 employees, as well as incorporating the responsibilities of his formerly he1d position as the Assistant DYFS Director for the Offices of Licensing, Information Technology, and Management Services.

Pat earned his BS in Business Administration from The College of New Jersey. Byrne served as the eighth president of NARA, in addition to terms as Treasurer and At-Large Member of the NARA gov-erning board. He is involved in a number of professional and community organizations, including Chairperson of both the Implementation Advisory Committee and the Zoning Board of Adjustment for Washington Township, NJ.

Byrne now works as the Director of Administrative Services for Catholic Charities in the Roman Catholic Diocese of Metuchen (NJ), where he is a member of the Executive Team and oversees the Departments of Performance Improvement, Human Resources, Information Technology and Facilities Management.

Pat and his wife, Joan, have two sons, Brian and Douglas, and three grandchildren, with a fourth on the way.