



## The YMCA of Greater Boston General Board of Directors 2011 Officers



**John G. Conley**  
Chair

John Conley is a Partner and Co-Founder of Gilliam Capital, a life-science investment firm in Concord, MA. He has spent several years in the biotechnology industry. John was VP of Business Development at Transkaryotic Therapies, a Co-Founder of Alnylam Pharmaceuticals, and spent ten years at Biogen-IDEC, serving in several positions including Treasurer. He graduated with a BS in Economics from the University of Pennsylvania's Wharton School and an MBA from the Yale School of Management. John joined the YMCA of Greater Boston General Board in 2000.



**Patricia S. Bellinger**  
Vice-Chair

Patricia Bellinger is a non-executive director of Sodexo SA, based in Paris. She also serves on Sodexo's North American Advisory Board. Patti is an internationally recognized speaker on global diversity, inclusion and leadership development. Until 2007, she served as a senior executive at British Petroleum, plc. Patti is a member of the New England Advisory Board and the Board of Trustees of Facing History and Ourselves and serves on the advisory board of PEAR at Maclean Hospital, Harvard Medical School. She received a BA from Harvard. Patti joined the YMCA General Board in 2008.



**Eileen M. Connors**  
Vice-Chair

Eileen Connors is a former psychiatric social worker. Eileen has served as a foster care and adoption worker, college counselor, and therapist. She is a member of the R.O.S.E. Fund and is Co-Chair of the Advisory Board of the Boston College Graduate School of Social Work. She has been involved with the Leukemia Foundation, the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation, and the Task Force on Women and Boston College. Eileen received her BA in Education and her Master's Degree in Social Work from Boston College. For the past four years, Eileen has served as the co-chair of the Hello Party, the Y's signature annual fundraising gala that supports at-risk youth and their families. Eileen joined the YMCA of Greater Boston General Board in 1997.



**Jeff Conway**  
Vice-Chair

Jeff Conway is Executive Vice President and global head of State Street's Investment Manager Services Business Unit focused on investment manager operations outsourcing and responsible for Princeton Financial Services. Jeff has been with State Street for more than 20 years and has held a variety of management positions. Most recently, he was head of State Street's Global Strategy function. From 2001 to 2005, he was head of State Street's Global Services Business Unit in the U.K., Northern Europe, Middle East and Africa. He is a director on the board of Syntel Solutions (Mauritius) Limited and Syntel Sourcing Private Limited, Mumbai. He received a BA in financial management from the University of Massachusetts. Jeff joined the YMCA of Greater Boston General Board in 2005.



**Brian H. Kavoogian**  
Vice-Chair

Brian Kavoogian is the Founder and President of Charles River Realty Investors. Brian is involved in a number of civic, charitable and industry-related organizations. He is a Trustee of Tufts University and the Park School, an Overseer of the Tisch College at Tufts University and Newton-Wellesley Hospital, and a member of the Partners HealthCare System, Inc. Corporation. Brian is the current President and serves on the Board of Directors of NAIOP Massachusetts. He is a past Chairman of the Greater Boston Real Estate Board and a past Director of the MA Development Finance Authority. He received a BA from Tufts University in 1984. Brian joined the YMCA of Greater Boston General Board in 2001.



**Richard C. Waters**  
Treasurer

Dick Waters received his Ph.D. in artificial intelligence (AI) from MIT. For the next 13 years he worked at the MIT AI Lab as a Research Scientist and co-principal investigator of the Programmer's Apprentice project. Dick was a founding member of MERL (Mitsubishi Electric Research Laboratories) in 1991. As a MERL researcher, his work centered on multi-user interactive environments for work, learning, and play. Since 1999, Dick has been the CEO of MERL as a whole. In addition, Dick is the president of the Weil Memorial Charitable Foundation and a member of the board of directors of the Computing Research Association, the Mitsubishi Electric America Foundation and the Carroll School. Dick joined the YMCA of Greater Boston General Board in 2006.



**Kevin Washington**  
President & CEO

Kevin Washington is the twelfth President and Chief Executive Officer of the YMCA of Greater Boston since its founding as America's first YMCA in 1851. Prior to joining the YMCA of Greater Boston, Kevin was President and CEO of the YMCA of Greater Hartford for 10 years, where he re-energized the Y through two strategic planning processes, expansion and development of 8 facilities and camps, an investment of over \$60 million and increased the Board of Directors by 40 new volunteers. He has provided leadership for many YMCA of the USA initiatives. While in Hartford Kevin was an active board member of Amistad Center for Art & Culture, Hartford Hospital and the Hartford Club. He is a member of Sigma Pi Phi Fraternity Alpha Psi Boulé. Kevin earned a BA from Temple University.

**The YMCA of Greater Boston is:**

**For youth development by delivering after school programs to more than 1 in 6 Boston elementary-aged children.**

**For healthy living by enabling over 3,100 individuals and families to live healthier through income-based membership.**

**For social responsibility by providing job training that has a 90% retention/promotion rate for graduates.**

**The YMCA of Greater Boston is pleased to announce our General Board of Directors 2011 Officers:**

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