



BIOGRAPHICAL DATA

ROBERT J. MARCUSSE

In 1991 Bob joined the Kansas City Area Development Council (KCADC) as president and chief executive officer. KCADC is financially supported by over 250 corporations and 38 units of local government in both Kansas and Missouri. The mission of KCADC is to grow the economy of the 18-county, bi-state metropolitan area.

From 1990 to 1991 Bob was the executive Vice President of the Columbus (OH) Area Chamber of Commerce.

From 1982 to 1990, Bob was the president of the Economic Development Council for the Peoria area.

From 1978 to 1982, Bob served in the dual capacity as Associate Director for Battle Creek Unlimited, the nonprofit developer of the 3000-acre Fort Custer Industrial Park and as Associate Director of the Inland Port Authority of South Central Michigan and Foreign Trade Zone #43.

Bob serves on the Executive Committees of SmartPort, the Alliance for Innovation in Manufacturing (AIM-KC), and Missouri BIO. He is a member of the University of Kansas Edward Campus Advisory Board, Rockhurst University School of Business Advisory Board and University of Missouri Economic Development Cabinet. He is Chairman of the University of Kansas Medical Center Research Institute.

Bob graduated Calvin College in Grand Rapids, Michigan, with a Bachelor of Science degree. He received his Master of Science from Purdue University.