BIOGRAPHY

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Kimberly (Kim) C. Sawyer is the Deputy Laboratories Director and Executive Vice President for Mission Support at Sandia National Laboratories (Sandia) in Albuquerque, NM. She is responsible for ensuring that all Mission Support programs are integrated and that they enable mission delivery. Sandia’s Mission Support programs include business operations; information technology (IT) services; human resources; legal; corporate governance; communications; environment; safety, and health; security; facilities; audit; and ethics.

Kim also serves as chair of the Sandia Board of Directors’ Investment Committee, co-chair of the NNSA Operations Board, member and past-chair of the National Laboratory Chief Operations Officers Council, member of the DOE Laboratory Operations Board, and member of the Stanford Linear Accelerator Center’s National Accelerator Laboratory Operations Committee.

Kim was previously Vice President for Technical Operations at Lockheed Martin’s Mission Systems & Sensors. She led an engineering and technology workforce of 6,700, and was responsible for over 300 complex programs for advanced platforms and weapons, C4ISR, global sustainment, and sensors, as well as growth areas such as international, laser applications, and rail and port security.

Kim has extensive IT experience in roles such as CIO, project management, systems analysis, and software engineering. She has been instrumental in initiating organizational and cultural change, developing relationships with customers, advocating innovation, and cost cutting. She has industry experience with DuPont, TRW, Xerox, Coca-Cola Enterprises, and BAE Systems (formerly Lockheed Martin Sanders).

Kim earned her MS in Mathematics and Computing from the University of Massachusetts Lowell in 1989, and a BS in Business Administration from Robert Morris University. She serves as a board member for Albuquerque Economic Development, Inc., the Economic Forum of Albuquerque, the Presbyterian Healthcare Foundation, and STC UNM. She is a member and past-chair of the United Way of Central New Mexico board and served as the 2012 Campaign Chair, raising over $28M. Kim received the University of Massachusetts Lowell’s 2013 Alumni Award for the School of Sciences and the 2013 New Mexico Distinguished Public Service Award. She is also a member of Women in Defense.