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#### Intro

Financial Advisor. Business Consultant. Published International Author. Recording Artist.

Community Leader. Award Winner. Public Policy Advocate.

### **Queen City Collaborative**

- Owner/Impact Strategist (since Sept. 2018)
- Consultant to Business Owners/Non-profits on Legacy Building through Social & Cultural Impact Strategies and Implementation. Keynote Speaker. Trainer. Leadership Development.
- Graduate of University of Buffalo, Center for Entrepreneurial Leadership (2019)

# The Legend Group (Lincoln Investment)

- Independent Financial Advisor (since Sept. 2016)
- \$10 million AUM, Retirement Planning and Portfolio Management. Specialty in Impact Investing.
- FINRA Series 7 & Series 66 Licenses

# FOCUS: For Our Community Unity & Support, Lancaster/Depew Addiction Prevention Coalition

- President (since Jan. 2018) Project Coordinator (since 2020)
- Program Development, Grant Writing & Management, Marketing, Addiction Prevention
- 2019 White House Office of Drug Control Policy Award Recipient of \$625,000

# **IHNO: Ignite Hope Nurture Opportunities- Addiction Recovery Nonprofit**

- Co-Founder & Vice President (2014-2018)
- NYS Board Certified Addiction Recovery Coach, Trainer of Trainer (since 2014)

# **Published Author "Walking the Fine Line"**

• Published in 2004, International Author. Autobiography. Discovering Purpose after a Near Death Experience.

## Recording Artist "The Red Revolution" aka "The Red Rebel"

• Published in 2014. Turned down recording contracts from Capital Records California in 2001, EMI Records Nashville in 2003, Sony Records New Jersey 2004 to stay local and raise her boys as a singer mother.

#### Awards:

- 2017 "Women Who Move the City" Honoree presented by Big Brothers Big Sisters of Erie County
- 2017 "Top Financial Planning Firms" presented by Buffalo Business First
- 2018 "Chairman Award for Leadership" presented by Lancaster Chamber of Commerce
- 2018 "Business First 40 Under 40 Young Leader" Award presented by Business First
- 2019 "Agent of Change" Award presented by Lancaster Chamber of Commerce
- 2020 "Ambassador of Inspiration" Award presented by Lancaster Chamber of Commerce
- 2020 "Erie County Legislative Proclamation on Community Dedication" presented by County Legislator Todaro

# **Most Recent Board of Director Positions:**

- Lancaster Chamber of Commerce, Academy of Finance Depew High School
- NAWBO (National Association of Women Business Owners)-2020 Presidential Nominee