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John Pinto serves as the Deputy Director, Field Operations. Mr. Pinto began his career as a field mediator with FMCS in 1988 and worked in the Pittsburgh, PA regional office from 1989. In 1999, Mr. Pinto became a Director of Mediation Services (currently Regional Director) for FMCS Region 3, based in Pittsburgh. In March 2015 he was appointed Manager of Field Operations, and assumed the duties of Deputy Director, Field Operations in 2016.

Over the course of his career with FMCS, Mr. Pinto has served as the lead mediator in over 700 collective bargaining mediation meetings across a variety of industries including manufacturing, service, freight, oil and chemical, steel, healthcare, utilities, law enforcement, and education. Mr. Pinto has also worked on numerous training efforts in the area of collaborative labor/management processes in the federal, public, and private sectors.

Prior to his appointment as Commissioner, Mr. Pinto was employed as a Business Representative for the International Union of Operating Engineers, Local 66, Pittsburgh, PA, where he served as contract administrator and chief negotiator on numerous labor agreements with various construction firms, equipment dealerships, and aggregate producers. In addition, Mr. Pinto held several elected positions within his union.

Mr. Pinto earned his Masters Degree in Personnel Administration and Industrial Relations from St. Francis College in 1992. He received his Bachelor of Arts Degree from Antioch College in 1986.