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Patrick joined the federal government as a clerk typist in 1989 working in the Administrative Services Center. He served as a contract specialist, contracting officer, and procurement analyst in the acquisition activity for over 20 years. In recent years, he served as a customer liaison to external acquisition customers and then assumed the role of interim HCA in January 2014. Patrick was appointed the permanent HCA in December 2016. During his time as HCA, AMS achieved acquisition excellence with record-breaking award obligations, increased customer satisfaction scores, and an increase in employee morale.

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