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Hans Dekker has served as president of the Community Foundation of New Jersey since 2003. The Foundation has \$425 million in charitable assets. During Dekker’s tenure, the Foundation’s donor and legacy funds have made over \$390 million in grants to charitable causes in our communities. A key element of the Community Foundation’s mission is to play a leadership role on the critical issues facing New Jersey and its communities. It has recently focused on: public media—helping to found the online newspaper njspotlight.com to provide needed reporting on public policy issues in New Jersey; juvenile justice reform; and, human trafficking awareness and enforcement. Dekker is a past chair of the Council of New Jersey Grantmakers and a trustee of the Hyde and Watson, Milano and the Ohl Foundations.