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Brian Pillar is a General Manager for the State of Michigan, Department of Technology, Management and Budget with his teams providing support to Michigan Department of Corrections, Michigan State Police, and Department of Military and Veteran Affairs. Brian's core values are: the strength of the teams; customer service; Innovation; Security; and Business Value.

Brian is an alumnus of Michigan State University and began his professional career working for one of the university's IT departments where he drove a major network operating system modernization project. He then pursued opportunities at a small, but global, software development company where he led the IT Operations teams in their journey to the public cloud. In 2018, Brian joined the Department of Technology, Management and Budget, accepting his present role in 2021. Since joining the State of Michigan, Brian has been passionate about driving system lifecycle management and emphasizing cloud friendly platforms and services.