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A native of northeast Louisiana Kay has resided in the Bastrop area since 1998 and is dedicated to the economic recovery of the area. With the announcement of the closure of International Paper in 2008 she actively participated in the development of a Strategic Plan for Morehouse Parish. The Plan was completed in April 2010 and has been instrumental in the attraction of new industries to the Parish. Her work which includes green energy development and value-added food products has generated over four-hundred direct jobs in the last 10 years.

Kay graduated from the University of Central Arkansas with a Master's degree in Community and Economic Development in 2007. She is also a graduate from Northeast Louisiana University (now ULM) and West Monroe High School. She is a Licensed Professional Land Surveyor in the State of Louisiana. Before her work at Morehouse Economic Development Corporation in 2005, she was employed as the City Surveyor with the City of Monroe.