



Board of Director Biography

Raymond C. Brown, Treasurer (Washoe)

(Washoe) Ray is a member of the Washoe Tribe and is Senior Vice President at City National Bank. Ray has years of banking experience, primarily in commercial lending. Ray's experience include: twenty-two years at First Interstate Bank in San Francisco. First Interstate experience included: formal credit training, asset based lending, branch management and credit administration management. Civic Bank of Commerce (which has now become City National) experience include: Special Asset Management for six years in Oakland, California; Credit Administration management and Account Management in San Francisco office. Brown is active in the economic development activities of the Native American community in the San Francisco Bay area. Ray's community service activities include serving on: the Board of Directors of the Washoe Development Enterprise (Washoe Tribal Development Corp) in Gardnerville, Nevada, U.S. Senate Select subcommittee on Indian Affairs - testimony for proposed legislation, Founder/Chairman, Board of Directors, American Indians in Business, Inc., a 501(c)(3) nonprofit corporation, Oakland, California, Board of Directors, St. Paul's Day School, 6 years, Oakland, California, U.S. Army, Finance Officer, 1st Lieutenant -Germany from 1967-1969. Ray received a BS Business Administration from Oregon State University and an MBA from Golden State University. Ray has been a member of the NCAIED Board of Directors since 1977.