



LeRoy N. Shingoitewa  
CHAIRMAN

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VICE-CHAIRMAN

### **Biography LeRoy N. Shingoitewa**

LeRoy N. Shingoitewa is the Chairman of the Hopi Tribe. Prior to being elected as Chairman in 2009, he was involved in education in various roles. He has over 30 years of experience as a teacher and principal with the Arizona public school system and the Bureau of Indian Education (BIE) schools.

Chairman Shingoitewa worked with the community and parents to establish the Hotevilla/Bacavi Community School, the first tribal grant school for the Hopi Tribe. And historically he was the first Native American Principal for the Flagstaff Unified School District.

Throughout his career in education he served as a school board member in various Arizona school districts and held several tribal government positions within Arizona and Utah.

Chairman Shingoitewa attended Northern Arizona University in Flagstaff, Arizona for his Bachelor's degree. He received his Master's degree in Education from Penn State University, and continued at Penn State to work on his Doctorate degree.

Chairman Shingoitewa is a Hopi tribal member and a member of the Bear Clan. He resides on the Hopi Reservation in the Upper Village of Moenkopi with his wife and family.