## RODNEY MIKE TRIBAL CHAIRMAN DUCKWATER SHOSHONE TRIBE

Rodney Mike is a member of the Duckwater Shoshone Tribe and is the Chairman of the Duckwater Tribal Council. Rodney was newly elected in December 2016. Rodney has served on the Duckwater Shoshone Tribal Council in the past and is somewhat familiar with Tribal business.

Rodney has over 30 years of managerial experience and decision making from employment with an Oil Refinery outside of the Tribal area. Currently Rodney is working for the Tribal housing department assisting the Housing Director in all aspects of housing maintenance, including supervising and managerial practices.

Rodney is devoted to helping the Duckwater Shoshone Tribe move forward towards Self Determination and Self Sufficiency. Rodney's goal is to help move the Tribe towards better Health Care and Economic Development to supplement current jobs and create new jobs.

The Duckwater Tribal Community depends on Federal Government Funding at this time and is an agriculture and ranching community. For the ranchers to make things break even they need to find employment outside or on the reservation. Rodney's idea is that someday the Tribe will be able to create businesses that will support the reservation so that they do not have to depend on Federal funding and will be able to supplement programs and community, agriculture, ranching and other ventures.