

VICE-CHAIRMAN MARY JANE MILES
NEZ PERCE TRIBAL EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Born on March 3, 1940, Mary Jane Miles is an enrolled member of the Nez Perce Tribe (Tribe). She currently serves as Vice-Chairman of the Nez Perce Tribal Executive Committee (NPTEC), the nine-member governing body of the Tribe. Ms. Miles has served many terms and held various offices as a member of the NPTEC, including chairman, vice-chairman, and chaplain.

Vice-Chairman Miles is an ordained Minister of the Word and Sacrament of the Presbyterian Church (USA). She has ministered on the Navajo Reservation at Tuba City, Arizona, the Tohono O'dom Reservation at Sells, Arizona, and Indian Presbyterian churches on the Nez Perce Reservation.

Ms. Miles graduated from Lapwai High School on the Nez Perce Reservation. She earned an Associate Degree from Bacone College at Muskogee, Oklahoma, a Bachelor of Science Degree in Social Science from Lewis Clark State College at Lewiston, Idaho, a Master of Divinity Degree from Fuller Theological Seminary at Pasadena, California, and a Doctor of Ministry Degree from Pittsburgh Theological Seminary at Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.