

Teri Gobin, Tulalip Tribes Chair

Tulalip Tribes Board of Directors Chair Teri Gobin brings a vast amount of experience to the board. While starting her career as a secretary and receptionist, Gobin spent the last thirty-one years dedicated to working for the Tulalip Tribes in management and director positions. She has worked as the Tulalip Marina port master, the AmeriCorps coordinator and most recently as the Tulalip Tribal Employment Rights Office (TERO) director.

She brings a powerful yet thoughtful style of leadership to the Tulalip Tribes Board of Directors with a focus on tribal community. She has volunteered since 1974 for the Tulalip Tribes Salmon Ceremony teaching the youth about the ceremony, songs and regalia. In addition to her main duties, she has been a part of several boards and committees including the Marysville Tulalip Chamber of Commerce, the Council for Tribal Employment Rights National Board of Directors, the Snohomish County Workforce Development Council and the Tulalip Fishermen's Corporation Board of Directors. Gobin has been the TERO Director of the Year, and her department won Program of the Year. Her solution-orientated work ethic provided the opportunity to contribute to the Tulalip Tribes in numerous, effective ways. In 2010 she helped her parents, Stan and JoAnn Jones, publish a book titled "Hoy yud dud" (Our Way) that tells the Tulalip tribal history of her father's life story as a tribal leader.