
BIOGRAPHY

CHRISTINE SAGE, CHAIRMAN

Chairman, Christine Sage, was elected to Southern Ute Indian Tribal Chairman in December 2017. Born and raised on the Southern Ute Indian Reservation, she is the daughter of the late Chairman Christopher Baker and Esther Coyote-Baker. Chairman Sage is only the second woman to hold this seat on the Southern Ute Indian Tribal Council.

She leads the Southern Ute Indian Tribe with her vision of communication, breaking down silos and increasing trust within the diversified Tribal entities. Her dedication towards improving the services received by the Tribal Membership is commendable.

Sage attended and graduated from Ignacio High School and attended Fort Lewis College studying in geology. Prior to her inauguration, Chairman Sage worked with the Southern Ute Wildlife Department. She also spent six years on the Southern Ute Election Board, serving as Chairman for four years.

Chairman Sage serves on the Colorado Commission of Indian Affairs.

Chairman Sage is married with two children, three step-children, and three grandchildren.