

## Acknowledgements

Members of the SCEDD Board of Directors are appointed to two-year terms by the member counties. Each county has two appointments, with one additional seat for every 25,000 population (based on 2010 census), per guidelines set by the Economic Development Administration. Fremont County is, therefore, allocated a maximum of three seats, and Pueblo County a maximum of seven.

### Government representatives

Government representatives are members of the elected county governing board from member counties. At least one member from each of the thirteen member counties constitute this category.

Spike	Ausmus	Commissioner	Baca County
Rick	Butler	Commissioner	Baca County
Kim	MacDonnell	Commissioner	Bent County
Rusty	Granzella	Commissioner	Chaffee County
Roy	Elliot	Commissioner	Crowley County
Blaine	Arbuthnot	Commissioner	Crowley County
Kevin	Day	Commissioner	Custer County
Debbie	Bell	Commissioner	Fremont County
Donald	Oswald	Commissioner	Kiowa County
Mike	Lening	Commissioner	Kiowa County
Kayla	Marcella	Commissioner	Lake County
Luis	Lopez	Commissioner	Las Animas County
Rob	Oquist	Commissioner	Otero County
Ron	Cook	Commissioner	Prowers County
Tom	Grasmick	Commissioner	Prowers County
Terry	Hart	Delegate for	Pueblo County
		Commissioner Chris Wiseman	



*Crowley County CEDS meeting*

### Non-government representatives

Non-elected representatives compose one-third of the SCEDD Board. Primarily, they represent economic development corporations or county offices.

Charles	Bogle	President	Custer County Economic Development Corp
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## Southern Colorado Economic Development District \* 2021 CEDS

Diana	Armstrong	Special Projects Coordinator	Fremont County Economic Development Corp
Mary Jo	Tesitor	Owner	My One Hour Office (Huerfano County)
Carlton	Croft	Director of Economic Development and Tourism	Huerfano County
Jodi	Amato	Assessor	Las Animas County
Marla	Akridge	Director	Lake County Economic Development Corp
Danelle	Berg	Economic Development Coordinator	Otero County
Dan	Centa	At-large	Pueblo County
Jane	Fraser	CSU Pueblo Prof Emeritus	Pueblo County
Kevin	Keilbach	Client Executive, HUB International	Pueblo County
Caroline	Trani	CR Manager	Colorado Housing Finance Authority
Marisa	Stoller	City Clerk	City of Pueblo

*\*\* Southern Colorado Development District Board of Directors Membership as of July 31, 2021.*



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### **Economic Development representatives, not appointed to SCEDD Board of Directors**

Cheryl Sanchez, Director - Prowers Economic Prosperity

Stephanie Gonzales, Director - Southeast Colorado Enterprise Development

Cindy McCloud, Director - Kiowa County EDC

Cynthia Nieb, Director - La Junta Economic Development and Urban Renewal

### **CEDS Editorial Committee**

Marla Akridge (Upper Arkansas, Lake County)  
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Carlton Croft (South Central, Huerfano County)

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Mary Jo Tesitor (South Central, Huerfano)  
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