## **Rob Howard**

Rob Howard has been a nuclear operator for Southern California Edison at the San Onofre Nuclear Generating Station (SONGS) for over 30 years, obtaining Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) licenses on Units 1, 2 & 3. Rob also worked in the work control department developing and implementing work control packages intended to ensure plant maintenance and surveillances are performed safely.

Rob has served as a member of the California Public Utility Commission's Diversity Council for over 10 years, working to improve diversity within the utilities in the areas of employment, procurement and philanthropy and governance.

Rob is currently president of the Utility Workers Union of America (UWUA), Local 246, AFL-CIO, and is responsible for responsible for the day to day operations as well as the Human Rights Advisor. Rob also serves as an Executive Board Member of the San Diego-Imperial Counties Labor Council.

Rob has a Bachelor of Science Degree in Education from Southern Illinois University at Carbondale with a specialization in Workforce Education and Development. Rob also received certifications in Human Resource Management and Personal Financial Planning from UC Irvine. Rob is married to Michelle Howard and has 2 children, Jordan and Maya and a daughter in law, Brianna.