

## **Barry Saudan, President and CEO**

Barry Saudan was appointed by CCAF's Board of Directors as CCAF's President and Chief Executive Officer in January of 2015, following the retirement of Shelley Bergum, one of CCAF's founders and CEO since 2003. Barry is managing all aspects of the CCAF organization and is the CPUC's primary point of contact for all DDTP-related issues.

Prior to taking over as CEO, Barry was the Director of Operations and part of CCAF's Executive Management Team that oversees CCAF's contract with the California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC) to manage and operate the Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program (DDTP). In this capacity he had overall responsibility for the quality and performance of DDTP Field Operations and IT functions as well as Customer Contact Operations and Marketing contractor oversight in fulfillment of CCAF's Scope of Work for the contract with the CPUC.

Barry has over 29 years' executive management experience, including technical operations and strategic management with two high-profile financial data systems and financial management software companies, Reuters America, Inc. and Advent Software, Inc. Barry served at the Director and Vice President level in these companies. Additionally, Barry has experience owning and operating his own company. Barry holds a Master's Degree in Business Administration and Under Graduate Degrees in Information Systems Management and Electronic Engineering.