

## **Mariano Diaz**

In addition to serving on CCAF's Board of Directors, Mariano Diaz serves as the Grant Advisor to the Jenni Rivera Love Foundation and its Board of Directors. He has over 35 years of nonprofit management and development experience including strategic planning, program design and evaluation, and fund development, in the areas of comprehensive community development, affordable housing, health access, and youth development. Mariano has worked as executive management in the private and public sectors with companies such as LISC, Nike, Nestle USA, The California Endowment, San Diego Foundation, and Blue Cross of California. He now leads his own consulting firm, R&M Consulting Group, which specializes in fund development, communications, and planning. Mariano earned his BA Degree from the University of California, Santa Barbara and a Master of Education Degree in Administration, Planning, and Social Policy from Harvard University, School of Education.