

District Governor Phil has been a Lion for 35 years first joining in California.

Due to his job requirements several moves were made from one end of the state to the other. During this time he held all club offices, except treasurer, and was president of two clubs.

He served as Zone Chairman on two different occasions and was Deputy District Governor in the Shasta Region of District 4C-1. He also served as the District Trainer of new Secretaries for several years.

He holds numerous awards from Calif. including District Secretary of the year, a Life Membership in the District 4C-1 Humanitarian Foundation and Club Lion of the year.

Since moving back to Arizona he has served several years as Secretary of his club, been Membership Chairman as well as chairing the Long Range Planning Committee. He has been Zone Chairman twice, Region Chairman twice and completed the Faculty Development Institute in 2007. He has been the District Zone Chairman and Region Chairman of the year. He served as Vice District Governor during 2008/2009 as well as the MERL Co-coordinator.

Lion Phil, in addition to his Lions involvement was active in Boy Scouts serving as Scoutmaster and District Commissioner for the Southern Sierra Council.

He holds two Certificates of Appreciation from Lions Clubs International as well as a Master Builder Membership Key.

District Governor Phil retired in 1996 as an administrator with the Calif. Dept. of Corrections following 30 years of service. He and his wife Sandy have been married for 38 years, they have one son and three grandchildren currently living in Texas.