## **Executive Secretary – Doug Moore**



Doug started his career in racing at the age of 13 riding races at the NW Washington county fairs. He began his professional career at the age of 17 after graduating from Republic High School. He rode primarily in the NW at Playfair, Longacres, Portland Meadows, Salem, and Les Bois Park. In 1989 after ending the Playfair meet as leading rider he accepted the position of assistant racing secretary and clerk of scales at Portland Meadows.

During the next 5 years Doug worked at a variety of official positions including assistant racing secretary at both Playfair and Yakima Meadows and worked at Great Falls and Billings, Montana as a steward.

In 1994 Doug began working for the Washington Horse Racing Commission as clocker/identifier at Playfair. During his tenure with the commission he has performed most official duties and was named to the board of stewards in 1999 and was named presiding steward in 2005.

In 2009 Doug accepted the Deputy Secretary position with the commission and was named Executive Secretary in March of 2013 following the retirement of Robert Lopez.

Doug lives in Tacoma with his wife Patty and is the father of five, sons Tom and Austin, daughters Brittany, Ashley, and Brianna.