

Stan Marek President and CEO, Marek Companies

Stan is a Texas native, having attended Texas A & M University and graduating in 1969 with a BBA in Finance. His working career began in the drywall industry during summers in high school and continued part-time until completing his tour of active duty with the United States Marine Corps Reserves. In 1970, Stan worked as a journeyman carpenter and spent the next two years on large commercial projects throughout the city. He then worked for The Marek Companies as a project manager, estimator, and sales manager.

In 1982, Stan became President and CEO of the Marek Family of Companies, one of the largest interior contractors in the Southwest, with offices in Houston, Dallas, Ft. Worth, Austin, San Antonio, Harlingen, Atlanta and Oklahoma City.

Stan's focus of the past three years has been Comprehensive Immigration Reform. He is the co-founder of Texans For a Sensible Immigration Policy and a member of the Greater Houston Partnership's task force, Americans For Immigration Reform.

Community related activities past and present include:

Past President, American Subcontractors Association

Past Chairman of the Board, Associated Catholic Charities

Member of World Presidents' Organization

Past President of St. Joseph Hospital Foundation Board

Past member Board of Directors, United Way of Texas Gulf Coast

Board of Directors, University of St. Thomas

Past member Board of Directors, Associated General Contractors

Past member Board of Children's Assessment Center

Board of Houston Museum of Natural Science

Past President, Construction Industry Advisory Council, Texas A & M University

Past Board Member of St. John's School

President of the Diocesan Foundation Board, Galveston-Houston Diocese

J. P. Morgan Chase Houston Advisory Board of Directors

Chairman of the Work Faith Connection

Board of the Greater Houston Partnership

Governing Board of the Houston Community Foundation

Center for Houston Future's Board

Board Member of Neighborhood Centers