

Rose McKinney-James is the former CEO for the Corporation for Solar Technology and Renewable Resources, (CSTRR) and a former Commissioner with the Nevada Public Service Commission, she also served as Nevada's first Director of the Department of Business and Industry. She is currently the Managing Principal of Energy Works LLC and McKinney-James & Associates. Her firms provide business-consulting services and advocacy in the areas of public affairs, energy policy, and economic and sustainable development. A registered lobbyist with the Nevada Legislature, Rose currently represents a range of public and private entities with interests in regulatory and energy policy. Ms. McKinney-James served for twelve years as a member of the Board of Directors for Employers Holdings Inc. She was a member of the Finance Committee and Chaired the Governance and Nomination Committee.

She is currently a member of the Board of Directors of MGM Resorts International and MGM Detroit, she also serves as a member of the Board of Directors for Toyota Financial Savings Bank, the Alliance to Save Energy, the Energy Foundation and the American Association for Blacks in Energy (AABE). She serves on the Board of Three Square, and NACD Southern California and is also a member of the International Women's Forum. In 2013 Rose was selected to serve as an Inaugural Ambassador for the C3E initiative supporting increased participation by women in the clean energy sector. Rose is the immediate past Chair of The Clean Energy Project and Chair of Nevada Partners, a nationally recognized workforce development agency.

A native of Detroit, Michigan, Ms. McKinney-James is a graduate of the Antioch School of Law in Washington D.C., and received her BA from Olivet College in Olivet, Michigan where she was honored with the Distinguished Alumna Award in 2013. Ms. McKinney-James is married and the mother of two sons.

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