# William M. Zachry "Bill"

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### **Education**:

BS Business Administration, Personnel & Industrial Relations, Wage & Salary Administration (San Francisco State University)

## Experience:

Safeway / Albertsons Companies - GVP Risk Management

California State Compensation Insurance Fund - Board Member (Appointed by Governors Arnold Schwarzenegger and Jerry Brown)

State of California Fraud Assessment Commission - Chair (Appointed by Governors Pete Wilson and Arnold Schwarzenegger)

California Self-Insurers Security Fund - Board Member

California Grand Lodge F&AM - Insurance Committee

National Association of Corporate Directors - Fellow

National Association of Social Insurance – Member

California Chamber of Commerce Amicus Committee – Co-Chair

eStellarNet - Senior Vice President, Chief Operations Officer

Zenith Insurance Company - Vice President Claims

C.E. Heath Insurance / HeathCal / CareAmerica /HIH Insurance - Senior Vice President Claims

#### **Awards**

CCWC "Workers Compensation Professional of the Year" 2016

RIMS / Business Insurance Magazine "Risk Manager of the Year" 2014

Watsonville Law Center "Fields of Justice" Community Service Award by the Watsonville Law Center (2010)

California District Attorney Association "Award for Dedication and Service in Fighting Fraud" 2010

RIMS "Richard Bland Award" for Exemplary Legislative Efforts 2005

Daly City, City Council "Award for Bravery" 1976

# **Accomplishments**

Reduced Safeway's workers' compensation costs: \$108M per year, while reducing claims inventory from 15,300 open files in 2001 to 5600 in 2014

Reduced Safeway's outstanding liabilities and collateral by over \$500M

Founded the California Chamber of Commerce AMICUS Committee - Co-chair

Founded the Compsense (Noodle Group) organizations in California, Illinois and NY

Participated in design and passage of California Legislation: AB-227, SB-228, SB-899, SB-863

Participated in worker's compensation legislation and regulations in: Texas, NY, Oregon, Illinois, Arizona and Colorado

Participated in design and passage of Federal Legislation for Medicare Set Aside bill: HR 1485 (signed by President Obama January 10, 2013)

Participated in design and implementation of California worker's compensation regulations since 2004

Author of numerous worker's compensation articles for: Business Insurance Magazine and Risk & Insurance Magazine

Implemented a program to identify and intervene with Safeway's "At Risk for Delayed Recovery" employees

Participated in the design and implementation of CE Heath's claims system (which was sold to The Zenith Insurance Company and is still in use today)

Designed and implemented California's first Workers Compensation Pharmacy Network (2004).

Distributed a worker's compensation "Blog" to over 10,000 claims professionals

Expanded Safeway's insurance coverage to include: EPLI, Cyber, Earthquake, and Stock-Throughput

Designed and implemented a WC defense cost coverage insurance program at CE Heath for 132a and S&W in Ca.