

## **Russell Fehr**

Russell Fehr was appointed Treasurer of the City of Sacramento in May 2008 after a 24 year career in local government finance and administration. As Treasurer he is responsible for investing City funds, banking, and debt management. Prior to being appointed City Treasurer, Mr. Fehr was the City of Sacramento's Director of Finance, responsible for Accounting, Budgeting, Revenue Collection, and Procurement functions.

Russell has been a city employee since May 2004. Before coming to the City he worked for 19 years for Sacramento County in the County Executive's Office where he was Budget and Debt Officer.

Having participated in 24 Sacramento local government budget cycles, Mr. Fehr has acquired extensive knowledge of city, county, and state budgets and budget development. He teaches a class in public budgeting and finance for Sacramento State University's Public Policy and Administration Graduate Program.

During his career Mr. Fehr has managed and participated in a wide variety of debt financings including facility issues, revenue anticipation notes, redevelopment issues, and a tobacco settlement securitization. The facilities financed include a Triple A baseball park, a musical theater in the round, libraries, parks, an art museum, a golf course, a jail, a juvenile courthouse, health clinics, and office buildings.

Russ holds a Bachelor's Degree in Classics from Dartmouth College and a Master's Degree in Anthropology from the University of Arizona.