

Lorelei Cloud

Council Member and Treasurer, Southern Ute Indian Tribe

Ute Indian Tribe and proudly serves the Tribal Membership on the Southern Ute Indian Tribal Council. Born and raised on the Southern Ute Reservation, Cloud was elected to Tribal Council in December 2015. During her first term on Tribal Council, she welcomed the opportunity to serve as Vice-Chairman and Treasurer. After being re-elected in December 2018, Cloud continues her service to the Tribal Membership as a member of Council and Treasurer.

Prior to her election, Council Member Cloud worked 5 years as the Land Assistant Supervisor for the Southern Ute Growth Fund's Red Willow Production Company. While employed at the Growth Fund, she was a member of the Southern Ute Growth Fund Art Committee, the Southern Ute Growth Fund Traveling Team, and the Tribal Member Employment Advisory Committee. Council Member Cloud has also gained valuable work experience at Sky Ute Sand and Gravel, Southern Ute Housing Authority, and at the Bank of Colorado.

Council Member Cloud's banking experience has greatly benefitted her contribution towards the critical boards and committees to which she serves on while on Tribal Council. Council Member Cloud is the Chair on the Permanent Fund Endowment Investment Committee, and the Southern Ute Tribe's Audit Committee. Cloud also served as the Chairman for the Ten Tribes Partnership from 2017-2018. She also has a seat on the Budget Committee, Pension Committee, and the Southern Ute Indian Montessori Academy Parent Advisory Group.

Council Member Cloud is a true advocate for the Ute language, traditions, and culture; actively participating in cultural events and traditional gatherings. She is very passionate about helping the Southern Ute youth, women, and elders.