

**Frank Avila**  
**Commissioner**

Frank Avila, a professional engineer, was elected to the Board of Commissioners of the Metropolitan Water Reclamation District of Greater Chicago in 2002. Commissioner Avila is Chairman of the Engineering Committee and the Committee on Maintenance and Operations.

Commissioner Avila has more than 40 years of experience as an engineer and land surveyor, but he now focuses on serving the more than five million residents of Cook County he represents. His commitment to environmental protection and fiscal control are his top priorities. He frequently speaks about the District, addressing a number of community and business organizations, schools and public agencies.

He received his Bachelor of Science degree in Civil Engineering from the University of Illinois - Champaign-Urbana and a Master of Science in Finance from the University of Arizona. He is married to Sherry Avila, has three children, and has lived in the Edison Park area of Chicago for more than 27 years.