

## SCOTT MORRIS



Chairman of the Board,  
President and  
Chief Executive Officer  
**Avista Corp.**

Scott Morris is chairman of the board, president and chief executive officer of Avista Corp. He was elected president in 2006, and named chairman and chief executive officer in 2008.

Morris is an experienced utility executive who has served in a variety of leadership positions since joining the company in 1981. He began his career in the company's utility marketing division and has served in leadership positions throughout the company, including in customer service, construction and as general manager for Avista's Oregon and California utility business. He held that position until being named president of Avista Utilities in 2000.

Morris is a graduate of Gonzaga University and received his master's degree from Gonzaga in organizational leadership. He also attended the Stanford Business School Financial Management Program and the Kidder Peabody School of Financial Management.

Morris serves on the boards of the Washington Roundtable and Greater Spokane Incorporated. He is on the board of trustees for Gonzaga University, and he is a board member of the Western Energy Institute. In addition, he is a member of the board of directors for Edison Electric Institute, the American Gas Association and ReliOn. Previously, he was a board member for Providence Health Services, served as board chairman of the Spokane Regional Chamber of Commerce and chaired the Washington Economic Development Commission.