



Paralyzed Veterans of America

Bay Area & Western Chapter



Mr. Tomasz M. Modrzejewski, Board Member

Mr. Modrzejewski's name is Native American and may be hard to pronounce, so his nickname is "Mojo". He came to the US in 1974 with his mother when he was 11 years old. When Mojo graduated from High School, he joined the Navy. Mojo served in the US Navy for over 12 years as an Aviation Electronics Technician repairing systems on the P3 Orion aircraft. For a couple of years during that time, he was also assigned to recruiting duty. Mojo was deployed numerous times to places like Adak Alaska, Misawa Japan, Kadena Okinawa, Diego Garcia in the Indian Ocean as well as Australia, Thailand and a few times to the Philippines. He was also deployed to the middle east during Desert Storm in support of our efforts there.

Mojo became a member of the PVA in 1993 when he was injured in a motorcycle accident. At that time the PVA came to his rescue. Ever since that time he had wished for an opportunity to return the favor so to speak. Well 2 years ago he got that opportunity and became a member of the Board of Directors. Since that time, Mojo has been working with the Board to help our fellow members and he gets a distinct sense of accomplishment every time he gets to do this.