

Robert Glen Doucette (b. 1962)

Robert was born on February 29, 1962, in Buffalo Narrows, Saskatchewan the son of Marcién and Rita Doucette. He took his primary and secondary education at Prince Albert, Saskatchewan. He has taken his post-secondary education the SUNTEP program in Prince Albert, University of Saskatchewan; he completed the second year of an Education degree in the SUNTEP program in Saskatoon, University of Saskatchewan; and from 1988-1989, he attended the University of Brandon, Brandon, Manitoba, studying towards a double major in Political Science/Native Studies, 3rd year.

Robert has been actively involved in Métis political life and has been employed with a variety of Métis social justice programs. He is a former Executive Director of Métis Employment & Training Inc. (MÉTIS Inc.). He is presently the President of the Métis Nation—Saskatchewan. Previously he served as President of Saskatoon Metis Local # 126, and as Western Region 2A Area Director 1995-1998. From February 22, 1998 to January 17, 2001, Robert held the position of Secretary on the Provincial Métis Council of the Métis Nation of Saskatchewan, an elected position. From February 18, 2001 to April 9, 2001, Robert was elected to the position of Vice President on the Provincial Métis Council of the Métis Nation of Saskatchewan. Robert is an avid collector of Aboriginal-specific primary documents and is the author of *The Archival Resource Guide for Aboriginal Issues*, Saskatoon: Gabriel Dumont Institute, 2009.

As a youth, he played on a softball team called the "Old Dutch Twins" which won the provincial title three times in a six year span. He represented Prince Albert in three provincial track meets, and played on numerous championship hockey teams.





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