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Mike Ingram
Founder & Chairman
El Dorado Holdings, Inc.

Mike Ingram, 2020 Fireside Chat Honoree, founded El Dorado Holdings, Inc., in 1987 with Mark “Monty” Ortman (retired) with a staff of one and a single escrow property south of Phoenix. That property, John Wayne’s El Dorado Ranch, was the catalyst for growing a network of investors and land holdings strong enough to weather the real estate cycles and economic swings of the next few decades.

Ingram moved to Phoenix in 1987 with his family and personal work ethic to rise through adversity, stay focused on goals and deliver on commitments. Before moving to Arizona, he grew Tufts & Sons of Oklahoma into a company with \$100 million in annual sales. When oil companies in Texas and Oklahoma went through a deep economic crisis, a chain of non-payments swept through all levels of industry, causing Ingram to sell off his successful businesses. With the sale, he paid off creditors, avoiding bankruptcy while necessitating a fresh start.

Ingram’s focus on hard work and responsibility came at an early age when his father passed away. At the age of 11, Ingram put in long hours at the motel owned by his mother and picked up other jobs outside of school to help pay the mortgage.

Working his way through college, Ingram graduated from New Mexico State University with a bachelor of science in four years and no debt. He earned acceptance in the national honor society, Alpha Zeta.

Ingram is passionate about giving back to his community and his country. He is committed to a number of business and civic organizations, and serves on the boards of the Arizona Commerce Authority, Arizona-Mexico Commission, Barrow Neurological Foundation (Emeritus), Translational Genomics Research Institute Foundation, C. M. Russell Museum, Shikar Safari Club International Foundation and the National Cowboy and Western Heritage Museum. He is one of the owners of the Arizona Diamondbacks, a Major League Baseball team. He is also actively involved with Pinnacle Forum, Focus on the Family, the Campus Crusade for Christ and its ministries within.



Special Guest:
John Graham
Chairman & CEO
Sunbelt Holdings

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Best Regards,

David Kross
REIAC Southwest Chapter
President

T.A. Shover
REIAC Southwest Chapter
Program Chair

Schedule:

Wednesday, February 12, 2020
4:00pm Registration and Networking
4:30pm – 5:30pm Program
5:30pm – 7:00pm Networking Reception
Includes hosted beverages and appetizers

Location:

Camelback Golf Club
7847 N. Mockingbird Lane
Scottsdale, AZ

Fees:

REIAC Members: Free
Guests: Free – Must be accompanied by a REIAC member.

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