



**Karen King
East Division President
McDonald's USA, LLC**

Karen King is president of McDonald's® East Division and is responsible for more than 5,000 restaurants (more than one third of restaurants in the USA) from Maine to Florida. In this role, King is responsible for restaurant operations, financial performance, market and brand development as well as fostering relationships with owner/operators, suppliers and community leaders. She was promoted to this position in March 2005.

Most recently, King served as the vice president of strategic planning and business development for McDonald's USA. Previously, she served as the general manager/vice president of the Florida region, and as the regional manager/vice president of the Raleigh region.

A 30-year employee of McDonald's, King has held a number of operations positions during her career including serving as the director of operations for the Tampa region in 1997 and as the multi-department head in 1996. She also served as a field service manager for the former Greenville region. She also worked as an operations manager for the Florida and Atlanta markets and as a licensing manager in the Raleigh, Atlanta and Greenville regions.

King began her career as a crew person in Lawrenceville, Georgia, in 1975.

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