



**Paralyzed Veterans
of America**

Bay Area & Western Chapter



Mr. Reese P. Levasseur, President

Mr. Levasseur served for 10 years in the U.S. Marines and reached the rank of Staff Sergeant. During his tours he did one West PAC, Recruiting Duty, and taught light armored vehicle (LAV) diesel mechanics as a Military Occupation Specialty (MOS). Being a mechanic by trade, he became a motorcycle technician which ended with his crash in 2005. It left him as an incomplete paraplegic; a T-11 to L-2 spinal fusion. Paralyzed Veterans of America (PVA) helped Mr. Levasseur get heavily involved in adaptive sports which lead to him becoming the Chapter's Co-Sports Director for two years. Mr. Levasseur now serves as the Chapter President of the Bay Area and Western Chapter for the Paralyzed Veterans of America.