

John Nau III

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John L. Nau III is president and Chief Executive Officer of Silver Eagle Distributors, L.P., the nation's largest distributor of Anheuser-Busch products. Silver Eagle employs over 1,200 employees that serve 16 counties in Texas through operations in Houston, San Antonio, Conroe, Cypress and Rosenberg. Silver Eagle also distributes Grupo Modelo beers, a broad selection of microbrews and craft beers, and several non-alcohol beverages and waters.

Mr. Nau's commitment to service is apparent through a broad spectrum of participation in civic, community, and philanthropic organizations in Houston and throughout the country. His current involvement includes vice chair of the National Park Foundation Board of Directors, Civil War Trust Board of Directors and Chairman Emeritus, Baylor College of Medicine Board of Trustees, Gilder Lehrman Institute of American History Board of Trustees, honorary trustee of the Greater Houston Convention & Visitors Bureau, honorary trustee of Texas Heart Institute, honorary state trustee for the San Antonio Parks Foundation, director and executive committee member of the Greater Houston Partnership, and Advisory Council member to the Center for Big Bend Studies. He also serves as a board member for the Center for Houston's Future, Discovery Green Conservancy, Friends of the Texas Historical Commission, Friends of Vicksburg National Military Park, Houston Police Foundation, The Admiral Nimitz Foundation, and The Texas State Historical Association. Additionally, he is chair of the Capital Campaign for the Nau Center for Texas Cultural Heritage and chair of the Steering Committee for the proposed Lone Star Coastal National Recreation Area.

Mr. Nau is a graduate of the University of Virginia, where he earned a Bachelor of Arts in History and currently serves on the Board of Visitors, a position appointed by the Governor of the Commonwealth of Virginia. He is founder and President of The Nau Foundation.

