Alumni Raymond King serves as Zoo Atlanta’s President and CEO. Under his leadership, Zoo attendance has grown by 30 percent, resulting in the largest fundraising effort in Zoo Atlanta history. Before taking on the leadership role at Zoo Atlanta King spent 22 years with SunTrust Banks Inc., formerly Trust Company Bank.

Raymond B. King, President and CEO of Zoo Atlanta, has been voted Atlanta’s Most Admired Nonprofit CEO. King was listed among Georgia Trend magazine's "Top 40 Under 40" in 2004, and was named on the Watch List of the Atlanta Business Chronicle's "25 Atlantans Making a Difference" in 2007. King was a recipient of the United Way Chairman's Award in 2009 and was named among the Atlanta Business Chronicle's "Most Influential Atlantans" in 2012.

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