

NYE COUNTY AGENDA INFORMATION FORM

Action Presentation Presentation & Action

Department: Board of County Commissioners		Agenda Date:
Category: Regular Agenda Item		June 19, 2018
Contact: Lorina Dellinger	Phone:	Continued from meeting of:
Return to:	Location:	Phone:
<p>Action requested: (Include what, with whom, when, where, why, how much (\$) and terms)</p> <p>Discussion and deliberation regarding approval of five (5) contracts for Public Defender Services.</p>		
<p>Complete description of requested action: (Include, if applicable, background, impact, long-term commitment, existing county policy, future goals, obtained by competitive bid, accountability measures)</p>		
<u>Renewals:</u> Jason Earnest Nathan Gent	<u>New Applicants:</u> Brent D. Percival Daniel Martinez Carl M. Joerger David H. Neely	
<p>Any information provided after the agenda is published or during the meeting of the Commissioners will require you to provide 20 copies: one for each Commissioner, one for the Clerk, one for the District Attorney, one for the Public and two for the County Manager. Contracts or documents requiring signature must be submitted with three original copies.</p>		
<p><u>Expenditure Impact by FY(s):</u> (Provide detail on Financial Form)</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No financial impact</p>		

Routing & Approval (Sign & Date)

1. Dept	Date	6.	Date
2.	Date	7. HR	Date
3.	Date	8. Legal	Date
4.	Date	9. Finance	Date
5.	Date	10. County Manager	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Place on Agenda <i>✓</i> <i>N/A</i>

ITEM # 29

CONTRACT FOR PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

Between

Nye County, Nevada

and

For

PUBLIC DEFENDER SERVICES

(Tonopah and Beatty)

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WHEREAS, it is deemed that the services of Attorney herein specified are both necessary and desirable and in the best interests of Nye County; and

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LAW OFFICES OF

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A Professional Corporation

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Brent D. Percival, Esq.,
Shirley Davcy*

*Legal Assistant

May 11, 2018

Ms. Lorina Dellinger
P.O. Box 153,
Tonopah, Nevada 89049

VIA E-MAIL TRANSMISSION : ldellinger@co.nye.nv.us

Dear Ms. Dellinger:

I have recently been informed that Nye County is seeking qualified individuals to serve as public defense counsel in the city of Pahrump, Nevada. I would like to express my sincere interest in serving as one of the contract public defenders in and for Nye County, Nevada, assuming that this information is correct.

I graduated from the University of Kansas School of Law in May of 1987, and passed the Kansas State Bar in July of 1987. After practicing in a small rural community outside Topeka, Kansas for approximately 9 months, I relocated to Las Vegas, Nevada in March of 1988, I was admitted to the Nevada State Bar in November, 1988.

Since May of 1997, I have served as conflict counsel for Clark County, Nevada, providing legal services for indigent criminal defendants who, for various reasons, could not be represented by the Clark County Public Defender's Office. In the role of Contract attorney to Clark County, Nevada, I have represented persons accused of criminal offenses ranging from First Degree Murder to Disorderly Conduct. I have served as trial counsel in over 50 criminal jury trials, and innumerable misdemeanor bench trials. I am confident that my experience and exposure to the Nevada Legal system is well within the range that you are looking for.

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I am attaching a copy of my resume', which details the whole of my 30 years of legal experience. I would like to express my sincere interest in being of service to the citizens of Nye County, and to the Pahrump community as a whole. I hope that you will consider my application for this position favorably, and that we have an opportunity to meet and speak in the not-too-distant future.

Thank you for your time, and for your attention to this letter. Until such time as we may have an opportunity to meet with you and discuss this opportunity, I shall remain,

Very Truly Yours,

BRENT D. PERCIVAL, ESQ. P.C.

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Brent D. Percival". The "B" is capitalized and the "D" is smaller. "Percival" is written in a cursive script.

Brent D. Percival, Esq.

Attachment

BRENT D. PERCIVAL ESQ.
NEVADA STATE BAR NO. 003656

W: 1148 South Maryland Parkway, Las Vegas, Nevada 89104 (702) 868-5650

EDUCATION

UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS SCHOOL OF LAW
Lawrence, Kansas 66045
Juris Doctorate Awarded: May 1987
Admitted to State Bar of Kansas: August 1987
Admitted to Nevada State Bar: November 1988

BETHANY COLLEGE
LINDSBORG, KANSAS 67456
Bachelor's Degree in History/Political Science Awarded in May 1984

LEGAL EXPERIENCE

BRENT D. PERCIVAL, ESQ. P.C.
1148 SOUTH MARYLAND PARKWAY
LAS VEGAS, NEVADA 89104
(702) 868-5650
APRIL 1999 TO PRESENT

WHILE DOING BUSINESS AS BRENT D. PERCIVAL, ESQ. P.C., I HAVE MAINTAINED A SOLO PRACTICE, CONCENTRATING IN CRIMINAL DEFENSE LAW AND PERSONAL INJURY LITIGATION. I HAVE BEEN THE SOLE ATTORNEY CHARGED WITH ALL LITIGATION RESPONSIBILITY, AS WELL AS THE OVERSIGHT AND SUPERVISION OF MY OWN OFFICE AND AS MANY AS THREE SUPPORT STAFF MEMBERS. DURING THIS TIME FRAME, I HAVE SERVED THE GREATER PART OF MY 20 YEAR SOLO PRACTICE AS A TRACK-AND-TEAM ATTORNEY FOR THE EIGHTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT, COVERING, AT VARIOUS TIMES, JUSTICE COURTS 2, 3, 5, AND 6, AND DISTRICT COURTS IX, X, XIV, AND XX. CRIMINAL EXPERIENCE RUNS THE GAMUT FROM CATEGORY "A" FELONIES, TO MISDEMEANOR OFFENSES.

ROBERT L. BOLICK, LTD.
6060 WEST ELTON AVE., SUITE A
LAS VEGAS, NEVADA 89107
(702) 870-6060
May 1997 to April, 1999
(Firm Now Defunct)

While employed at Robert L. Bolick, Ltd., I was involved in a general civil and criminal defense practice, and was charged with the responsibility of overseeing an extensive case load, primarily concentrating in personal injury law and criminal defense litigation.

EICHACKER & ASSOCIATES, P.C.
1701 WEST CHARLESTON, SUITE 400
LAS VEGAS, NEVADA 89102
FIRM NOW DEFUNCT: NO PHONE AVAILABLE
August 1995 to May, 1997

While at Eichacker & Associates, I was employed as an associate attorney, charged with responsibility for the management and litigation of civil and criminal case files, with particular emphasis in personal injury litigation.

BUTTELL & PERCIVAL, LTD.
2635 SOUTH HIGHLAND
LAS VEGAS, NEVADA 89109
Supervisor: None.
July 1993 to August 1995

During my tenure at Buttell and Percival, Ltd., I was a self-employed independent contractor, associated with attorney Alan J. Buttell. I was responsible for my own case load of civil and criminal files, including the interview and screening of new clients, litigation of criminal defense and civil litigation files, and management of the day -to-day operation of my own office.

THOMPSON & HARPER, LTD.
703 SOUTH EIGHTH STREET
LAS VEGAS, NEVADA 89101
Firm Now Defunct: No phone number available
Supervisor: Charles E. Thompson, Esq.
January 1991 to July 1993

While at Thompson & Harper, Ltd., a general civil litigation firm, I was employed as an associate attorney. Our practice concentrated primarily on real estate litigation and general civil practice.

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600 SOUTH EIGHTH STREET

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Supervisor: Brian K. Gould, Esq.

September 1988 to January 1991

While at Alverson, Taylor, & Mortenson, I served as an associate attorney, with practice primarily concentrated in the field of medical malpractice defense, and premises liability defense.

CLARK COUNTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE, CIVIL DIVISION

225 BRIDGER AVENUE, 8TH FLOOR

LAS VEGAS, NEVADA 89101

March 1988 to September 1988

Direct Supervisors: Bill Curran and Jim Bartley

Employed as a law clerk, with duties of performing legal research and writing for Clark County.

CALVIN K. WILLIAMS, CHITD.

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CARBONDALE, KANSAS 66414

DIRECT SUPERVISOR: CALVIN K. WILLIAMS, RET.

May 1987 to March 1988

While with Calvin Williams, I was employed in an associates' position, in a practice concentrating in domestic relations and criminal defense.

REFERENCES:

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Clark County Regional Justice Center
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Las Vegas, Nevada 89155
(702) 229-2036**

**The Honorable Judge Joseph S. Sciscento
Las Vegas Justice Court, Department 2
Clark County Regional Justice Center
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(702) 671-3353**

**The Honorable Judge William D. Jansen (Ret.)
Senior Judge – Clark County, Nevada
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May 14, 2018

Via Email

Lorina Dellinger
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Tonopah, NV 89049
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RE: Northern Nye County Public Defender Contract

Dear Ms. Dellinger,

It has come to my attention that Jonathan Nelson, Esq. has given notice that he no longer intends to continue under contract as the Northern Nye County Public Defender. I am writing to express my interest in replacing him in that capacity.

I was licensed to practice law in December of 2010, and since that time I have rapidly gained invaluable experience in all aspects of the legal profession, but more specifically our criminal justice system. As an associate with Joseph A. Scalia, Ltd., I immediately began making daily court appearances, arguing motions, and litigating criminal cases in all the Clark County Municipal Courts, Justice Courts, and District Courts, as well as the United States District Court, District of Nevada. Before I was an associate there, I worked as a law clerk, researching legal issues and drafting motions. When I began as an associate with the Richard Harris Law Firm, I took on greater responsibility as the lead attorney on all criminal cases with the firm. I expanded the role I had with my previous firm by consulting with prospective clients, and handling more serious felony cases on a regular basis.

I continued to expand my role when I moved to Truitt & Associates d/b/a Half Price Lawyers. I was the head of the Criminal Department there, in charge of handling all the criminal and traffic matters for one of the busiest law firms in Clark County. It was during my time there that I sat first chair on two jury trials. Currently I am continuing to practice criminal defense as a partner of my own law firm. I am an alternate public attorney for both Las Vegas and Henderson Municipal Courts, where I stand in as the public defender at least twice a week. Additionally, as a conflict attorney for the Clark County Public Defender, I am appointed to represent indigent clients charged with felonies.

My experience has made me a strong litigator, with excellent oral and writing skills. I have litigated all aspects of a case including bench trials, preliminary hearings, motion hearings, evidentiary hearings, revocation hearings, sentencing hearings, and jury trials. To date, I have taken four cases to jury trial, three of which were as first chair. The most recent was a jury trial in Pahrump, in which I secured a not guilty verdict in the Fifth Judicial District Court. My dealings with these cases have also made me an apt negotiator in trying to resolve cases in the pretrial stages. My success in my career has required that I maintain professional and courteous dealings with clients, opposing counsel, and the Courts.

My legal career has made me very passionate about criminal justice, criminal defense, and representing indigent clients. By working for The Richard Harris Law Firm, Truitt & Associates, and as an alternate public attorney, I have become accustomed to and comfortable with handling a high volume of cases. It is for these reasons that I am an ideal candidate to take over the contract as the Northern Nye County Public Defender.

My resume, trial experience, and references are attached. I would love the opportunity to discuss this matter further with you. I can be reached at my office, (702) 625-0610, or on my cell phone, (845) 417-8995. Thank you for your time, and I look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,

Daniel E. Martinez, Esq.
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DANIEL E. MARTINEZ, ESQ.

Email: Daniel@danielmartinezlaw.com

PROFILE

Licensed to practice in the State of Nevada and the United States District Court for the District of Nevada
Litigation experience in Criminal, Family, Personal Injury, and Bankruptcy Law
Trial experience in Criminal and Family Law
Skilled in establishing and maintaining effective relationships with clients, business partners, and opposing counsel
Talented researcher with excellent verbal, written and presentation skills

EDUCATION

William S. Boyd School of Law, University of Nevada, Las Vegas, Las Vegas, NV Juris Doctor, May 2010
Academic Scholarship, 2007
Activities: Sports and Entertainment Law Association, President, 2007-2010
Phi Alpha Delta, Member, 2007-present

Arizona State University, Tempe, AZ

Bachelor of Science in Justice Studies, May 2007
Academic Scholarship, 2003
GPA: 3.3
Activities: Circle K International, volunteer community service organization, 2003-2004

EXPERIENCE

City of Las Vegas, City of Henderson, Alternate Public Attorney

Daniel Martinez Law, LLC, formerly Coombs & Martinez, LLC, Owner and Managing Partner, February 2015-present

- Draft motions and pleadings and research new issues for Criminal cases
- Consult and retain new clients
- Attend hearings, negotiate cases, argue motions, and litigate trials; multiple not guilty verdicts attained in criminal court
- Work collectively and independently to effectively represent the rights of clients

Truitt & Associates, LLC d/b/a Half Price Lawyer, Intake Attorney, September 2013-January 2014; Criminal Department Head, January 2014-February 2015

- Draft motions and pleadings and research new issues for Criminal cases
- Consult and retain new clients
- Attend hearings, negotiate cases, argue motions, and litigate trials; multiple not guilty verdicts attained in criminal court
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Richard Harris Law Firm, LLP, Associate February 2012-September 2013

- Draft motions and pleadings and research new issues for Criminal cases
- Consult and retain new clients
- Attend hearings, negotiate cases, argue motions, and litigate trials; multiple not guilty verdicts attained in criminal court
- Work collectively and independently to effectively represent the rights of clients

Joseph A. Scalia, Ltd., Law Clerk, March 2010-December 2010; Associate January 2011-February 2012

- Draft motions and pleadings for Criminal, Family, Bankruptcy, and Personal Injury cases
- Research various issues arising under all areas of law
- Attend hearings, negotiate cases, argue motions, and litigate trials; multiple not guilty verdicts attained in criminal court
- Work collectively and independently to effectively represent the rights of clients



TRIAL EXPERIENCE

State of Nevada v. Wald

- CR7922
- Lead Counsel
- Statutory Sexual Seduction, Lewdness with a Minor, Sexual Assault on a Minor
- Jury Trial
- Nye County District Court, Department 2
- August 2016

State of Nevada v. Brand

- C-15-308338-1
- Second Chair
- Child Abuse, Neglect or Endangerment
- Jury Trial
- Clark County District Court, Department 6
- February 2016

State of Nevada v. Taylor

- C-14-296031-1
- Lead Counsel
- Assault with a Deadly Weapon
- Jury Trial
- Clark County District Court, Department 21
- February 2015

State of Nevada v. Greer

- C-14-298859-1
- Lead Counsel
- Conspiracy, Attempt Robbery, Larceny from a Person, Battery with the Intent to Commit a Crime
- Jury Trial
- Clark County District Court, Department 20
- August 2014



City of Henderson v. Steven Parke

- 17CR000957
- Sole, Lead Counsel
- Battery Domestic Violence, First Offense
- Bench Trial
- Henderson Municipal Court, Department 3
- April 2018

State of Nevada v. Ethan Wald

- 17CR01356
- Sole, Lead Counsel
- Perjury
- Preliminary Hearing
- Pahrump Justice Court
- October 2017

City of Henderson v. Justin Morgenstern

- 17CR003279
- Sole, Lead Counsel
- Assault
- Bench Trial
- Henderson Municipal Court, Department 3
- August 2017

City of Henderson v. Vincent Irwin

- 17CR005906
- Sole, Lead Counsel
- Battery Domestic Violence, First Offense
- Bench Trial
- Henderson Municipal Court, Department 3
- June 2017

City of Henderson v. Donnell Morgan

- 17CR004127
- Battery Domestic Violence, First Offense
- Bench Trial
- Henderson Municipal Court, Department 3
- June 2017



City of Las Vegas v. Sergey Ziyatdinov

- Sole, Lead Counsel
- Driving Under the Influence, Second Offense
- Bench Trial
- Las Vegas Municipal Court, Department 6
- March 2017

City of Henderson v. Scott Drury

- 17CR226
- Sole, Lead Counsel
- Battery Domestic Violence, First Offense
- Bench Trial
- Henderson Municipal Court, Department 3
- March 2017

City of Henderson v. Christopher Shaw

- 15CR2020, 15CR2141
- Sole, Lead Counsel
- Battery Domestic Violence, Second Offense (two counts)
- Bench Trial
- Henderson Municipal Court, Department 3
- February 2017

City of Henderson v. Miguel Contreras

- 16CR9548
- Sole, Lead Counsel
- Battery Domestic Violence, First Offense
- Bench Trial
- Henderson Municipal Court, Department 3
- February 2017

City of Henderson v. Dana Canfield

- 16AC430
- Sole, Lead Counsel
- Mandatory Spay/Neuter, Licensing of Pets
- Bench Trial
- Henderson Municipal Court, Department 3
- February 2017



State of Nevada v. Clifford Williams

- 16F12282X
- Sole, Lead Counsel
- Pandering
- Preliminary Hearing
- Las Vegas Justice Court, Department 7
- November 2016

City of Henderson v. McCall

- 15CR011715
- Sole, Lead Counsel
- Resist Public Office, Possession of Drug Paraphernalia
- Bench Trial
- Henderson Municipal Court, Department 3
- October 2016

City of Henderson v. Flakes

- 15CR014273
- Sole, Lead Counsel
- Battery Domestic Violence, Coercion
- Bench Trial
- Henderson Municipal Court, Department 3
- June 2016

City of Henderson v. Pickering

- 15CR013814
- Sole, Lead Counsel
- Trespass
- Bench Trial
- Henderson Municipal Court, Department 3
- April 2016

State of Nevada v. Velasco

- 14CR12980
- Sole, Lead Counsel
- Animal Cruelty
- Bench Trial
- Pahrump Justice Court, Department B
- February 2016



City of Las Vegas v. Willson

- C1134311A
- Sole, Lead Counsel
- Battery Domestic Violence
- Bench Trial
- Las Vegas Municipal Court, Department 4
- January 2016

City of Las Vegas v. Qualls

- C1105320ABCD
- Sole, Lead Counsel
- Assault, Duty to Render Aid, Unsafe Turning Movement, False Information to Police Officer
- Bench Trial
- Las Vegas Municipal Court, Department 1
- January 2015

State of Nevada v. Chesterton

- 13F19666X
- Sole, Lead Counsel
- Assault with a Deadly Weapon
- Preliminary Hearing
- Las Vegas Justice Court, Department 6
- November 2014

State of Nevada v. Ferraro

- 14FH0450X
- Sole, Lead Counsel
- Violation of TPO
- Preliminary Hearing
- Henderson Justice Court, Department 2
- September 2014

State of Nevada v. Kosel

- 14M18332X
- Sole, Lead Counsel
- Malicious Destruction of Private Property
- Bench Trial
- Las Vegas Justice Court, Department 8
- September 2014



City of Henderson v. Soriano-Reyes

- 14CR003343
- Sole, Lead Counsel
- Petit Larceny
- Bench Trial
- Henderson Municipal Court, Department 2
- August 2014

State of Nevada v. Greer

- 14F07862A
- Lead Counsel
- Conspiracy, Attempt Robbery, Larceny from a Person, Battery with the Intent to Commit a Crime
- Preliminary Hearing
- Las Vegas Justice Court, Department 1
- June 2014

City of Henderson v. Valle

- 13CR009041
- Lead Counsel
- Battery Domestic Violence
- Bench Trial
- Henderson Municipal Court, Department 3
- June 2014

City of Las Vegas v. Perez

- C1101546A
- Sole Lead Counsel
- Battery Domestic Violence
- Bench Trial
- Las Vegas Municipal Court, Department 5
- June 2014

State of Nevada v. Adair

- 14F04380X
- Sole, Lead Counsel
- Driving Under the Influence Resulting in Substantial Bodily Harm or Death
- Preliminary Hearing
- Las Vegas Justice Court, Department 13
- May 2014



City of Henderson v. Felder

- 13CR001749
- Sole, Lead Counsel
- Battery Domestic Violence
- Bench Trial
- Henderson Municipal Court, Department 3
- April 2014

State of Nevada v. Taylor

- 13F07696X
- Sole, Lead Counsel
- Assault with a Deadly Weapon
- Preliminary Hearing
- Las Vegas, Justice Court, Department 12
- February 2014

State of Nevada v. Cook

- 12F02991X
- Sole, Lead Counsel
- Driving Under the Influence (3rd)
- Preliminary Hearing
- Las Vegas, Justice Court, Department 9
- March 2013

City of Henderson v. Dunbar

- 12TR009888
- Sole, Lead Counsel
- Failure to Yield to Pedestrian
- Bench Trial
- Henderson Municipal Court, Department 5
- December 2012

State of Nevada v. Nichols

- 11F15196X
- Sole, Lead Counsel
- Driving Under the Influence (3rd)
- Preliminary Hearing
- Las Vegas Justice Court, Department 13
- July 2012



City of North Las Vegas v. Easley

- CR002938-12
- Sole, Lead Counsel
- Battery Domestic Violence
- Bench Trial
- North Las Vegas Municipal Court, Department 1
- September 2012

State of Nevada v. Guadron

- 11F02668X
- Sole, Lead Counsel
- Battery Domestic Violence (2nd)
- Bench Trial
- Las Vegas Justice Court, Department 4
- August 2011



REFERENCES

Judge Rodney Burr
Henderson Municipal Court, Department 3
(702) 267-3352

Nathan R. Ring, Esq.
The Urban Law Firm
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Nicole J. Cannizzaro, Esq.
Clark County Chief Deputy District Attorney
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Lorina F. Dellinger

From: carl joerger <ca2joerger@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, May 15, 2018 11:49 AM
To: Lorina F. Dellinger
Subject: Carl M. Joerger, Public Defender Contract
Attachments: Carl resume.pdf

Dear Ms. Dellinger,

Please find attached hereto, my resume for your consideration. I would like to be awarded one of the Public Defender Contracts for Pahrump, Nye County, Nevada. I have extensive experience in handling matters for indigent defendants here in Nye County and have always provided them the best representation. I have always treated my previously appointed clients with the upmost respect and most of the cases that I have won in Nye County, were for previously indigent/appointed clients.

Residing in Pahrump, for the last fifteen years, has provided me, with intimate knowledge of the County and the people who live here. It also affords me the ability to meet with our clients(more than once), interview witnesses, visit the crime scene(s) and allows me, to be available 24/7 to meet with them over the phone, in person, or at the Detention Facility.

Being indigent doesn't just mean that you live in a tent, in the desert behind Wal-Mart, it also means that you work at Wal-Mart and have children.

Working class families deserve the same representation as people who can afford to hire their own attorneys. As a Conflict Attorney in Pahrump, from 2001 through 2013, I had always zealously represented my clients with that in mind. Far too often, working class families in this town feel slighted, and looked down upon by the Justice System, and feel, that they have "no choice" but to plea to something, that either the government can not prove, or that they didn't do. That was/is not the way I treated my clients in the past, and is not the way that I treat them now.

I hope you consider my application, and I look forward to meeting with you at your convenience.

Yours truly,

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License Admissions:

Licensed in the State of Nevada, 1994,
Nevada Bar No.: 005379

Admitted to Practice in all Federal Courts in Nevada
Admitted to Practice before the United States Tax Court

Areas of Practice:

Primarily in all areas of Criminal Defense;
Practice includes State and Federal appellate and post-conviction proceedings;
Family, Probate, Corporate and Civil Rights Litigation.

Qualifications:

Trial experience includes handling numerous criminal cases, including numerous Jury Trials in both the State and Federal Courts.¹

Appellate experience includes several Nevada Supreme Court appeals.

Conducted post-conviction hearings in both State and Federal Court.

Residence and Office:

Residing in Pahrump, with a full time and fully staffed office since March 2003.

Formerly Nye County Conflict Attorney, from 2001 through 2013.

¹ Over Twenty Not Guilty Verdicts and over Thirty Discharges at Preliminary Hearings, and outright Dismissals, in Nye County, Nevada.

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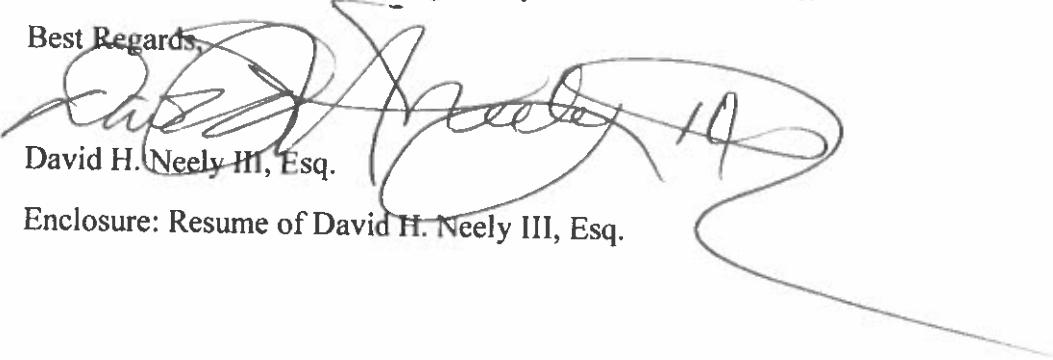
Re: Nye County Northern Nevada Public Defender Contract

Dear Ms. Dellinger,

I would like to express interest in the open position as a Nye County Public Defender for Northern Nye County. Please view the enclosed resume.

I look forward to hearing from you in the near feature.

Best Regards,


David H. Neely III, Esq.

Enclosure: Resume of David H. Neely III, Esq.

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LICENSES

Admitted to the Nevada State Bar	Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals
United States Supreme Court	U.S. District Court of the District of Nevada

EXPERIENCE

THE LAW OFFICES OF DAVID H. NEELY III, ESQ. LAS VEGAS, NEVADA

February 1992 to Present

Sole practitioner concentrating in criminal and juvenile law, in trial courts of the states.

PUBLIC DEFENDER

Nye County 1992-2014

Responsible for representation of criminally charged indigents, from arraignment through appellate and habeas corpus process, in the rural courts of Nye County.

Henderson Municipal Court 1992-2000

Esmeralda County Public Defender 1992 to Present

Lincoln County Public Defender 1992-2008

CHILD SUPPORT MASTER, FIFTH JUDICIAL COURT, PAHRUMP AND TONOPAH

2008 to Present

Responsible for all Child Support Hearings in Nye County

ARBITRATOR

June 2005 to Present

Nevada Supreme Court ADR Program, Eighth Judicial District Court Las Vegas, Nevada

MEDIATOR

Fifth Judicial District Court Dept. 1, Nye County April 2013 to Present

Child Dependency, Nye County 2015 to Present

Juvenile Dependency Mediation Program, State of Nevada 2016

Foreclosure Mediation Program, Nye and Clark County 2008-2016, 2017-present

LAS VEGAS JUSTICE OF THE PEACE PRO TEM

2017- to present.

NEVADA STATE PUBLIC DEFENDER, WHITE PINE, LINCOLN AND EUREKA COUNTY

January 1991- January 1992

Represented indigent defendants and juveniles in the Seventh Judicial District

EDUCATION

CUMBERLAND SCHOOL OF LAW OF SAMFORD UNIVERSITY, BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA
Juris Doctor 1985

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA, CHAPEL HILL, NORTH CAROLINA
Bachelor of Arts in History 1981

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA BERKELEY, BERKELEY, CALIFORNIA
Mediation and Conflict Resolution Course 2013

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA HASTINGS COLLEGE OF LAW
Advance Mediation 2014

HARVARD LAW SCHOOL
The Program of Negotiation 2014