



DON ASHWORTH (Class of 1956)

Don Ashworth retired January 17, 2007 after 16 years as the Clark County Probate Commissioner. He was a Nevada State Senator from 1978 to 1982.

He is a native Nevadan, born in Pioche. Don's parents moved to Las Vegas in 1941, and all his primary and secondary education was received in Las Vegas. He graduated from LVHS in 1956 and was Student Body President.

Don received his Bachelors and Masters degrees in Accounting from Brigham Young University and earned his Juris Doctorate from the University of Utah in 1966. Don was Student Body President of the University of Utah Law School in 1965-1966.

Don was a practicing attorney in the areas of taxation and estate planning for 30 years, and was Corporate Counsel for Circus Circus Hotel for three years during which time they went public on the New York Stock Exchange. Don was also Corporate Counsel with Wells Fargo for two years. In addition, he was the Vice President of the Executive Board of Legal Affairs for the Boulder Dam Area Council of Boy Scouts of America for over 28 years.

Don served on the boards of Big Brothers of Southern Nevada, Boys Club of Las Vegas, Las Vegas Rotary Club, Home Savings and Loan of Nevada, and Nevada Community Bank.

Don was also the organizer and President of the Southern Nevada Estate Planning Council.

He and his wife Mary have been married for 47 years and have 7 children and 30 grandchildren.

These biographies are based on research and could contain discrepancies.

If there are any excerpts you feel should be changed please feel free to contact me at Dave@lvhsaa.com

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