



Hon. Lloyd D. George swears in the new CCBA Board of Directors. Back row, (l-r): Damon Dias, Karl Nielson, Hon. T. Arthur Ritchie. Front Row, (l-r): Kari Stephens, Catherine Mazzeo, Linda Bullen, Hon. Elizabeth Gonzalez, Becky Pintar, Zachariah Larson and Bryce Kunimoto

## CCBA Welcomes New Leaders

The Clark County Bar Association (CCBA) is pleased to announce its leaders to their colleagues and the public as their continued volunteerism and service to the bar demonstrates their commitment to and readiness for leadership. The following individuals will lead the association through 2008:

- President - Karl L. Nielson, Esq., a stockholder in the Las Vegas office of Jones Vargas
- President-Elect - Eighth Judicial District Court Juvenile Hearing Master Frank Sullivan
- Secretary/Treasurer - A. Wayne Carter from the Law Office of Katherine M. Peck
- Members-at-Large:
  - Kimberly Buchanan, Deputy Attorney General
  - Linda M. Bullen, Esq. of Lionel Sawyer & Collins
  - Damon K. Dias, Esq. of Goldsmith & Guymon
  - Bryce K. Kunimoto, Esq. of Hale Lane
  - Zachariah Larson, Esq. of Larson & Stevens
  - Catherine M. Mazzeo, Esq. of Solomon Dwiggin & Freer
  - Becky A. Pintar, Esq. of Gibbs, Giden, Locher & Turner
  - Kari L. Stephens, Esq. of Solomon Dwiggin & Freer

Judicial representatives to this executive board of directors will be Eighth Judicial District Court Judges T. Arthur Ritchie and Elizabeth Goff Gonzalez.

CCBA's outgoing president, the Honorable Stephen J. Dahl, will serve as president of the Clark County Law Foundation (CCLF) through December 2008.

The oath of office was administered by Senior U.S. District Court Judge Lloyd D. George. This swearing in was held during the bar's January 24 luncheon in Las Vegas.

For more information about CCBA and CCLF, visit [www.clarkcountybar.org](http://www.clarkcountybar.org).

## Liberty Bell Nominations Sought

Since 1961, Law Day has been designated as a national day celebrating the importance of law. Each year in honor of Law Day, the CCBA bestows the Liberty Bell Award to a member or member of our community in order to recognize outstanding service to the law.

Bar members are encouraged to nominate someone they feel meets the following criteria:

- Promotes a better understanding of our Constitution and the Bill of Rights.
- Encourages greater respect for the law and the courts.
- Stimulates a deeper sense of individual responsibility so citizens recognize their duties as well as their rights.
- Contributes to the effective functioning of our governmental institutions.
- Fosters a better understanding and appreciation of the law.

Nominations must include: first and last name, address, phone number and a brief description of this person, how he or she has contributed to our community and how he or she meets the criteria mentioned above. In your description, make sure to include any organizations this person is currently involved in and what his or her contribution has been.

Submit nominations for this year's award to Linda M. Bullen, Esq. at Lionel Sawyer & Collins via fax to (702) 383-8845 or via email at [lbullen@lionelsawyer.com](mailto:lbullen@lionelsawyer.com) by Friday April 4, 2008.

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## Want to become a bar leader? Volunteer for a bar committee!

**CLE Committee, Community Service Committee, New Lawyers Committee, Publications Committee, Trial By Peers Committee**

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