

LEGISLATIVE BIOGRAPHY — 2007 SESSION



KELVIN D. ATKINSON

Democrat
Clark County Assembly
District No. 17
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Born: 1969 – Chicago, Illinois.

Educated: Culver City High School; Howard University, B.A., Political Science; University of Nevada, Las Vegas.

Children: Haley.

Hobbies/Special Interests: Reading, watching the Raiders and Lakers, studying politics, watching daughter play soccer, reading with daughter.

LEGISLATIVE SERVICE: Nevada Assembly, 2003-2007 (*first elected November 2002*)—four special and three regular sessions. Assembly Committee on Transportation: Chair, 2007; Member: 2003, 2005. Assembly Committee on Natural Resources, Agriculture, and Mining: Vice Chair, 2005; Member: 2003, 2007. Member: Assembly Committees on Education, 2003-2005; Government Affairs, 2003-2007.

AFFILIATIONS: Nevada Black Elected Officials Caucus; Caucus of African Americans Nevada (CAAN); National Black Caucus of State Legislators; Western Legislative Academy Graduate; Clark County Mediator; Member, Las Vegas Metropolitan Police Department (Metro) Recruitment Council; Las Vegas Metro PAYBAC (Professional and Youth Building a Commitment) Program; Black Public Administrators; National Association for the Advancement of Colored People; Alliance for Retired Americans; Urban Development Caucus; The Council of State Governments-WEST, Executive Committee Member; The Council of State Governments Transportation Committee Member; National Conference of State Legislatures; National Conference of State Legislatures Transportation Committee.

PERSONAL AND PROFESSIONAL ACHIEVEMENTS: Voted 2004 Class President for the Western Legislative Academy; Washington, D.C., Cleanup Leader; Clark County Leadership Forum Graduate, 1996; Class President; Three Sports Letterman; 2005 Graduate of Henry Toll Fellowship Program.

