



# You're Invited!

## To a Pre-Release Preview

### of the Nevada Supreme Court Access to Justice Commission 2017-18 Statewide Study of Legal Needs and Economic Impacts

For the first time in a decade, the Nevada Supreme Court Access to Justice Commission has conducted a civil legal needs assessment to improve the delivery of free legal aid to low-income Nevadans in need. Much has changed in Nevada since 2008. Preliminary study results are now available and we'll be presenting findings on Nevada's "Justice Gap" over the next several weeks.

### But the study is not complete until we hear from you.

We are holding stakeholder input meetings across the State of Nevada to hear from you about what we may have missed, needs you see to be addressed, what opportunities for cooperation might exist, and more.

Nevada Supreme Court Chief Justice Michael Douglas and Justice James Hardesty, Co-Chairs of the Access to Justice Commission, invite you to join us to preview the pre-release findings and get your feedback to assure we are addressing the trends impacting access to justice in Nevada.

*This will be the first time in Nevada that a major legal needs study has been conducted with input from important stakeholders such as you.*

### We encourage your attendance and input.

Access to justice translates into employees showing up at work, children being protected, people staying in their homes, domestic violence being curbed, and much, much more.

Access to justice is a hallmark of a democratic society. Please be a part of our efforts to improve the lives of all Nevadans.

### RSVP today.

### Here is What We Want to Discuss with You

- **Overview of civil legal aid:** What services we provide for low-income Nevadans across the state
- **Our stakeholders:** Who is affected by our work, who we partner with, how our work benefits our clients and affects you as a stakeholder
- **Economic and societal benefits of legal aid:** What the Study found about impacts on clients and communities across Nevada
- **The "Justice Gap":** The disparity that exists between the *need for legal aid* and *our current capacity* to address it
- **Possibilities:** How we might work together in the future to shrink the Justice Gap and deliver even more value to our clients and to you as a stakeholder in the future

**Questions?** Contact your inviting organization or the Access to Justice Commission at [atj@nvbar.org](mailto:atj@nvbar.org)

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