

## BIOGRAPHICAL STATEMENT OF MICHAEL 'BO' ANDERSON

Michael 'Bo' Anderson joined the staff of the Legal Aid Center of Southern Nevada in 2022 as the Directing Attorney of the Civil Self Help Law Center. Before working for Legal Aid Center, Bo was in private and government practice in Missouri and Nebraska for 23 years. Bo began working as an attorney with the Douglas County Public Defender's Office in Omaha, Nebraska. After spending 3 years at the Public Defender's Office, Bo and his family moved to Missouri. While there, Bo ran Anderson Law Offices and was the managing partner of the law firm of Anderson & Hawn, located in Houston, MO. Bo provided civil and criminal defense representation to clients throughout Southwest Missouri. Bo also worked as an Assistant Prosecuting Attorney for Howell County, Missouri, was the City Attorney and Prosecuting Attorney for several municipalities, and was an instructor for American Government and Criminal Justice classes as an adjunct staff member of the faculties of Missouri State University – West Plains, Southwest Baptist University, and Drury University. In 2020, Bo joined the Department of Agriculture to assist with the Small Business Association's COVID-19 relief program, providing assistance to help business owners stay open during the pandemic. Bo is licensed in Nebraska, Missouri, and is pending licensure in Nevada.

Bo earned his bachelor's in Science in Biology from Southwest Baptist University in 1994 and his juris doctorate from Creighton University School of Law in 1998.