



SNELL & WILMER LAS VEGAS ATTORNEY KARL RILEY SELECTED FOR LEADERSHIP LAS VEGAS CLASS OF 2017

LAS VEGAS (October 26, 2016) – Snell & Wilmer is pleased to announce that Karl Riley, an attorney in the firm's Las Vegas office, was recently selected to participate in the Las Vegas Metro Chamber of Commerce's Leadership Las Vegas program. Riley will join 48 local community leaders representing a wide variety of industries, including private, nonprofit and public-sector institutions, in the intensive tenmonth program.

Leadership Las Vegas empowers recognized, senior-level leaders with additional knowledge, skills and relationships to advance and deepen their community impact. Through lectures, discussions, on-site visits, simulations, projects and other leadership development activities, Leadership Las Vegas class members receive in-depth exposure to the critical issues facing Southern Nevada and are challenged to apply their talents towards improving the community. The members were selected through a competitive and highly selective application and interview process.

Karl Riley

"I am deeply honored to join this year's Leadership Las Vegas Class," said Riley. "I look forward to meeting with my fellow classmates to exchange ideas and learn how we can support and improve Southern Nevada."

Active in the community, Riley is a board member of the Urban Chamber of Commerce and a previous board member of the Las Vegas Alumni Chapter of the Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity. Riley is also involved in several bar organizations, including currently serving as President of the Las Vegas Chapter of the National Bar Association, the Executive Council of the Young Lawyers Section of the State of Nevada, a Past Chair of the Young Lawyers Division for the National Bar Association and Chairs the National Advisory Board of the National Black Law Student Association.

Riley's practice is concentrated in business and commercial litigation, labor and employment, and government relations. He represents the firm's clients in various contract disputes, particularly in banking, real estate, entity control, business conflicts and a variety of financial issues. He also defends the firm's clients in discrimination and harassment claims under Title VII and state law, as well as in wage and hour disputes. In addition, he is also a member of the firm's Attorney Development and Diversity & Inclusion Committees. He received his J.D. from Northwestern University School of Law and his B.S. from Washington University.

The Nevada offices of Snell & Wilmer serve a wide range of clients in the following practice areas: civil and commercial litigation; administrative law; real estate transactions; finance; corporate and tax; bankruptcy; employment and labor; and construction law.

About Snell & Wilmer

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