



Covering the Nevada Appellate Courts

Case Information

Case information, forthcoming opinions, Unpublished Opinions, and Advance Opinions can be found online at <https://nvcourts.gov/supreme>. Search by case number or caption (surname, company name, party name, et. al.)

The Supreme Court of Nevada and the Nevada Court of Appeals have separate searches. All cases originate in the Nevada Supreme Court, which assigns cases to the Nevada Court of Appeals. The case notes will indicate if a case has been assigned to the Court of Appeals. Therefore, a missing order/opinion may mean the case was reassigned and the document can be found in the Court of Appeals search.

All available documents can be accessed in both searches.

Committees and Commissions

The Nevada Supreme Court reviews matters of justice delivery through 11 Committee and Commissions. These panels hold public meetings and agendas can be found at <https://nvcourts.gov/> under the tab **Programs and Services**. Important documents can be found accompanying a description of each panel.

Administrative Office of the Courts (AOC)

The AOC serves as the administrator of judicial programs and assists Nevada courts in case management, statistics, and compliance with Nevada Supreme Court Rules. The AOC website is located at <https://nvcourts.gov/AOC> and various **Programs and Projects** can be found under the tab. Important documents can be found accompanying a description of each panel on the website.

Requests for administrative documents not found on the website can be made to the AOC Records Manager. A form has been created for this purpose: <https://nvcourts.link/AOCRecordsRequest>.

Nevada Judicial Organization

The Supreme Court of Nevada is state's highest court and its primary responsibility is to review and rule on appeals from District Court cases. The court does not conduct fact-finding trials; rather, the justices determine if legal or procedural errors were committed during the case. The Supreme Court is funded almost equally from the state general fund and from administrative assessments. The Supreme Court has seven justices.

The Nevada Court of Appeals is assigned to hear roughly one-third of all cases submitted to the Nevada Supreme Court in a deflection model, where the Supreme Court assigns cases to the three-judge Court of Appeals.

Nevada is not a unified court system, meaning all of the courts are their own entities. Therefore, documents for a case in a Municipal, Justice, or District Court will be found in those courts. There is no unified search or repository of cases. You can learn more here:

https://nvcourts.gov/Supreme/Court_Information/About_the_Nevada_Judiciary/.

All Nevada courts report case management data to the Nevada Supreme Court and the AOC maintains those records here:

https://nvcourts.gov/AOC/Programs_and_Services/Research_and_Statistics/Overview/.