

# Nevada Republican Men's Club

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NRMC President  
Michael Mazur

## President's Message

By Michael Mazur

The finish line is in sight! The general election is less than two months away. October 2, 2010 is the last day to register to vote by mail and October 12, 2010 is the last day to register in person for the general election. Early voting begins on October 16, 2010 and this is our opportunity to stop the spending and hold Washington accountable for their actions.

At our August luncheon, we had over 200 enthusiastic conservatives join us for lunch with Sharron Angle, candidate for U.S. Senate. As of today, all polls indicate that the Nevada Senate race is a statistical tie. Of course, this is based upon the number of people that answer their

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### Guest Speaker: Mark A. Hutchison

Monday, September 13, 2010 Luncheon at 11:30 AM Cili Restaurant  
(702) 856-1100

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Mark A. Hutchison is the senior member of the Firm and an AV-rated attorney by Martindale-Hubbell®. Mark practices primarily in the areas of business and commercial litigation, tort litigation, medical malpractice, employment law, trust and probate litigation, and appellate litigation.

A native Las Vegas, he graduated Phi Kappa Phi from the University of Nevada, Las Vegas (high distinction) and received his J.D., magna cum laude, from Brigham Young University. Mark was also elected to the Order of the Coif and served as a Lead-Articles Editor of the Law Review. After law school, Mark clerked for the Honorable Kenneth F. Ripple of the United States Seventh Circuit Court of Appeals located

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## Guest Speaker – Mark A. Hutchison

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**Mark A. Hutchison**

in Chicago. After his clerkship, Mark practiced for the national law firm of Kirkland & Ellis in both Chicago and Los Angeles.

Returning to Las Vegas, Mark continued his concentration in civil litigation, trying numerous cases in both state and federal courts in Las Vegas. He was also appointed by the U.S. District Court of Nevada to represent clients before the U.S. Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals. Mark is admitted to practice and has litigated cases in both state and federal courts of Nevada and California, federal courts of Arizona and Wyoming, the U.S. Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals, the U.S. Seventh Circuit Court of Appeals, and the U.S. Supreme Court.

In January 2004, Governor Kenny Guinn appointed Mark to the Ethics Commission for the State of Nevada, which is charged with administering and enforcing Nevada's ethics in government laws and campaign practices for elected officials. Governor Jim Gibbons re-appointed Mark to the Ethics Commission in January 2008. In February 2008, his fellow commissioners selected him as the Chairman of the Commission. Mark served in that position until July 2009. He continues to serve on the Commission today. In 2005, the Nevada Supreme Court appointed Mark to the prestigious Bar-Bench Committee to provide advice and recommendations to the Court.

### *Personal Background*

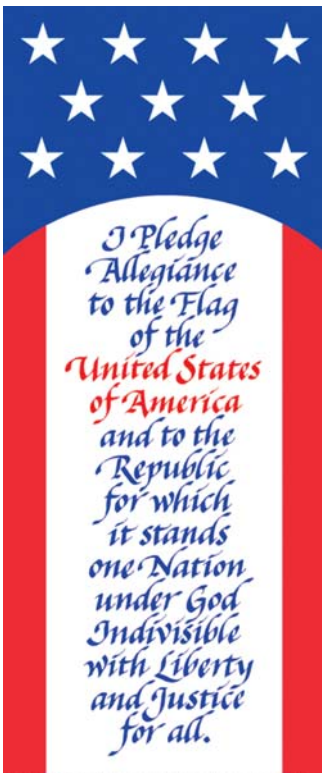
When Mark can break away from the office, he enjoys spending time with his wife, Cary, and their six children. Mark stays involved in his children's active lives by coaching their sports teams, serving as a leader in the Boy Scouts program, and participating in their extracurricular activities. Mark has run for public office and has a keen interest in politics. He enjoys running, snow skiing, shotgun shooting, fly-fishing, and collecting rare leather books and vintage fountain pens.

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**“The friend in my adversity I shall always cherish most. I can better trust those who helped to relieve the gloom of my dark hours than those who are so ready to enjoy with me the sunshine of my prosperity.”**

**–Ulysses S. Grant**

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## New Members

Please welcome our recent new members to the Nevada Republican Men's Club!

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|-----------------------|-----------------|
| Don Cassidy           | John Rauson     |
| Marlys Crunelle       | Victoria Seaman |
| Samira Knight         | Don Smale       |
| Phillip D. Lachapelle | Ken Small       |
| Brandon Pascerel      | Victor Wolder   |
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## Our Purpose:

to promote sound, honest and progressive government at all levels, elect Republican candidates and suggest leadership and direction for the Republican Party of Clark County Nevada.

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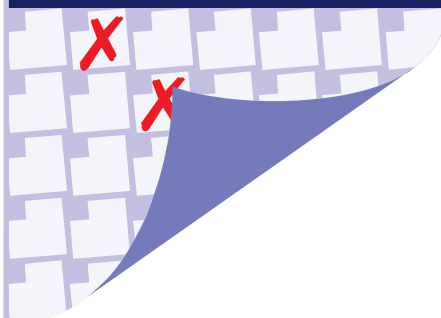
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phones versus the number of people that will actually show up and cast their ballot.

Our next luncheon is set for September 13, 2010 since the first Monday is Labor Day. Mark A. Hutchison, Esq. will be our featured guest speaker. Mr. Hutchison's firm has been retained by the State of Nevada to join 19 other states in the federal lawsuit against healthcare entitled State of Florida v. United States Department of Health and Human Services. The case was filed in U.S. District Court for the Northern District of Florida. On September 14, 2010 a hearing is scheduled to hear the United State's Motion to Dismiss the case. We are honored to have Mr. Hutchison present to the Republican Men's Club the day before the hearing.

Please join us on September 13, 2010 at Cili Restaurant at 11:30 a.m.

### Calendar of Events



### Join Us at Our Next Business Mixer!

September 14, 2010

Italian American Social Club

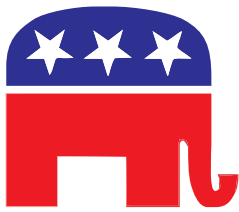
5:30 PM - 7:30 PM

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Free Admission - Hor D'ourves - Cash Bar



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## Repeal the 14th Amendment??

by *Frank L. Martano*

A glaring problem surfacing with great regularity is the use of the wrongful utilization of the 14th Amendment to the US constitution.

The original intent of the 14th Amendment was to correct the granting of United States citizenship to any person born in the US without regard to color, race or any other defining characteristic of an individual. Unfortunately abuses and extensions of this amendment have led to an influx of births occurring in great numbers by virtue of planned activities. Specifically there are situations whereby it is alleged that pregnant individuals purposely cross our borders and thus arranging the birth of a new baby on American soil resulting in automatic citizenship leading to a pathway for future admission of extended families of these new United States citizens. Thus, the anchor baby concept is functioning as perhaps envisioned by the parents of these anchor babies.

This anchor baby concept produced a possible additional scenario. It was alleged that an enterprising Chinese entrepreneur established the following business plan. It was proposed that for a fee of up to \$20,000.00 this newly created organization would provide a pregnant Chinese individual with all necessary costs for care and transportation to the US. All costs including lodging, medical hospital delivery would be included. The fee included the return trip to china for mother and the newborn (now US citizen) to china. There may be no actual proof of this detailed procedure and in the last analysis it may prove to be a speculation. However the entire episode highlights the value of United States Citizenship.

### Past NRMCM Presidents

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\*Deceased

In 1965 the Immigration & Naturalization Act provided that when these anchor babies reach 21 years of age they may petition to bring family members to the US. It is estimated that over 300,000 anchor babies are born each year. This additionally provides a greater drain on the US economy as benefit programs are expanded. It appears that the true purpose of section one of the 14th amendment, namely to ensure that former slaves would be entitled to full citizenship in the United States has been accomplished. Is it time to update this and restore the basic intent and purpose of this amendment??

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