

# OFFICE OF THE FEDERAL PUBLIC DEFENDER DISTRICT OF NEVADA

## POSITION ANNOUNCEMENT

Supervising Federal Public Defender  
Capital Habeas Unit

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The Federal Public Defender for the District of Nevada is accepting applications for a Third Level Supervising Federal Public Defender (Unit Chief) position in the Capital Habeas Unit (CHU). The Capital Habeas Unit represents individuals sentenced to death in federal habeas corpus and ancillary proceedings. This is a full-time position located in Las Vegas.

Applicants must have a proven commitment to federal capital habeas defense. Applicants must be team-oriented and have demonstrated supervisory experience. Applicants must be immediately able to undertake representation and supervision of other attorneys and staff representing capital habeas petitioners currently litigating in every stage of capital habeas proceedings. Applicants must possess excellent writing, oral advocacy ability and extensive litigation experience. The position requires occasional travel.

Applicant must be a member in good standing of a state bar. Federal salary and benefits are based upon qualifications and experience, consistent with federal guidelines and regulations.

Qualified persons may apply by forwarding a letter of interest, resume with experience described in detail, and representative writing sample to:

**James Morgan**  
**Personnel Administrator**  
**Office of the Federal Public Defender**  
**411 E. Bonneville, Suite 250**  
**Las Vegas, NV 89101**  
[James.Morgan@fd.org](mailto:James.Morgan@fd.org)

**Position Open Until Filled**

*The Federal Public Defender is an equal opportunity employer. Applicants must be a United States citizen, or a person authorized to work in the United States and receive compensation from this agency. Employment is subject to a satisfactory background investigation, including an FBI name and fingerprint check.*