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SNELL & WILMER HOSTS THIRD ANNUAL CHARITY MIXER IN LAS VEGAS ATTRACTING MORE THAN 20 LOCAL PHILANTHROPIC ORGANIZATIONS

LAS VEGAS (January 26, 2015) – Snell & Wilmer’s Las Vegas office hosted its third annual charity presentation and mixer that attracted over 65 board members and staff from more than 20 local charities. John Delikanakis, a partner in the firm’s Las Vegas office, led the effort again this year in hosting the January 22 reception devoted to discussing and developing strategies to address the challenges local charities face.

“By coming together on an annual basis, we are able to share ideas and learn from our guest speaker and each other what the trends are on topics such as fundraising, non-profit governance, donor outreach and the benefits of collaboration among charities,” said Delikanakis. “It’s evident that, as board members, we face similar challenges, but through forums like these, it’s our hope that we can continue to advance the incredible work of the non-profit community in Southern Nevada.”



Stacey D. Stewart, U.S. President, United Way Worldwide, was the guest speaker during the 2015 Charity Mixer hosted by Snell & Wilmer and moderated by Las Vegas partner John Delikanakis.

Stacey D. Stewart, U.S. President, United Way Worldwide, lead the discussion and shared her global and national perspective on philanthropy. Stewart discussed best practices and industry trends on corporate giving, individual giving trends, donor expectations on philanthropic ROI and overhead. Prior to the United Way, Stewart was with Fannie Mae where she was Chief Diversity Officer and Senior Vice President for the Office of Community and Charitable Giving. Prior to that appointment, Stewart was President and Chief Executive Officer for the Fannie Mae Foundation.

Area charities that were represented by board members and staff included: Aid for AIDS of Nevada; American Cancer Society; The Animal Foundation; Boys & Girls Club of Southern Nevada; Big Brothers Big Sisters of Southern Nevada; Communities In Schools of Nevada; HopeLink; Human Rights Campaign; Marty Hennessy Inspiring Children Foundation; Nevada Blind Children’s Foundation; Paralyzed Veterans of America; Public Education Foundation; Safe Nest/Temporary Assistance for Domestic Violence; S.A.F.E. House; Susan G. Komen of Southern Nevada; United Way of Southern Nevada; and United Way Worldwide.

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