



## **BIOGRAPHY: E. Lavonne Lewis**

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**Ms. Lavonne Lewis**, a 45 year resident of Las Vegas is a Senior Executive with over 40 years of experience, possessing expertise in all Human Resources and Management functional areas in diverse domestic and international environments. Presently Ms. Lewis is the Director of Business for The Salvation Army Clark County where she uses her management expertise to coordinate the Business Activities of this diverse community organization. Ms. Lewis is responsible for the local operation of Finance, Human Resources and Grant Compliance.

Previously Ms. Lewis was Interim President/CEO for the Las Vegas Clark County Urban League As President/CEO of the Las Vegas Urban League , Ms Lewis was responsible for all of the operations of the agency, including Supportive Services for Veteran Families, Education, Public Computer Centers, Women, Infants, Children Centers, the William U. Pearson Community Center just to name a few. She received the Dedicated Service Award from the organization.

Ms. Lewis worked for EG&G, Inc. for 27 years. She served as Corporate Vice President of Human Resources at company headquarters in Wellesley, Massachusetts. In this position she reported directly to the CEO and was responsible for the overall direction and leadership of Human Resources for the \$1.5 billion global, diversified technology company with over 15,000 employees, including training and employee development.

As Human Resources Department Manager for EG&G Reynolds & Electrical Engineering Co., Inc. in Las Vegas, Ms. Lewis was responsible for overseeing many diverse projects. She designed and implemented the first set of cost containment health plan policies, resulting in a plan saving of over 5 million dollars in three years.

Ms. Lewis has served as on the board of several organizations including:

The Salvation Army (prior to her employment)  
The Las Vegas Clark County Urban League (prior to her employment)  
Silver State Health Exchange Board  
Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority (22<sup>nd</sup> Far Western Regional Director)  
Theta Theta Omega Chapter, Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority (Past President)  
Economic Opportunity Board from 1969 to 1985  
National Coalition of 100 Black Women, Las Vegas Chapter (Past Vice-President Budget and Finance)  
The Links, Incorporated, Las Vegas Chapter (Past President)  
Governing Board of Andre Agassi College Preparatory Academy (Vice-Chairman)  
City of Las Vegas Civil Service Board (Past Chairman)  
State of Nevada Cosmetology Board (Past Chairman)

Ms. Lewis is a Magna Cum Laude graduate of University of Arkansas with a degree in Business Administration and Accounting with a minor in Economics. She completed her graduate work with a Master's Degree in Business Administration at the University of Nevada Las Vegas. Ms. Lewis has three children, all products of Clark County Schools (one went to Gorman), and three grandchildren.