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[William E. Hawkins](#)

April 2, 1863—August 6, 1940
Appointed to County Commission, July 1, 1909

[Samuel Wells](#)

April 18, 1871—March 13, 1926
Appointed Clark County Commissioner, July 1, 1909

[William Haight Bradley](#)

October 5, 1867 - April 20, 1948
Clark County Commission - Appointed July 1, 1909

[John M. Bunker](#)

September 12, 1870 - September 30, 1946
Clark County Commission - Elected 1910, Four-Year Term

[Thomas A. Brown](#)

??—May 7, 1914
Clark County Commission - Elected 1910, short-term

[Charles Christian Ronnow](#)

July 29, 1865 - October 4, 1945
Clark County Commission, 1910 - elected to short-term, 1912 - elected to long-term

[George Arthur Fayle](#)

February 3, 1881 - December 9, 1918
Clark County Commission - elected 1912, 1914, 1916 - Short Term

[Samuel W. Darling](#)

October 14, 1861—October 19, 1945
Clark County Commission - Elected 1914, 4 year term

[Edward E. Smith](#)

Through March 28, 1929

Clark County Commission- Elected 1916 Long Term

John A. Egger

September 1, 1876—October 12, 1966

Elected 1918 short-term

Henry Rice

February 24, 1851—February 25, 1930

1922 long-term, 1926 short-term

James Cashman

December 16, 1885—December 30, 1962

Elected 1920 short-term, 1922 short-term, 1924 short-term, 1926 long-term

William J. Stewart

March 9, 1874-February 6, 1931

Elected commissioner 1920 long term, 1924 long term

Albert L. Jones

November 8, 1887 - October 5, 1970

Elected 1928, 4 year term

Kenneth O. Earl

August 21, 1897- November 15, 1975

Elected 1932 2 years, 1934 4 years

Edwin G. McGriff

December 29, 1860- April 9, 1938

1928, 2-year term

Earl F. Davison

September 20, 1888-November 12, 1970

Elected 1932 4 years, 1936 2 years, 1938 2 years

George T. Hanson

??- November 10, 1946

Elected 1936, 4 years

Harold J. Stocker

March 8, 1900- January 9, 1983

Elected 1938 4 years

Rodney Colton

October 26, 1896- June 14, 1976

Elected 1940 4 years, 1944 District 1, 1946 District 1 4 years, 1950 New term, 1952 long-term (4 years)

Ira J. Earl

December 16, 1884- April 28, 1957

Elected 1940 2 years, 1942 4 years

James H. Down

September 20, 1877- September 12, 1946

1942 2 years

Mike (Myron) E. Leavitt

June 24, 1895- November 6, 1976

1944 2 years

Frank Gusewelle

October 30, 1899- March 11, 1951

1946 2 years

George Franklin, Jr.

October 11, 1916-April 22, 1988

1948 2 years

Clem Malone

June 22, 1910- September 7, 1994

Elected 1948 4 years

Harley E. Harmon

November 21, 1918- September 24, 2001

1950 4 years, 1954 4 years, 1958 2 years, 1960 2 years

Harvey McDonald

November 18, 1910—April 25, 1954

Elected 1950

George "Bud" Albright

December 6, 1909—November 8, 1996

Served on the Clark County Commission, 1952-1959 (resigned)

Arnold Christensen

July 22, 1907—February 11, 1982

1956, 2 years

Arthur Olsen

February 13, 1916—

Elected 1958 4 years, 1962

Clesse Turner

October 25, 1895—August 3, 1970

Appointed February 20, 1959

William H. Briare

July 13, 1930—December 8, 2006

1962, 1966

Robert T. "Bob" Baskin

August 24, 1897—December 29, 1976

Elected 1960, 1964 County Commissioner

Lou LaPorta

January 18, 1924 —

Elected 1960, 1964

Norman L. White

??-??

Elected 1960

James G. "Sailor" Ryan

January 12, 1915

Elected 1962, 1966, 1970

Ralph Denton

September 8, 1925—

Appointed 4/8/1963 by Governor Grant Sawyer

Darwin Lamb

April 20, 1932—

Elected 1964 two years, 1966 four years

James Brennan

August 22, 1930—

Elected 1968

Robert Broadbent

June 19, 1926- August 9, 2003

Elected 1968, 1972, 1976, 1980 (resigned)

Jack Petitti

January 6, 1919—November 13, 2000

Elected 1972, 1976, 1980

Myron E. Leavitt

October 27, 1930—January 9, 2004

Elected 1970

Tom Wiesner

February 23, 1939—June 25, 2002

Elected 1970, 1974

Richard Ronzone

October 7, 1917—January 21, 1989

Elected 1972, 1976, 1980

Aaron Williams

October 4, 1921—

Elected 1972

David Canter

April 27, 1937—August 31, 2007

Elected 1974, 1976, 1978

Manuel "Manny" Cortez

April 29, 1939—June 18, 2006

Elected 1976, 1978, 1982, 1986

Thalia Dondero

June 23, 1921—

Elected 1974, 1976, 1978, 1986, 1990

George "Sam" Bowler

February 2, 1943—

Elected 1976

Woodrow Wilson

August 28, 1915—December 25, 1999

Elected 1980

Karen Hayes

October 16, 1935 —

Elected 1982, 1986, 1990

Bruce Woodbury

December 15, 1944—

Elected 1982, 1984, 1988, 1992, 1996, 2000, 2004

Donald M. Clark

July 19, 1939—

Appointed 1984

Paul Christensen

August 26, 1932—

1984, 1988, 1992

Jacob David "Jay" Bingham

December 25, 1953 —

Commissioner: 1984, 1988, 1992

Paul May, Jr.

January 2, 1928—November 14, 2000

Appointed April 1984

William "Doc" Pearson

October 13, 1919—February 11, 2004

Elected 1984, 1988

Don Schlesinger

October 19, 1958—

Elected 1990

Yvonne Atkinson Gates

June 10, 1956-

Elected 1992, 1996 2000, 2004-Resigned March 2007

Lorraine Hunt

March 11, 1939—

Elected 1994

Erin Kenny

December 21, 1960—
Elected 1994, 1998

Myrna Williams

August 26, 1929—
Elected 1994, 1998, 2002

Mary Kincaid

April 19, 1939
Elected 1996, 2000

Lance Malone

January 29, 1962—
Elected 1996

Dario Herrera

June 27, 1973—
Elected 1998

Donald “Chip” Maxfield

January 13, 1956
Elected 2000, 2004

Mark James

October 9, 1959—
Elected 2002

Rory Reid

July 11, 1962—
Elected 2002, 2006

Lynette Boggs

July 28, 1963—
Appointed 2004, Elected 2004

Tom Collins

June 22, 1950—
Elected 2004, 2008

Susan Brager

December 15, 1946—
Elected 2006

Chris Giunchigliani

November 27, 1954—
Elected 2006

Lawrence Weekly

April 16, 1964—
Appointed 2007, Elected 2008

Larry Brown

June 23, 1957 -

Elected 2008

Steve Sisolak

December 26, 1953—

Elected 2008