

NEVADA

Nevada voters will select a new governor, Lt. governor, and attorney general this cycle in what are all considered to be competitive contests. All 42 house seats are on the ballot along with 11 of the 21 senate seats. Democrats are expected to maintain control of both chambers.

Treasurer

Republican Nominee

Drew Johnson

Think tank founder Drew Johnson secured the Republican nomination for Treasurer, winning a race that was too close to call on election night. He ultimately defeated financial investor and businessman Jeff Carter by fewer than 3,000 votes.

Johnson owns a small consulting business providing marketing and communications support to free market think tanks and pro-liberty grassroots organizations. He has built a reputation for identifying government waste and has appeared on national news programs including Fox, BBC, NPR, and CNN.

His priorities for office include **boosting Nevada's credit rating**, lowering borrowing costs, increasing **financial literacy**, refinancing state bonds, maximizing investment returns, cutting government waste, and **modernizing the state's financial systems**.

He plans to focus on returning **unclaimed funds** to residents by modernizing outreach efforts, improving notification systems, and streamlining the claims process.

Johnson also intends to closely review state accounts, vendor contracts, and fee structures, with the goal of promoting **leaner operations and greater accountability** within the office.

Additionally, he aims to strengthen **financial education** to help protect seniors from scams and support Nevadans seeking a path out of debt, by expanding access to clear, practical financial resources and partnering with community organizations, schools, and senior services.

The State Treasurer's office is open this cycle, as incumbent Zach Conine is term limited. Republicans last held the office from 2014 to 2018, and the seat has historically been competitive.

Trivia: Johnson and his wife Sarah have been Vegas Golden Knights season ticket members since the inaugural season.