

Andrew Stephenson



Experience:

- **2004- Present** **Stephenson Consulting** **Salt Lake City, Utah**
Public Affairs and Lobbying firm. Has lobbied the Utah State Legislature on behalf of several corporate clients. Worked on issues including, tax policy, education, energy policy, technology, and local government issues. Consulted for several legislative . Consulted for several clients on city council and mayoral races throughout the state.
- **2010- 2012**
- **2010- 2012** **Advisor to Salt Lake County Council** **Salt Lake City, Utah**
Acted as advisor to County Council Chair. Consulted with the Chair on legislative and political issues facing the county. Acted as advisor to the county legislative team during the 2011 Utah Legislative session on bills of interest to the county.
- **2009-2010** **Bennett For Senate** **Sandy, Utah**
Campaign manager for Senator Bob Bennett. Duties include creating office organization, managing 14 employees, consulting with precinct leaders, organizing coalitions of elected officials, consulting with Senator Bennett and the National Republican Senatorial Committee. Organized Mayors for Bennett, and County Leaders for Bennett coalitions of elected officials.
- **2007-2008** **Romney for President** **Sandy, Utah**
State Political Director of the Romney for President campaign. Duties included organizing a statewide leadership committee composed of state and local leaders, coordinating state efforts with national campaign plan, coordinating and deploying volunteers into early primary states, and managing communication with local media.
- **2004-2007** **Utah Taxpayers Association** **Salt Lake City, Utah**
Policy Analyst/Lobbyist for taxpayer group with over 2500 members. Duties included- lobbying state legislature, executive branch, and local governments writing policy papers for lobbying efforts, organizing annual convention and golf tournament, fundraising, coordinating lobbying efforts with member companies, writing and sending media alerts, editing monthly newsletter, publishing annual reports, and maintaining Association's website. Organized member companies grassroots efforts on state and local ballot initiatives. Worked on complex tax, business, and privatization issues at the Utah Legislature.
- **2003-2004** **Utah State Legislature** **Salt Lake City, Utah**
Served as legislative intern for two State Senators during the 2004 General Session. Duties included- answering constituent's emails, phone calls, and letters. Coordinate daily agendas for Senators including committee meetings, floor time, and appointments with constituents. Also researched bills for committee and floor presentations, tracked

bills for Senators throughout the legislative process. Prepared policy papers for Senators and House sponsors of bills.

Education:

Graduated from the University of Utah in 2004 with a Bachelor's degree in political science. Picked by the Hinckley Institute of Politics to represent the University as an intern at the Utah State Legislature.

Awards & Accomplishments

Former Chair of the Utah Young Republicans. Hinckley Institute of Politics Intern. Eagle Scout award.

Interests

I love to play basketball, softball, soccer, golf, and tennis. I like to write and read in my spare time, I am married to Adrian and am the father of four children

References available