



Nicole Cannizzaro
Majority Leader
Nevada State Senate

Nicole Cannizzaro was born and raised in Las Vegas, where her parents worked as a bartender and a waitress. She was the first in her family to go to college, attending University of Nevada, Reno and UNLV's Boyd School of Law. Cannizzaro served as a prosecutor in the Clark County District Attorney's Office for eleven years, including as a Chief Deputy in the Gang Unit. First elected to the State Senate in 2016, she became the first woman to serve as Senate Majority Leader during the 2019 session. She and her husband, Nate, live in Las Vegas with their three sons.