

Guy Amato
Habitat for Humanity Las Vegas
Former CEO



BIO

Guy Amato is a retired business executive with a background in networking technology, commercial Real Estate development, Higher Education and the former CEO of *Habitat for Humanity Las Vegas*, a non-profit organization that builds affordable housing for working families. During his tenure, Habitat secured a 10 year supply of developable land, housed over 50 families and opened the successful *Habitat ReStore* franchise.

In the past ten years, Guy held an administration position at the *College of Southern Nevada*. He retired in January, 2021 as the *Director of Inclusive Learning*, responsible for the operational development of the *Promise Scholarship* Program which provided full scholarships to thousands of students and the *High School Early College* program which delivered college courses to over 8,000 students every year.

A lifelong musician, Guy pursued a music career as a guitarist parallel to his business career. His musical pursuits led him to appreciate the diverse cultural environment around him by learning and playing in various genres including Blues, Gospel, Rock, Jazz, Brazilian, Classical and Country music.

Guy performed at the *Monterey Blues Festival* in 2010; performed regularly at the *House of Blues* in Las Vegas and participated in the *Silver State Gospel Workshop* for two years. This past year he finished a second term as a Board Trustee for the *Las Vegas Blues Society*.

Guy is married to Kim; Founder & President Emeritus of *Baby's Bounty*, a non-profit organization that provides free essential gear and supplies for infants born into poverty and which operates the largest diaper bank in Nevada.

Originally from New York, Kim and Guy have resided in Nevada for 29 years and have two adult children; a married daughter, Gabrielle and their first grandchild, Lucia; and (soon to be married) son Victor.