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## **Alaina Sylvester, J.D., Tax LL.M. Trust Officer**

Alaina Sylvester serves as a trust officer in the Nevada headquarters of Dunham Trust Company.

Alaina brings valuable experience in estate, tax, and business law, as well as settlement of personal trusts, estate tax planning, and wealth strategies to the administration. She enjoys working closely with legal, accounting and financial professionals implementing unified approaches to better serve the unique needs of clients balancing personal and business priorities.

Prior to joining Dunham Trust Company, Alaina began practicing law in 2008 in California and Nevada, where her services included estate plan strategies, probate representation, transactional business representation related to corporate governance and real estate leasing and contracting. Alaina was also appointed as a foreclosure mediator by the State of Nevada Supreme Court. Prior to private practice, Alaina served as Vice President of Legal Administration supervising aspects of finance, employee relations, contracting and business development for a mid-sized company with 175 employees.

Alaina earned her bachelor's degree from the University of Southern California in 2004, cum laude. She graduated from the University of San Diego School of Law in 2007 and earned her LL.M. in Taxation in 2008. She is licensed to practice law in Nevada and California, is a certified mediator, and is a member of The Bruce R. Thompson American Inn of Court, Washoe County Bar Association, and is the current president of Seniors in Service, a local nonprofit. In her personal life, Alaina enjoys family time with her husband and two young boys and is an avid college football and basketball fan.

### **At a Glance**

- ✓ Trust Officer
- ✓ Expertise in personal trust structures, asset protection and tax planning
- ✓ USD School of Law graduate with J.D. and LL.M.

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## **About Dunham Trust Company**

Dunham Trust Company is a privately held trust company. It is licensed in the states of Nevada and Colorado and is regulated by the state of Nevada, Department of Business and Industry, Financial Institutions Division. Dunham Trust opened in 1999 with the core belief that cultivating highly personal service would make a positive difference in providing exceptional trust administration services. Whether we are working with a family running a business or assisting a wealth manager, building lasting relationships has been and continues to be our key to sustained success. Our senior trust officers interact directly with you so you can benefit from their extensive trust administration, operations and investment management expertise. We look forward to working together with you to build a legacy that lasts for generations.