

# **B. Todd Jones**

## **Wyoming High School Class of 1975**

**Senior Vice President, Special Counsel, Conduct  
National Football League**

### **Education & Background**

**Wyoming High School Activities:** AFS 10-11; Art Club 9-12 (President 12); Black History Club 9-10; Round-Up (Art Editor) 11; Spanish Honors Society 12; Cross Country 10-11; Track 9-11; National Merit Letter of Commendation; Soccer 10-12

**Macalester College:** BA Political Science and Government, 1979

**University of Minnesota Law School:** Juris Doctor, 1983

### **Life Achievements**

Todd joined the National Football League as Senior Vice President and Special Counsel for Conduct in April 2015. He previously served as the Director of the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives (ATF) in Washington, DC. ATF is charged with enforcing firearms and explosives laws and regulations that protect communities from violent criminals and criminal organizations.

Previously, Todd served as the US Attorney in Minnesota under the administrations of President Clinton (1998-2001) and President Obama (2009-2011). In this position, he served as one of the nation's principal litigators under the direction of the Attorney General, and was the chief federal law enforcement officer within his jurisdiction. In 2009, US Attorney General, Eric Holder, appointed Todd to serve as Chair of the Attorney General Advisory Committee, which is responsible for advising the Attorney General on a broad array of Department of Justice issues.

Prior to becoming US Attorney, Todd was a partner in a major national law firm in Minneapolis, where his practice focused on complex business litigation, internal investigations and criminal defense. In his many years of practice, he has represented several entities and individuals in criminal, civil and regulatory matters.

Directly after receiving his Juris Doctor from the University of Minnesota Law School in 1983 and admission to the Minnesota bar, Todd went on active duty in the US Marine Corps, where he served as an infantry officer with the First Marine Division and, subsequently, a Judge Advocate General (JAG Officer). In 1989, he left active duty and was later recalled in 1991 to serve during Operation Desert Storm, stationed at Camp Pendleton California. He subsequently served as Commanding Officer of the 4<sup>th</sup> Marine Division Military Police Company, a Twin Cities based USMC reserve unit.