



Crime Project.

was made by Robert F. the first Leonard, chairman of order the Economic Crime Project. Leonard, 41, is the nationally known Prosecuting Attorney of Genessee County, (Flint), Michigan, who has "created some of the nation's most effective and imaginative law enforcement pro-grams," according to Newsweek magazine.

Leonard will make the formal designation in about two weeks when he meets with Clark County District At-Roy Woofter. torney Liaison between the central office of Economic Crime Project and the Las Vegas DA's office has been in effect for about. one year.

The overall project targets economic crime problems which include not only consumer frauds, but also public corruption and organized crime and recognizes no state

The Las Vegas Dis- lines. It was originally Brown is waging "a trict Attorney's office funded in 1973 by Law clean, professional passed on trict Attorney's office funded in 1973 by Law campaign has been designated as Enforcement Assist-truths, We an associated office in ance Administration truths. We are the National District (LEAA) for \$500,000, encouraging our friends Atrorney's Economic According to Leonard, and associates to supthe success of the total port you for re-elec-The adoption of the effort has resulted in tion to Justice of the Las Vegas DA's office an early termination of Peace." the first year grant in "deeply gratified that

million funding. Leonard told Woofter of such a that in "enlarging the nationwide network of our demonstration project, we thus hope to increase our impact and effectiveness especially by the selection of new consulting and cooperating offices which have active and ongoing ongoing operations and can compliment our efforts.

"We are pleased that your office not only has needed type of this operation but that you have demonstrated your concern, interest of and desire and commitment to be involved in the Economic Crime area of prosecution."

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the Peace Mahlon Brown was endorsed for elec- tinue to earn the restion by the Nevada Narcotic Officers Association.

Brown was praised by the association for "excelling in your dedication and ability as a judge. You are res-pected throughout the pected throughout the Association officers state by law enforce- said the group "is tired ment officers and witnesses who have testified in your court-room."

The association said based on

order to begin the deeply gratified that second year with \$1.5 has merited the support has merited the support respected

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Incumbent Justice of organization. My sincere hope is that I conpect of the Narcotic Officers Association. The association is

comprised of more than 200 law enforcement officers throughout Nevada.

of the constant continuances, hearings in many cases going on for years, witnesses appearing time after time only to be told the defendant did not show up, and low balls on habitual criminal offenders ... all at a time when our crime rate in Clark County is on the increase.

"In your particular Courtroom," the association said to Brown, these roadblocks to the judicial process have not taken place.'



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