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**IMPORTANT CITIZENS-POLICE AGENCY MEETING TONIGHT AT CARSON SCHOOL**

**NAACP BULLETIN . . .**

SPECIAL ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE of the local NAACP will meet at Kit Carson School on Saturday, Sept. 19, 8 p.m. This will be the second gathering in a program to reactivate the committee of young adult members of the organization between the ages of 18 and 30.

Projects to be undertaken during the remainder of the year will be discussed at this meeting. All NAACP members, young and old, are urged to cooperate in developing this program.

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**YOUTH PROBLEMS DISCUSSED**

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**SOUTHERN NEVADA  
BODY TO REVIEW  
CIVIL COMPLAINTS**

CIVIL RIGHTS COMPLAINTS originating in this area will be reviewed by the Southern Nevada Human Rights Commission prior to being heard by the United States Department of Justice under provisions of the Federal Civil Rights Act of 1964 according to commission chairman M. William Deutsch.

Deutsch said that the services of the commission, which was legislated into existence by the City of Las Vegas and Clark County, are available to anyone having a civil rights complaint. Commission headquarters are located at 830-C West Bonanza Road, telephone 384-5721.

Explaining that cases are investigated promptly and acted upon swiftly, Deutsch said, "Members of the commission are not anticipating a rash of such complaints in the Southern Nevada area since racial relations here are constantly under study in an effort to improve conditions."

Deutsch pointed out that the Southern Nevada Human Rights Commission has been operating "discreetly" since June 15, 1960. He said charges of racial discrimination, including refusal of service in public eating places and denial of accommodations at hotels or motels, had been investigated by the commission long



**RIGHTS COMMISSION PLANNERS MEET**--Planning committee of Southern Nevada Human Rights Commission met recently to formulate procedure for hearing civil rights complaints under new Federal law and to welcome two new commissioners, Rev. Caesar J. Caviglia and Rabbi Aaron S. Gold. From left: J. David Hoggard, Paul Wilkin, Father Caviglia, Rabbi Gold, Chairman M. William Deutsch, Lubertha Johnson, Harry Levy, Rick Mawson and Rev. Welles Miller. (See story this page)

before such activities were outlawed by the new Federal legislation.

The chairman further explained that designation of the commission as a preliminary hearing board on civil rights complaints before they were submitted to the Attorney General was in accord with the Justice Department's policy of keeping enforcement of the new Civil Rights Law on the local level until a definite pattern of non-compliance by local law enforcement authorities was established.

The commission's planning committee met recently at Las Vegas City Hall to formulate procedure under the Civil Rights Law and welcome two new members to the group--The Rev. Caesar J. Caviglia and Rabbi Aaron S. Gold. Father Caviglia is pastoral associate at St.

Anne's Catholic Church here and associate editor of the Nevada Register, a church publication. Rabbi Gold recently accepted the call of the Las Vegas Jewish community to serve as spiritual leader of Temple Beth Shalom.

Robert E. Mullen is vice chairman of the commission and Lubertha Johnson is secretary-treasurer. Commissioners in addition to Deutsch, the Rev. Caviglia and Rabbi Gold include Eileen Brookman, Jack Eglash, Joy Hamann, J. David Hoggard, Harry Levy, Rick Mawson, the Rev. Welles Miller, Clesse Turner, Dr. Charles I. West and Sgt. Paul Wilkin. Ex-officio members are Las Vegas Mayor Oran Gragson, Las Vegas Police Chief Leo Kuykendall and Dr. Heinz Rettig. Michael Dawson serves as executive secretary.



**SUCCESS STORY** -- Jimmy Lee Washington, blind for 15 of his 45 years, receives key to concession stand at local Dept. of Motor Vehicles building from John Ruiz (left), Bureau of Blind chief, as Lou Spitz (right), director of state DMV, congratulates new businessman. Washington, who was aided in conquest of adversity by Audrey Bascum Tait and John D. Tait of blind services agencies, was subject of inspiring "success story" by Florence Lee Jones in recent issue of Las Vegas Review-Journal.

**Experts Address Nevada Council**

"AN INTER-AGENCY AND COMMUNITY APPROACH TO YOUTH PROBLEMS" will be the theme of the second annual meeting of the Nevada Council on Crime and Delinquency at the Stardust Hotel next Wednesday through

**MOODY URGES PARENTS TO PARTICIPATE IN TALKS**

AN IMPORTANT MEETING of the Citizens-Police Committee is scheduled for tonight (Thursday, Sept. 17) at 7 p.m. at Kit Carson School.

Las Vegas Police Sgt. Herman Moody, chairman of the recently organized group, has issued an urgent call to all citizens interested in improving relations between the residents of West Las Vegas and local law enforcement authorities to be present.

Parents of school children are particularly requested to attend according to Sgt. Moody, who said that sub-committee appointments are on the agenda.

Friday (Sept. 23-25) according to council president Harry W. Stuck.

Mrs. Gladys Dula is chairman of the arrangements committee and will be assisted by Mrs. Thelma Toms, Mrs. Walter Richards, Mrs. George Roman, Mrs. Gerry Appleby, Mrs. Bea Thore, Mrs. Mariana Renwick, Mrs. Glenn Tueller and Assemblyman Helen Herr.

Preliminary plans for the gathering were discussed at a committee meeting at Mrs. Tueller's home last Tuesday.

A number of prominent authorities in the field of juvenile delinquency have accepted invitations to address the council, Stuck said, including:

Dr. Charles S. Prigmore, educational consultant for the corrections project of the Council on Social Work Education, New York City; Herbert Sigurdson, project director for the Youth Studies Center, Community Demonstration Program, Los Angeles, and Tully McCrea western director of the National Council on Crime and Delinquency, San Francisco.