

Cortez to Run for County Commission

"The central issue in the County Commission race is the ability to govern with the full confidence of the people, backed by the competence to get the job done," said Manuel Cortez, Administrator of the Clark County Taxicab Authority, when he filed for the office of Clark County Commission, Seat B.



Manuel Cortez

Cortez, 37, filed his candidacy at the Clark County Election Department then departed for the Elks Lodge and a noon speaking engagement before the Downtown Optimist Club.

In his talk before the Optimists, Cortez outlined his campaign theme, saying "The County Commission is the governmental body that is closest to the people, dealing with both urban and rural problems, budgeting for the Metropolitan Police Department, the Airport Commission, the Hospital Commission, and the Las Vegas Convention and Visitors Authority.

"With all these responsibilities, it is essential that all seven of the commissioners do their best to represent all the people, not just those with special interests."

Cortez said that whether it's a summer job, or consideration of a multi-million dollar contract, the only rule that should apply is that the best qualified person, after competitive examination or investigation, get the job.

"I guarantee you, that will be the rule with Manuel Cortez as a County Commissioner."

He serves on the Board of Directors for the Community Alcoholism Center, and is on the local steering committee for Boys Club of America. Cortez is a member of the Alumni Association, UNLV; the Rebel Boosters, the Latino Youth and Family Outreach program, the Police Protective Association, and the Sertoma Club.

Active for many years in the Democratic party, Cortez is a former first vice-chairman of the Clark County Central Committee. He currently serves on its Executive Board and is a member of the State Central Committee.

"Run, Big Sam, Run"

Sam Cavnar, Republican candidate for U.S. Senator, will debut his long-awaited book, "Run, Big Sam, Run" at a major autograph/press party in Las Vegas. The event will be held at the Las Vegas Press Club, 1724 E. Charleston Blvd from 5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. He will be autographing copies of his book. Refreshments will be served.

"Run, Big Sam, Run" is an intimate look at the many fascinating incidents in the lives of about 1,000 local, state and national personalities. Mr. Cavnar's incisive look into the behind-the-scenes activities in Washington, Nevada and elsewhere has resulted in a book that one simply must "read to believe." It gives the layman the opportunity to "get the feel" of how the top-level decisions that affect our lives every day are really made.

FREE IMMUNIZATIONS

For August

The Health District has established satellite clinics at various locations throughout the county to extend public health nursing services to all area residents.

The District is working to promote good health by having clinics conveniently located which provide health services and information to extended areas of the community.

The public health nurse is available to offer free immunizations, well-child examinations by appointment, pre and post natal guidance, family planning information and venereal disease information at the following locations.

Trailer Estates, 2240 Linn Lane (at Judson), 2:30 to 5:30 p.m. second and fourth Wednesdays. Gerson Park in the TPP building at 2021 McGuire, 1 to 3 p.m. fourth Thursday.

Easter Seal Treatment Center, 2915 E. Sunrise, 8:30 to noon, second, third and fourth Tuesdays.

Boys Club at 2530 E. Carey North Las Vegas, 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., first, second, third and fourth Fridays; and 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. every Tuesday.

Panama Clinic, St. Timothy's Episcopal Church, 42 Pacific Ave. in Henderson, 8 a.m. to noon; immunizations second and fourth Wednesdays and well child exams first and third Wednesdays.

Al Lindsman Gardens, 750 Major Ave. in Henderson, 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., third Mondays and Thursdays.

Brown Project, 5064 E. Flamingo Rd., 1 to 4 p.m., third Thursday.

The same services are also available at the main Health Center at 625 Shadow Lane from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. weekdays.

Call 385-1291 for further information.

Institute On Nonviolence

ATLANTA - An unprecedented gathering of the world's leading nonviolent strategists, thinkers, and activists met in Atlanta for an intensive week-long Institute on Nonviolence and Social Change recently.

The Institute, under the theme "Nonviolence in a Violent Society," included serious and detailed deliberations by activists in the human rights movement, scholars, public officials, educators, members of the clergy, jurists, lawyers, and other leaders who have demonstrated leadership and effectiveness in attacking and seeking remedy for social, political, education and economic problems.

The Institute included workshops, panel discussions, films and tour of the King Center Complex in Atlanta. Working sessions of the conference were held at the Interdenominational Theological Center at the University, where the King Center maintains temporary headquarters.

Topics addressed during the conference included a historical perspective on nonviolence and social change, the problem of crime, personal and institutional violence, violence in education, media, the judicial system, political participation, nonviolent strategies for social reform in the 1970's, and nonviolence and the world order.

The Institute Awards Dinner at the end of the week was held at the Internationale Hotel and Dr. Martin Luther King, Sr., and Dr. Benjamin E. Mays were featured.

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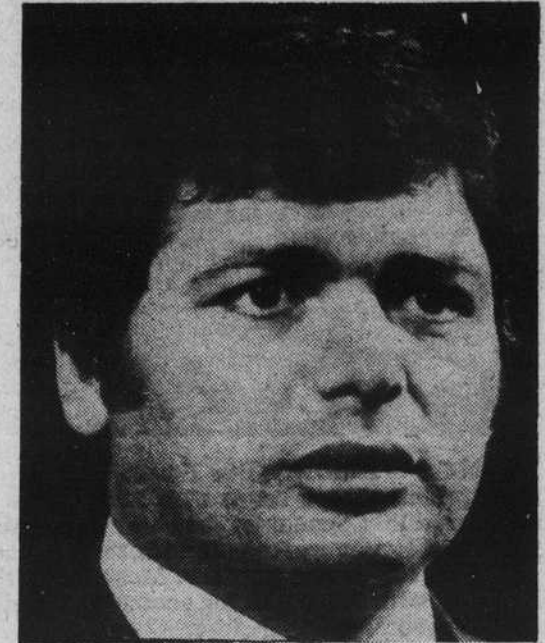
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Bonaventure for Justice of the Peace

Assistant Public Defender Joe Bonaventure has filed for the office of Justice of the Peace for the Las Vegas Township.

"The Skyrocketing crime problem in Clark County has got to be brought to a halt," said Bonaventure. "And to accomplish this, the cooperation of all elements of the criminal justice system is absolutely necessary.



Joe Bonaventure

"I am willing to give that objective my full and best efforts, and I think I can do so by combining my background as an investigator, probation officer, and public defender into the office of Justice of the Peace.

"I've been fortunate in my legal career to have had the opportunity of gaining experience in many phases of the criminal justice system, and I think it's going to take that kind of experience to be an effective Justice of the Peace, and to give the extra effort necessary to help bring the Clark County crime problem under control."

He also said that there were many other important functions of the Justice of the Peace, including handling misdemeanor trials and conducting small claims court, and he would fully discuss all aspects of the office as the campaign progresses.

Bonaventure was awarded his Juris Doctor degree from the University of Arizona School of Law. He also received his BA degree from Arizona.

Bonaventure is married, and he and his wife Barbara live in Las Vegas. The Bonaventures have an infant son, Joseph Maximilian, who was born June 10.

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