RANDOLPH ROLLINS AND JANICE RAINEY TO MANAGE DOE BLACK EMPLOYMENT PROGRAM

named Black Employment Program Manager for the U.S. Department of Energy's (DOE) Nevada Operations Office. Janice M. Rainey has been named Deputy Program Manager.

Rollins and Rainey will advise DOE management and will work closely with the Affirmative Action Manager to implement the office's Black Employment Program. Rollins replaces James Haynes, Jr. who had served as program manager since

In 1976 Rollins joined DOE's predecessor, the Energy Research and Develop-Idaho Operations Office as a

Randolph Rollins has been financial intern in the Budget Branch. He currently serves as a property managerment specialist in the Contracts and Property Division.

Before joining DOE, Rollins was employed by Aerojet Nuclear, Inc. and Litton Industries as a budget analyst. He was awarded a Bronze Star for his service in Vietnam with the U.S. Army.

Rollins, a native of New Orleans, holds a bachelor of science degree in accounting from Southern University.

Rainey, a native of Las Vegas, began her federal career with DOE's predecessor, the U.S. Atomic Energy Commission, in the personnel security branch in 1971, and ment Administration, at the now serves as a personnel security specialist.

LAS VEGAS COUNT DOWN STARTS FOR NATIONAL MBE PROCUREMENT CONFERENCE

The count down has begun in Las Vegas for NEDCO's Fifth Annual National MBE Procurement Conference to be held at Caesars Palace May 31 through June 2.

It is anticipated that over 1000 minority and women entrepreneurs; Blacks, Hispanics, Native Americans, Asian Pacific Americans, etc., from throughout the nation will attend the three day event. Twelve years ago, NEDCO's conference began as a regional conference and in the last five years has developed as THE TOP Minority Procurement Conference in the country

The conference has addressed billions of dollars worth of procurement opportunities that were being offered both by the federal government and the private sector. The major attraction of the conference, aside from the educational value and the actual dollars and cents relationship of matching entrepreneurs to opportunities, is the opportunity of entrepreneurs themselves to networld and identify areas in which they may be of assistance one to another.

For registration and further information, call Ms. Rozita Lee at (702) 385-4144 or 384-3293.

The Summer Youth Employment Program provides jobs for those 14 through 21 years of age who meet income guidelines. The program will be open and accepting applications every Saturday in May and the first two Saturdays in June, at the youth office at 235 North Eastern. Call 366-1528 for more information.

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Fisher Wins Miss PVAMU Scholarship Pageant

PRAIRIE VIEW, TX - Rachelle' Collett Fisher has won the 19th annual 1988 Miss Prairie View A&M University Scholarship Pageant, which was recently held in the University Fieldhouse. First RUnner-Up is Andre Domonic Eagleton from Crosby, Texas, and Second Runner-Up is Emile Leonesia Evans from Dallas.

Association. She is a member of the Architecture Honors Club, the Dean's Student Council and the Distinguished Lecture Series for the College of Engineering, the National Society of Black Entineers, and the Society of Women Engineers. She was also a hostess and tour guide for the State Legislative Day at



Rachelle' Collett Fisher, winner of the 19th annual Miss Prairie View A&M University Scholarship Pageant, is crowned by Dr. Percy A. Pierre, PVAMU president. The 22-year-old junior architecture major from Las Vegas, Nev., is an honors student at the university. First Runner-Up was Andre Domonic Eagleton from Crosby, Texas, and Second Runner-Up was Emile Leonesia Evans from Dallas.

A 22-year-old junior architecture major from Las Vegas, NV., Fisher is an honors student and active in many organizations. Her honors include a College of Engineering Competitive Scholarship, Miss American Institute of Architecture Students, PVAMU Honor Roll, All American Academic Scholar, Outstanding Service to the American Institute of Architecture Students (AIAS), Outstanding Service to the College of Engineering, Texas Society of Engineers Outstanding Student Award, and the Department of Architecture Best Sophomore Design Student.

Fisher is president of the Newman Association, a past president of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority Inc., a past president of the American Institute of Architecture Students, a past Chairperson the Residents Hall

PVAMU last year.

With experience as a model and a wide variety of interests including sports, dance and music, Fisher's ambition is to become an architect and an architectura!

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W.R. Fisher and a graduate of Chaparral High School in Las Vegas, Nev.

The pageant theme "Queens of the Nile" was originated by Ingrid Thomas-Anderson of Long Beach, Calif., who also designed the contestants' eight costumes representing African Queens and female rulers.

The following students were responsible for producing the pageant: Lia Berry, producer; Marcus Harris and Lucreatia Holloway, assistant producers; Vaunrance Benassistant jamin, director; and Samuel Celements, assistant direc-

AID FOR AIDS OF NEVADA (AFAN) MINORITY OUTREACH PROJECT

Aid For AIDS Of Nevada (AFAN) will be presenting a community forum on AIDS/ARC and HIV Positive on Thursday, May 5, at 6 P.M. at Operation Life Medical Center Conference Room, 600 W. Owens. Issues to be discussed are Children And AIDS, I.V. Drug Use, What It Means to be HIV Positive, and What's Happening in Las Vegas regarding the problem.

NEW WEST LAS VEGAS BRANCH LIBRARY BREAKS GROUND

the Las Vegas-Clark County Library District (LV-CCLD) announce the groundbreaking for the new West Las Vegas (WLV) Branch Library at 12:15 p.m., Wednesday, May 11, on the north side of Doolittle park along Lake Mead BLvd., between H and J streets.

The new 12,200 square foot building will eventually replace the rented storefront library at 1402 D street which is only 8,000 square feet. Approximately \$1,111,-000 is allocated for the new library, which is designed to be an octagonal building with a covered patio area.

The new building will contain a cultural arts gallery, a young people's section and a 200-person conference room, which can be divided into two rooms, with a kitchen to serve it. The conference room will be available

The Board of Trustees of for use to the community Other features include a copper-effect roof (like the downtown transportation center's) and clerestory windows to provide natural light.

An active literacy program in the LV-CCLD prompted the design of four separate computer terminal areas and three sections for one-on-one literacy tutoring.

'We look forward to the completion of this library, said District Director Charles Hunsberger. "The West Las Vegas community is ready for a new facility.

Richardson Construction was the successful low bidder for the WLV library's building contract. The building was designed by ACA Architects with Arturo Cambeiro, AIA. Fielden Business Interiors has been contracted for interior

SCORE VOLUNTEERS TO MAN "800" NUMBER HOTLINE DURING NATIONAL **SMALL BUSINESS WEEK**

In a statement released today by John Mangan, Chairman of SCORE Chapter 243 in Las Vegas, SCORE, the Service Corps of Retired Executives, will be featured in 3 days of special editorial emphasis within the pages of U.S.A. Today, a national publication.

Mangan said, "This will be one of the highlights of National Small Business Week which President Reagan has officially proclaimed as May 8th through May

14th of this year. Starting Monday, May 9, the publication will feature a toll-free telephone number which can be called by prospective entrepreneurs from anywhere in the nation 1-800-422-USAT to learn the location of one of the 750 SCORE offices nearest a caller's home or place of

The Las Vegas SCORE Chapter can be reached by calling 388-6611.

