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THERON H. GOYNES (N. LAS VEGAS COUNCILMAN & MAYOR PROTEMPORE)



GWEN WALKER

By Gwen Walker

Mr. Theron H. Goynes was born August 20, 1929 in Texarkana, Texas. After completing high school, Mr. Goynes received his bachelor of Arts degree in Business Administration from Prairie View A&M University in 1952. He then served in the United States Airforce from 1952 to 1956.

Councilman Goynes also received his master's degree of Art in Elementary Education from

Northern Arizona University. He did postgraduate work at UCLA, Eastern Oregon College of Education, University of Oregon, and the University of Nevada Las Vegas.

Mr. Goynes has been a resident of North Las Vegas since 1964 and is currently serving in

his fifth term as councilman and eighth year as Mayor-Protempore.

Councilman Goynes' affiliations are:

- E.O.B. - Chairman.
- Clark County Regional Transportation Commission - Vice Chair.

• Clark County Cleaning House Council - Chairman.

• North Las Vegas Redevelopment Agency - Board Member.

• Windsor Park Task Force - Chairman.

• National League of Cities - Intergovernmental Finance,

Committee member.

• North Las Vegas City Bonding Task Force; Chairman.

• National Association of Elementary School Principals.

• Life member of NAACP.

• Life member - Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity.

• Member - Second Baptist Church.

Councilman Goynes is married to Naomi Jackson, and they are the proud parents of three children and grandparents of one.

Mr. Goynes welcomes your

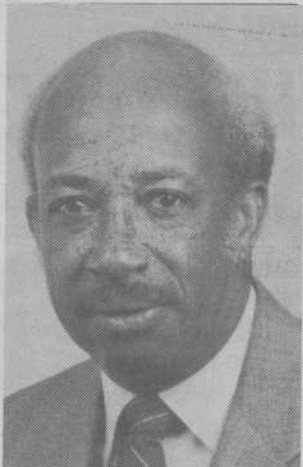
comments and suggestions. Write to him at North Las Vegas City Hall or attend the monthly City Council meetings.

his education at the University of Ne-

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Sen. Harry Reid (D-Nev), right, takes time to visit the Black Memorabilia opening of the West Las Vegas Library during Black History Month. Shown with the Senator is John Steven II who's great aunt, Madame Mollie Corney and first prize art project "The Tree of Agriculture," is one of the artifacts on display. Photo by Savoy/LVS-Voice



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GOSPEL INDUSTRY

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April, and later that month at the Gospel Music Association convention. In June, at the Chicago Black Expo, all representatives met to discuss common issues of concern and to formally outline the structure of a new organization. At that time the name "United Gospel Industry Council" was adopted by the seventy-plus attendees.

The newly-formed Executive Council also singled out specific areas of focus for the on-going agenda of the organization and made committee assignments.

The Executive Board of UGLC re-convenes February 8 at Nashville's Holiday Inn Crowne Plaza and will announce its criteria for membership and its specific goals and objectives.

For more Information Contact: UGIC P.O. Box 2932 Savannah, GA 31402.

NAACP AND YOU

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Second Baptist Church is located at 500 W. Madison. Mrs. Hook will be organizing a Las Vegas unit of W.I.N. (Women In

the NAACP) a support group for the branch. On the following day Mrs. Hooks will be the Principal Speaker in UNLV Student Union

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