

WORLD'S LARGEST HOTEL HIRES FORMER FOOTBALL PLAYER TO MANAGEMENT POST IN EFFORT TO FILL 1200 NEW JOBS

By Muhammad Abdullah MGM Grand Hotel/Casino and Theme Park - slated to be the world's largest hotel with 5000 rooms, including 744 suites, recently hired Tony Gladney - former UNLV Rebel football player - who was Randall Cunningham's top wide receiver - as Community Affairs Manager. Gladney is an alumni of UNLV with a BA in Liberal Studies and

to study racial and economic bias in the

justice system. The Task Force is

comprised of eleven persons chosen

because of their believed familiarly with

and a sensitivity to the problems of

racial and economic justice in the state.

The Task Force represents a broad

spectrum of economic, occupational,

racial and social perspectives. The Task

an emphasis in Business Communications.

MGM Grand Hotel's Human resources Department and Nevada Business Services (NBS) have teamed up and created an "Employment Outreach Program" (EOP) headed by Gladney and a 3-member staff — Derrick Elliott, John Mueller, June Fleming — whose purpose is to reach out in the commu-

TASK FORCE TO STUDY RACIAL BIAS IN THE JUSTICE SYSTEM In response to a Petition filed by Justice Charles Springer, the Nevada Supreme Court, recently filed an order appointing members of a newly-created Task Force

recognizance, possible bias in jury verdicts and judge trials, the fair use of discretion by police and prosecutors in deciding to pursue criminal prosecutions, impartial sentencing, entitlement to competent counsel and other issues perceived by the Task Force to relate in any way to economic or racial bias in the justice system.

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nity to various social, civic, state, educational institutions and other job placement organizations and agencies in an attempt

to fill 1200 new jobs that will be available by it's Grand Opening which is scheduled for early 1994.

MGM Grand Hotel and NBS created this Employment Outreach Program (EOP), in an effort to "increase the opportunity for placement" at the MGM Grand Hotel/Casino and Theme Park.

Gladney, 28, came to Las Vegas in 1983 on a football scholarship from San Mateo High School in the Bay Area. He is married to Cheryl Gladney, 27 - a Human Resources Department executive at Las Vegas Hilton Hotel - and has one child, Shayla, who is 3 years old. He brings with him a wealth of talent

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NELSON MANDELA TO DELIVER HISTORIC ADDRESS AT NAACP'S NATIONAL CONVENTION, JULY 10TH

Nelson Mandela, President of the African National Congress and one of the most influential public figures of this century, will deliver a historic address to the 1993 NAACP Convention on Saturday, July 10th, at 4 P.M. in Indianapolis, IN. The site will be announced later.

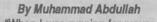
The special plenary session at which Mr. Mandela will speak comes before the formal opening of the Convention on Sunday, July 11th, and will mark his first appearance before the nation's oldest and largest civil rights organization which has been one of the strongest supporters of his efforts to end apartheid in his native South Africa.

To further underscore the importance, Dr. Benjamin F. Chavis, the NAACP's Executive Director, has issued invitations to the Ambassadors of all African and Caribbean nations accredited to the United States.



ANC PRESIDENT NELSON MANDELA Mr. Mandela's appearance comes as his country is on the threshold of holding it's first free nonracial elections, climaxing an often bloody and (See Mandella, Page 10)

CAREY ARMS APARTMENTS HONORS PROGRESSIVE LOW INCOME RESIDENTS AT NORTH LAS VEGAS CITY HALL



"When I was running for mayor of North Las Vegas, many of the residents that I talked to were more concerned with how I turned around Carey Arms. They told me that there were so many good things that were happening at Carey Arms and asked me how did I do it. Many told me that you took over Carey Arms and now there is no graffiti on the walls, and drug trafficking has all about vanished. How did you do it?"

"So I called Jim Stiles of the Public Relations Department of North Las Vegas and I went to Wanda Thatcher so that we can start chronicling the success stories that are occuring in low-income housing neighborhoods," said Casandra Williams, project manager of Carey Arms Apartments and former candidate for Mayor of North Las Vegas from her administrative office recently.

Williams' comments to the Sentinel-Voice commended eight single mothers who live in Carey Arms Apartments,



Carey Arms residents (L-R) Lovell McDowell, Deangela Wynn, Ruby Price, and Mary Schneider, among others, were recently recognized for unselfishly helping others, as well as bettering their own lives. *Photo by Paula Irons* who recently received certificates of the like.

Recognition at a brief ceremony in N.L.V. City Hall, for advancing themselves in education and forward progress. She said that most of the time when there is a story centered around low-income housing areas it involves gang violence, drug trafficking, drive-by shootings and

"The public needs to be aware that more goes on in low-income housing areas than negative things. There are many residents who will not settle for a welfare mentality. They want to upgrade themselves and better their con-(See Carey Arms, Page 11)



the city's history that three African-Americans have served at the same time. Photo by Savoy/LVS-Voice