

# AFRICAN-AMERICAN HISTORY AUGUST DATES TO REMEMBER

By Gwen Walker

- August 1 - 1941 Ronald H. Brown, Chairman of the Democratic National Committee is born.
- August 2 - 1847 William A. Leidesdorff launches first steamboat in San Francisco Bay.
- August 4 - 1936 "Long" John Woodruff of the University of Pittsburgh wins an Olympic Gold medal in the 800 meter run.
- August 5 - 1984 Track and field star Evelyn Ashford and Edwin Moses win gold medals in the LA Olympic games.
- August 9 - 1936 Jessie Owens wins four gold medals in track and field events in the Berlin Olympics.
- August 11 - 1921 Author Alex Haley is born in Ithaca, NY.
- August 13 - 1892 The first issue of the Afro-American newspaper is published in Baltimore, MD.
- August 14 - 1959 Earvin "Magic" Johnson is born.



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- August 16 - 1972 Rev. Phillip A. Potter of Dominica named general secretary of the world council of churches.
- August 18 - 1963 James Meredith, the first black admitted to the University of Miss., graduates.
- August 20 - 1830 The first national negro convention is held in Philadelphia with Richard Allen as chairman.
- August 21 - 1831 Nate Turner leads a slave revolt in Virginia
- August 22 - 1978 Kenyan president and revolutionary Jomo Kenyatta dies.
- August 23 - 1892 O.E. Brown inventor receives patent for horseshoe.
- August 24 - 1950 Edith Sampson is named first black alternate delegate to the UN.
- August 25 - 1925 A Philip Randolph organized the sleeping car porter's union.
- August 28 - 1963 largest single demonstration in the history of the U.S. "March on Washington for Jobs and Freedom" occurs.
- August 29 - 1920 Charlie "Bird" Parker jazz musician is born in Kansas, KS.
- August 30 - 1983 Lt. Col. Guion S. Bluford Jr. becomes the first black US Astronaut in space.

## All of Them (For Our Children)

By Natalie D. Lambert, Sista' Girlfriend, Inc.

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Who's to say  
which child should Survive —  
which should have Life —  
which should have Pride —  
which should have Love —  
which should be Educated —  
which should have Opportunity —  
which should be Respected .....

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All of our children  
not one should be denied —  
every last child  
should have a chance at Life —  
each should be Respected  
Loved and Protected —  
each should have Opportunity —  
Respect and education  
each should have pride  
for the survival of our nation.

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Every last one of them  
not one shall be denied  
starting right now - Today  
give them a chance at Life.

## LEGAL NOTICES

### Housing Authority of the City of Las Vegas INVITATION FOR BIDS IFB #B93025

1. The HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE CITY OF LAS VEGAS, hereinafter referred to as the "LVHA", will receive sealed bids from general contractors for the following work: Construct a 6 x 8 x 16 C.M.U. exterior fence, 6 ft. high and approximately 1200 ft. in length, along the property line which borders Maryland Parkway and continues to Bruce Street. Include one course of designer brick two course from top of the wall. Relocate approximately 45 sprinkler heads on the property line grass which edges the sidewalk. Contractor must field verify all measurements before bidding, until 3:00 p.m., "local time" on **Wednesday, September 8, 1993**, at the LVHA's Development Office, 2800 East Walnut Street, Las Vegas, Nevada 89101. At 4:00 p.m. proposals will be opened publicly and read aloud in the Board of Commissioners Room at 420 North 10th Street, Las Vegas, Nevada 89101.

2. Copies of the Contract Documents may be examined or obtained at the LVHA's Development Office, 2800 E. Walnut Street, Las Vegas, NV 89101. A \$25.00 deposit, by check or money order made out to LVHA, will be needed for each set of documents obtained, maximum of three (3) sets. Such deposit will be refunded to each person who returns the plans, specifications and other documents in good condition within ten (10) calendar days after bid opening.

3. Please direct any technical questions regarding the bid documents to the Development/Modernization Coordinator, Roy D. Lorenzo at (702) 384-2278 or (702) 382-5083.

4. Each bid submitted shall be accompanied by either: (a) a certified check or bank draft, payable to the Housing Authority of the City of Las Vegas; (b) U.S. Government Bonds; or (c) a satisfactory bid bond executed by the bidder and acceptable sureties in an amount equal to five percent (5%) of the bid shall be submitted with each bid. The successful bidder will be required to furnish and pay for satisfactory performance and payment bonds.

5. Attention is called to the provision for equal employment opportunity and payment of not less than the minimum salaries and wages as set forth in the specifications, which must be paid on the project, as set forth by the "Supplementary Conditions of the Contract for Construction" - HUD, See applicable specification section.

6. The LVHA encourages Minority Business and Women Business Enterprises (MBE & WBE) to submit a bid.

7. Award shall be made to the responsive and responsible low bidder who submits the low bid that meets all requirements of the Conditions and Form of Bid, General Requirements, and Contract Plans and Specifications. See "Conditions and Form of Bid", line 8, for additional forms needed with the bid.

8. A Pre-Bid conference will be held on **Wednesday, September 1, 1993 at 10:00 a.m.** at the **corner of Maryland Parkway and Bruce Street**; all prospective bidders should attend. The purpose is to consider prospective bidders concerns.

9. No bid shall be withdrawn for a period of thirty (30) days subsequent to the opening of bids, without the written consent of the LVHA.

10. Bidder must be a duly licensed contractor in the State of Nevada, for the category of work included. Bidder must also be licensed to do business in the City of Las Vegas.

12. The LVHA reserves the right to reject any and all bids at any time during the bid process, or waive any informalities in the bidding.

/s/Carl O. Rowe, Executive Director Date: 8/11/93  
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### Housing Authority of the City of Las Vegas INVITATION FOR BIDS IFB #B93026

1. The HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE CITY OF LAS VEGAS, hereinafter referred to as the "LVHA", will receive sealed bids from asbestos contractors for the following work: To remove asbestos containing materials in the pipe insulation, floor and mastic, pipe elbows and asbestos cement sheet behind heaters, identified by the drawings and specifications in all 56 units outlined at Herbert Gerson Park, until 3:00 p.m., "local time" on **Friday, September 10, 1993**, at the LVHA's Development Office, 2800 East Walnut Street, Las Vegas, Nevada 89101. At 4:00 p.m. proposals will be opened publicly and read aloud in the Board of Commissioners Room at 420 North 10th Street, Las Vegas, Nevada 89101.

2. The Consultant's estimated monetary range for this project is \$76,000 to \$123,000.

3. Copies of the Contract Documents may be examined or obtained at the LVHA's Development Office, 2800 E. Walnut Street, Las Vegas, NV 89101. A \$25.00 deposit, by check or money order made out to LVHA, will be needed for each set of documents obtained, maximum of three (3) sets. Such deposit will be refunded to each person who returns the plans, specifications and other documents in good condition within ten (10) calendar days after bid opening.

4. Please direct any technical questions regarding the bid documents to the Development/Modernization Coordinator, Roy D. Lorenzo at (702) 384-2278 or (702) 382-5083.

5. Each bid submitted shall be accompanied by either: (a) a certified check or bank draft, payable to the Housing Authority of the City of Las Vegas; (b) U.S. Government Bonds; or (c) a satisfactory bid bond executed by the bidder and acceptable sureties in an amount equal to five percent (5%) of the bid shall be submitted with each bid. The successful bidder will be required to furnish and pay for satisfactory performance and payment bonds.

6. Attention is called to the provision for equal employment opportunity and payment of not less than the minimum salaries and wages as set forth in the specifications, which must be paid on the project, as set forth by the "Supplementary Conditions of the Contract for Construction" - HUD, See applicable specification section.

7. The LVHA encourages Minority Business and Women Business Enterprises (MBE & WBE) to submit a bid.

8. Award shall be made to the responsive and responsible low bidder who submits the low bid that meets all requirements of the Conditions and Form of Bid, General Requirements, and Contract Plans and Specifications. See "Conditions and Form of Bid", line 8, for additional forms needed with the bid.

9. A Pre-Bid conference will be held on **Monday, August 30, 1993 at 10:00 a.m.** at the **Project Manager's office at Herbert Gerson Park**; all prospective bidders should attend. The purpose is to consider prospective bidders concerns.

10. No bid shall be withdrawn for a period of sixty (60) days subsequent to the opening of bids, without the written consent of the LVHA.

11. Bidder must be a duly licensed contractor in the State of Nevada, for the category of work included. Bidder must also be licensed to do business in the City of Las Vegas or Clark County.

12. The LVHA reserves the right to reject any and all bids at any time during the bid process, or waive any informalities in the bidding.

/s/Carl O. Rowe, Executive Director Date: 8/10/93  
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### Housing Authority of the City of Las Vegas INVITATION FOR BIDS IFB #B93024

1. The HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE CITY OF LAS VEGAS, hereinafter referred to as the "LVHA", will receive sealed bids from general contractors for the following work: Perform a comprehensive modernization on fifty six (56) units at Herbert Gerson Park as per the contract drawings and specifications. Comply with the Apprenticeship Training Agreement as outlined in the "Section 3" Plan, until 3:00 p.m., "local time" on **Friday, September 10, 1993**, at the LVHA's Development Office, 2800 East Walnut Street, Las Vegas, Nevada 89101. At 4:00 p.m. proposals will be opened publicly and read aloud in the Board of Commissioners Room at 420 North 10th Street, Las Vegas, Nevada 89101.

2. The Architect/Engineer estimated monetary range for this project is \$2,000,000 to \$2,200,000.

3. Copies of the Contract Documents may be examined or obtained at the LVHA's Development Office, 2800 E. Walnut Street, Las Vegas, NV 89101. A \$25.00 deposit, by check or money order made out to LVHA, will be needed for each set of documents obtained, maximum of three (3) sets. Such deposit will be refunded to each person who returns the plans, specifications and other documents in good condition within ten (10) calendar days after bid opening.

4. Please direct any technical questions regarding the bid documents to the Development/Modernization Coordinator, Roy D. Lorenzo at (702) 384-2278 or (702) 382-5083.

5. Each bid submitted shall be accompanied by either: (a) a certified check or bank draft, payable to the Housing Authority of the City of Las Vegas; (b) U.S. Government Bonds; or (c) a satisfactory bid bond executed by the bidder and acceptable sureties in an amount equal to five percent (5%) of the bid shall be submitted with each bid. The successful bidder will be required to furnish and pay for satisfactory performance and payment bonds.

6. Attention is called to the provision for equal employment opportunity and payment of not less than the minimum salaries and wages as set forth in the specifications, which must be paid on the project, as set forth by the "Supplementary Conditions of the Contract for Construction" - HUD, See applicable specification section.

7. Contracts in excess of \$500,000.00 will refer to "Section 3" in the Supplementary Conditions of the Contract for Construction for compliance in the provision of Training and Employment Business Opportunities. The LVHA encourages Minority Business and Women Business Enterprises (MBE & WBE) to submit a bid. See the "Section 3" Plan for the outline of costs per trainee.

8. Award shall be made to the responsive and responsible low bidder who submits the low bid that meets all requirements of the Conditions and Form of Bid, General Requirements, and Contract Plans and Specifications. See "Conditions and Form of Bid", line 8, for additional forms needed with the bid. See the "Section 3" Plan for the outline of costs per trainee.

9. A Pre-Bid conference will be held on **Monday, August 30, 1993 at 10:00 a.m.** at the **Project Manager's office at Herbert Gerson Park**; all prospective bidders should attend. The purpose is to consider prospective bidders concerns.

10. No bid shall be withdrawn for a period of thirty (30) calendar days subsequent to the opening of bids, without the consent of the LVHA.

11. Bidder must be a duly licensed contractor in the State of Nevada, for the category of work included. Bidder must also be licensed to do business in the City of Las Vegas.

12. The LVHA reserves the right to reject any and all bids at any time during the bid process, or waive any informalities in the bidding.

/s/Carl O. Rowe, Executive Director Date: 7/29/93  
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