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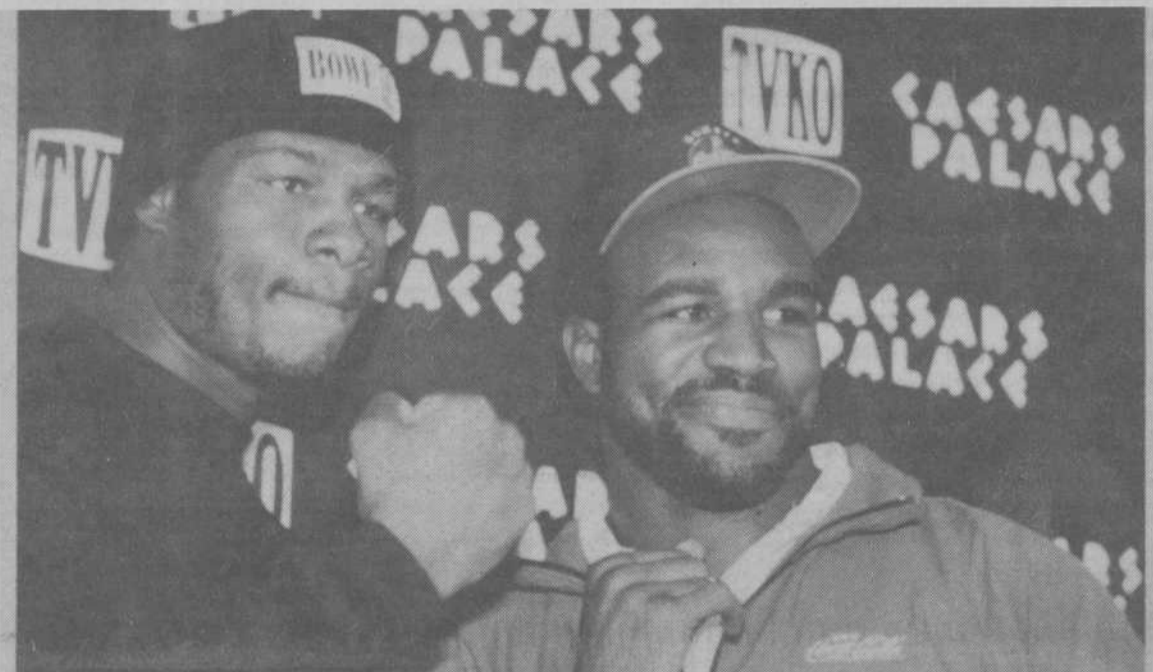
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**NAACP HOSTS 10TH ANNUAL
FREEDOM FUND BANQUET**

U.S. Sen. Carol Moseley-Braun will be the keynote speaker at the Las Vegas branch of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People's annual Freedom Fund Banquet on Friday, Nov. 5 at Bally's Resort Las Vegas.



U.S. Senator

Speaker of the California Assembly Willie Brown, Jr. will be a special guest at the banquet and introduce Moseley-Braun.

"The NAACP is extremely honored to have two of the most highly recognized African American leaders in the United States at our banquet," said Minister Jesse D. Scott, president of the Las Vegas branch of the NAACP. "Their presence will make this banquet a tremendous event."

This year's theme is "Passing the Torch...Preparing for a Better Tomorrow" and tickets are \$100 per person and \$1,000 for a table of 10. Cocktails will be served at 6 p.m. followed by

dinner at 7 p.m. in the Bally's Las Vegas Ballroom. Proceeds will help to underwrite scholarships and the general operation of the local NAACP. Tickets are available at the NAACP office, R&R Advertising, the Sahara Hotel, the Hacienda Hotel & Casino, and the Sante Fe Hotel & Casino. For (See Carol Moseley-Braun, Page 11)

**GODFATHER OF SOUL — JAMES BROWN PERFORMS
NOV. 5 & 6 AT SANDS HOTEL GRAND BALLROOM**

LAS VEGAS — Sands Hotel welcomes the "Godfather of Soul" James Brown to the Grand Ballroom for two special engagements Nov. 5 & 6, nightly at 10 p.m. Tickets start at \$39.95. (Auditorium style seating).

Mr. Dynamite. The Hardest Working Man in Show Business. Soul Brother Number One. The Minister of the New Super Heavy Funk. Whichever nickname you prefer, his influence undeniably remains the same. James Brown is a living legend that provides inspiration to the many new age funk and soul musicians of the 90's. His signature song, "I Got You (I Feel Good)" has become a historical anthem defining "party music."

A two-time Grammy Award winner, his style has come to symbolize the root of soul, so much so, James Brown reigns as the Godfather of Soul. His hits include "Papa's Got a Brand New Bag," "I Got You (I Feel Good)," and the hit single from the Rocky IV soundtrack "Living in America."

With a lifetime goal aimed at creating a universal, feel-good sense of mutual love, Brown's history has come to redefine all styles of music through a sense of political awareness. His distinctive vocal quality, legendary dance moves and lyrics have had an altering effect on our entire culture



JAMES BROWN

which leaps a multitude of steps toward social reform — a message he has been singing for more than three decades. Brown has successfully crossed the boundaries of gender, race, age and attitude.

Raised in poverty in Augusta, Ga., James Joe Brown Jr. established the (See James Brown, Page 11)

**NAACP AND NATIONAL HISPANIC ORGANIZATION FILE
PETITION WITH FCC AGAINST LOCAL MEDIA STATIONS**

By Victor S. Ingram

The National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP) and The League of United Latin American Citizens (LULAC) have individually filed petitions with the Federal Communications Commission against license renewal for several broadcast stations throughout Northern and Southern Nevada. The organizations allege unfair hiring practices towards minorities in the areas of recruitment and retention. Local stations mentioned in the petition include KVVU-TV Channel 5; KTNV Channel 13; and KRLR Channel 21. Northern Nevada stations are KAME-TV and KNPB-TV. Broadcast stations are mandated by FCC doctrine to perform in the public's interest, convenience, and necessity. Stations are also mandated to recruit and hire qualified minority applicants, adhering to a parity formula devised by the FCC.

According to Hispanic officials, neither station has met its minimum FCC mandate which requires hiring practices to reflect the community demographics. In 1993, KRLR-TV Channel 21 had zero minority employees in their employ out of 21 full time employees says one Hispanic Source. KTNV-TV Channel 13 fared moderately better by (See FCC, Page 11)

MINORITY EMPLOYMENT (1989-1993)

FULLTIME EMPLOYEES (Minorities/Total Employees)

| YEAR | KRLR-TV | KTNV-TV | KVVU-TV |
|------|------------|-------------|------------|
| 1993 | 0/21 (0%) | 11/83 (13%) | 8/61 (13%) |
| 1992 | 2/22 (9%) | 15/85 (18%) | 9/61 (15%) |
| 1991 | 2/26 (8%) | 15/84 (18%) | 7/60 (12%) |
| 1990 | 4/29 (14%) | 13/84 (15%) | 8/63 (13%) |
| 1989 | 3/23 (13%) | 17/83 (20%) | 8/60 (13%) |

**COUNCILMAN FRANK HAWKINS HOSTS FIRST
"COUNCIL IN THE COMMUNITY" MEETING TODAY**

The Las Vegas City Council is taking a new approach to the traditional town hall meeting by conducting the first in a series of "Council in the Community" meetings and, for the first time, the Mayor of Las Vegas and full City Council plan to attend.

Councilman Frank Hawkins Jr. will kick off the November 4 community meeting, that is designed to provide Ward One residents and business operators with a look at what City of Las Vegas officials have planned for the central area of the city.

"I have always been committed to bringing government to the people and I hope my constituents will take advantage of this opportunity to communicate in an informal setting about their city

interests," said Councilman Frank Hawkins Jr.

"These community meetings are another way for us to involve people," said FRANK HAWKINS Mayor Jan Laverty Jones. "There are issues that are important to all five of us, many of today's issues know no boundaries."



Joining Councilman Hawkins and Mayor Jones at the meetings will be Councilman Arnie Adamsen, Councilman Scott Higginson, and Councilman Ken Brass.

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