

COMMUNITY BILLBOARD

SATURDAY, JUNE 3

The National United Church Ushers Association of America is sponsoring a bus trip to the Los Angeles Garment District. This is a turn around trip with buses leaving a 5 am at Second Baptist Church, 500 Madison Ave. For more information call 648-6155...The Women's Democratic Club of Clark County invites you to attend an Ice Cream Social and Democratic Candidate Mixer from 3 pm-5 pm at Rafael Rivera Community Park, 2900 Stewart Avenue. Join them for a chance to get to know the candidates. Donation is \$5, children are free. Contact Sandra Hudgens at 838-2841 for more information.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 7

Dharvi Darrelle Morgenstern presents "Legendary Black Ladies of History," a concert of song, poetry and jazz, at 7 pm in the Reed Whipple Cultural Center's studio theatre, 821 Las Vegas Boulevard North. The concert is free, but tickets are required and may be picked up after May 30. Ticket holders must be seated 10 minutes before the concert or tickets will be released. For information call 229-6211.

FRIDAY, JUNE 9

The West Las Vegas Arts Center is offering three outstanding, critically acclaimed, animated features in its amphitheater on the 9th, 16th, and 23rd. Presented by the Cultural and Community Affairs Division of the City of Las Vegas Department of Leisure Services, all films begin at 8 pm and are free to the public. Call 229-4800 for more information.

SATURDAY, JUNE 10

The Women of First African Methodist Episcopal Church invite you to praise, worship and fellowship as they celebrate their annual Women's Day Program. Programs include Prayer Breakfast, Saturday at 9:30 am and Women's Day Worship Service, Sunday, June 11 at 11 am at First A.M.E. Church located at 2450 Revere Street. For more info call 649-1774.

SUNDAY, JUNE 11

The Cultural and Community Affairs Division of the City of Las Vegas presents two concerts by the Las Vegas Summer Band. The band plays marches, big band standards and Broadway show tunes at Hills Park in Summerlin and June 18 at Jaycee Park, South Eastern at St. Louis. Shows begin at 7pm and are free to the public. Seating is on the grass. For additional info call 229-6211.

MONDAY, JUNE 12

The Arts Connection Kamp has limited openings remaining for its June 12- July 7 program. Held at the Reed Whipple Cultural Center, 821 Las Vegas Boulevard North, the program offers a full morning of arts related classes for ages 6-12. The camp runs Monday-Friday, 9 am - noon. Full registration is \$150 per child, \$145 for each additional sibling. Call 229-6211 to request a brochure and registration form.

ONGOING

The Las Vegas Club of the National Association of Negro Business and Professional Women's Clubs, Inc. meets the first Sunday of each month at 951 East Lake Mead at the West Las Vegas Library. Time: 2:30 p.m. For additional information contact President Sandra Bernard Jones (437-0566) or e-mail ajcsas@aol.com.... The Professional Black Women's Alliance, general membership meetings 10 am the second Saturday of the month. H & H Barbeque Restaurant, 910 N. Martin L. King Blvd. Call Lillian McMorris, president, to answer your questions at 631-0000, fax 313-5255 or email mslill@aol.com...The Community College of Southern Nevada is accepting applications for the third annual Summer Jazz Combo Camp. The camp runs June 25-30 on the Cheyenne Campus. Training sessions are open to instrumentalist and vocalists of all ages and skill levels. Call the Fine Arts department at 651-4006...The Cultural and Community Affairs Division of the City of Las Vegas Department of Leisure Services presents "Community Roots Art Display." Eight local artist, Cochise Couyette, Albert Fennell, Joseph House, Frank James, Randy Proby, Gene Redden, Gwen Walker and Michael Wiggins will display two and three-dimensional works. Various mediums including sculpture, painting, miniatures, collages and doll collections can be seen through June 17th. The West Las Vegas Arts Center, 947 W. Lake Mead Blvd. For more details call the center at 229-4800... Left of Center Art Gallery, in North Las Vegas, has a new exhibition "Southern Exposure" on display through June 23. Local photographer Kenn Ruffin exhibits a collection of photographic expressions based on life in the rural south and southwest. The gallery is located at 2207 W. Gowan Rd. Call 647-7378 for additional information... Nevada Partners is offering free computer and Internet classes. Daily classes use the latest Microsoft Word and Excel applications. Evening classes offer Internet training that focuses on general usage, opening an Internet account, and designing a Web Page. For more information, call 399-5627.

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Birmingham

(Continued from Page 11) late as the early 1960s, there wasn't overwhelming white support in the South for continuing its rigid regime of racism.

Of course there was.

It is to say that it may be worthwhile to consider that support wasn't as overwhelming as we then thought it was.

Certainly, what did begin to change the acceptance of segregation by a part of the South's white majority was the very violence of those, like Robert Chambliss, who presumed to act in their name.

It was the deliberate purpose of the Civil Rights Movement's philosophy of nonviolence to "de-cloak" the savage attitudes and willingness to do violence that, beneath the segregationists' pose of standing for some valid principle, was the foundation of legal segregation.

Only then the civil rights activists reasoned, could the

White South, and the White North, too, truthfully see the barbarity of the system they were supporting.

John Lewis, the Georgia Democratic Congressman who during the 1960s was one of the most stalwart civil rights activists in the South, said during a speaking engagement in New York last month that the indictments for these old, but not forgotten crimes prove that "The spirit of History will track you down. The spirit of justice will track you down."

Lewis' sentiment had been expressed perhaps even more poignantly the day before by David Barber, the district attorney of Jefferson County, Alabama, who had worked with the U.S. Attorney, Doug Jones, on the investigation that led to the indictments.

He told a *Washington Post* reporter who asked about the 37-year gap between the crime and these indictments, "You never quite looking for

Farrakhan

(Continued from Page 11) Not only was COINTEL-PRO a spy operation, it also spread misinformation that led to deaths.

COINTEL-PRO was put into operation, according to FBI documents, "to prevent the rise of a Black messiah." This added heat to a hot parting between Muhammad and Malcolm X.

If Farrakhan has admitted in the past that his words may have stirred up emotions, why the big deal now?

"It's a May ratings thing," says Karl Evanzz, author of the book, "The Judas Factor: The Plot to Kill Malcolm X" and new book, "The Messenger." (May is a "Sweeps" month for the nation's television networks. The ratings for "Sweeps" months—February, May and November—are used by the networks to set advertising rates for the year.)

"It is a total hype job by CBS, and it is disingenuous," said Evanzz, who works for *The Washington Post's* website.

Outside of the sit-down between Attallah and Minister Farrakhan, there was nothing new to the "60 Minutes" story.

There has been speculation that Minister Farrakhan is trying to make amends on all fronts because of his prostate cancer.

But the mending of the fences has already taken place. During a rally in Harlem in 1994, Minister Farrakhan made up with Betty Shabazz, Attallah's mother, after her sister Qubilah was charged in 1994

with hiring a hitman to kill him.

Who knows why Minister Farrakhan agreed to the interview. But the story is old. "60 Minutes" mislead viewers on a story in which it focused on the sensational, without focusing on the external factors that helped to inflame the controversy.

Lee Hubbard can be reached by e-mail at superle@hotmail.com, for any questions or comments.

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LEGALS

REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION OF CLARK COUNTY

INVITATION FOR BID NO. 024-00

ARMORED TRANSPORTATION

This bid is for an annual armored transportation services for the period from July 1, 2000 through June 30, 2001.

It is anticipated that all requests for modification, interpretation and clarification of this Invitation for Bid be received by the RTC Purchasing Analyst, in writing, no later than June 9, 2000. A written response to such requests will be furnished in the form of addenda to all potential Bidders at least seven (7) calendar days before the scheduled deadline for submission of bids. Bid packages will be available on June 5, 2000, between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. Monday thru Friday at the Regional Transportation Commission's administrative office, 2nd floor.

Bids will be received on, or before, June 22, 2000. Bids must be time stamped no later than 3:00 p.m., PDT, on the bid opening date. Bids time stamped at 3:01 p.m. or after on the bid opening date will be returned to the bidder. Bids must be sent to: Regional Transportation Commission, Attention: Debra Rose, Purchasing Analyst, 600 S. Grand Central Parkway, Las Vegas, NV 89106. Published: Las Vegas Sentinel-Voice—06/01/00

justice ... [the Birmingham church bombing] is something that caused a real deep scar in Birmingham and in Alabama and in the South and in the country. It is one we feel a moral and ethical obligation to try to resolve."

In other words, these individuals and others recognize

the universe of obligations that bind human beings to one another—that makes us our brothers' keepers, our sisters' keepers.

In doing so, they redeem the value of the American Ideal, and the sanctity of the young lives taken that awful Sunday in Birmingham.

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LEGAL NOTICES

REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION OF CLARK COUNTY

INVITATION FOR BID NO. 022-00

"ON THE MOVE" NEWSLETTER

This bid is for an annual development, printing, and distribution of the Regional Transportation Commission's "On the Move" newsletter for the period of July 1, 2000 through June 30, 2001.

It is anticipated that all requests for modification, interpretation and clarification of this Invitation for Bid be received by the RTC Purchasing Analyst, in writing, no later than June 9, 2000. A written response to such requests will be furnished in the form of addenda to all potential Bidders at least seven (7) calendar days before the scheduled deadline for submission of bids. Bid packages will be available on June 5, 2000, between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. Monday thru Friday at the Regional Transportation Commission's administrative office, 2nd floor.

Bids will be received on, or before, June 20, 2000. Bids must be time stamped no later than 3:00 p.m., PDT, on the bid opening date. Bids time stamped at 3:01 p.m. or after on the bid opening date will be returned to the bidder. Bids must be sent to: Regional Transportation Commission, Attention: Debra Rose, Purchasing Analyst, 600 S. Grand Central Parkway, Las Vegas, NV 89106. Published: Las Vegas Sentinel-Voice—06/01/00

CITY OF LAS VEGAS

INVITATION TO BID BID NO. 000099-TG

POTTERY STUDIO EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES

SCOPE OF WORK: The City of Las Vegas is soliciting bids from qualified bidders to furnish and deliver Pottery Studio Equipment and Supplies, F.O.B. destination, freight prepaid to The City of Las Vegas, Veterans Memorial Leisure Services Center, 101 S. Pavillion Center, Las Vegas, NV 89134.

PRE-BID CONFERENCE: Will be held on June 9, 2000, at 9:00 a.m. in the Purchasing and Contracts Division Conference Room, First Floor, City Hall Complex, 400 East Stewart Avenue. The purpose of this conference is to discuss the specifications and any prospective bidders' concerns.

BID OPENING: All bids must be received in the office of the City Clerk, First Floor, City Hall Complex, 400 East Stewart Avenue, Las Vegas, NV 89101-2986, on June 16, 2000. Bids must be time-stamped at 1:30 p.m. or before, bids time-stamped at 1:31 p.m., or after will be returned to the bidder. Bids will be publicly opened and read aloud, immediately after the established closing time and date, in the Office of the Purchasing and Contracts Division Conference Room.

Any questions regarding this solicitation should be referred to Anthony Green at (702) 229-6231.

Prospective bidders are hereby notified that this Invitation to Bid and all related bidding documents will be made available on a Telecommunication Device for the Deaf (TDD) or in an alternate format (audio or Braille) upon request to the Purchasing and Contracts Division.

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CITY OF LAS VEGAS
INVITATION TO BID
BID NO. 00.1730.34-RC
SAHARA AVENUE SANITARY SEWER REPLACEMENT

SCOPE OF WORK: In general, the work includes the Sahara Avenue Sanitary Sewer Replacement, Teddy Drive to Valley View Boulevard. To replace approximately 3,420 linear feet of 21-inch diameter reinforced concrete pipe in Sahara Avenue with new 24-inch diameter polyvinyl chloride (PVC) pipe from Teddy Drive to Valley View Boulevard. The existing reinforced concrete pipe will be removed and the replacement pipe installed from manhole to manhole to the same elevations and grade as the existing pipe, as shown on the plans. The project includes the replacement of existing brick manholes where shown on the plans. The project also includes reconnection of laterals.

The estimated monetary range of the project is: \$950,000.00 to \$1,100,000.00

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MANDATORY PRE-BID ATTENDANCE: If your firm intends to submit a bid for the attached project, your attendance at the Pre-bid Conference is required, pursuant to the Resolution adopted by the City Council on October 12, 1998. Failure to do so will result in your bid being deemed non-responsive and it will be returned to you un-opened. Further, no protest will be considered should your firm fail to attend the mandatory Pre-bid Conference. "Attend" shall mean at least one representative of the bidder is present from beginning of this CONFERENCE until its completion. The Owner's Purchasing and Contracts representative will be the sole judge for determining completion of this requirement and may waive informalities. A copy of the Resolution is available upon request.

MANDATORY PRE-BID CONFERENCE: Will be held on June 8, 2000, at 10:00 a.m. in the Purchasing and Contracts Division Conference Room, First Floor, City Hall Complex, 400 Stewart Avenue. The purpose of this conference is to discuss the specifications and any prospective bidders' concerns and the City of Las Vegas' Minority, Women-Owned and Disabled Veterans' Business Enterprise Policy.

BID OPENING: All bids must be received in the office of the City Clerk, First Floor, City Hall Complex, 400 East Stewart Avenue, Las Vegas, NV 89101-2986, by June 22, 2000, at 1:30 p.m. Bids must be time-stamped at 1:30 p.m. or before, bids time-stamped at 1:31 p.m., or after will be returned to the bidder. Bids will be publicly opened and read aloud, immediately after the established closing time and date, in the Office of the Purchasing and Contracts Division.

DOCUMENTS CAN BE OBTAINED: Bid documents will be available on June 2, 2000, and may be obtained at the Office of the Purchasing and Contracts Division, for a non-refundable charge of \$50.00. If documents are to be mailed, there will be a \$10.00 postage and handling fee. Checks are to be made payable to City Treasurer, City of Las Vegas. Any questions regarding this solicitation should be referred to Robert Crutchfield at (702) 229-6231. Any technical questions should be referred in writing to Theresa Hanrahan, P.E., 400 Stewart Avenue, Las Vegas, NV 89101. The deadline for receiving written questions shall be June 12, 2000 at 4:30 p.m. Technical questions may also be faxed to Mrs. Hanrahan at (702) 382-3232.

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