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(Continued from Page 16) introduced George O'Leary as Bob Davie's successor. But O'Leary resigned five days later after admitting he lied about his athletic and academic background.

There were only five black Division I-A coaches this season.

Jerry Baldwin was fired by Louisiana-Lafayette after going 6-27. Tony Samuel is 19-35 at New Mexico State. Fitz Hill was 3-9 in his first season at San Jose State. Bobby Williams is 12-11 at Michigan State.

The other coach is Stanford's Tyrone Willingham, who has a 44-35-1 record. According to published reports, athletic director Kevin White received permission to talk to Willingham before hiring O'Leary, but never interviewed him.

Willingham declined to comment Wednesday.

"I don't get into speculation and I don't try to discuss rumors," he said.

Notre Dame spokesman Lou Nanni said the university agrees the percentage of head football coaches who are black is "deplorable."

He said, though, that the university has made progress in diversity since White was hired in March 2000, pointing to the hiring of an associate athletic director and two assistant athletic directors, all of whom are black.

"If a school like Notre Dame makes that breakthrough, it changes the whole mental construct of the issue."

— Jesse Jackson

"There needs to be better representation," Nanni said. "It's something we need to do because it's the right thing to do. But that's not the sole criteria ever.... When the right person surfaces, whether it be in the football position or in some other position, it certainly will be a priority for Notre Dame to have a minority coach, African-American or otherwise."

Oregon coach Ernie Kent last year interviewed for the head basketball coach's job at Notre Dame, saying he got as far as talking money, but decided he was not interested. White has never said who he talked to other than Mike Brey, who was hired.

Since the end of the 1995 college football season, there have been 112 head coaching jobs at Division I, and five have been filled by minorities, BCA executive director Floyd Keith said.

The key, Jackson said, is for alumni to support black candidates.

"They've gotten over the issue of recruiting black ath-

letes. They've gotten over recruiting black quarterbacks, they've come to grips to that. Every step is some trauma,"

he said. Among the criteria White has listed for the next Notre Dame coach are head coach-

ing experience and a record of success. Jackson said that leaves too many black candidates out.

"We must remove this idea that we set criteria that eliminate people from possibilities," he said.

EMPLOYMENT

GIS SPECIALIST

The Las Vegas Valley Water District

This position will perform tasks related to land use pattern studies, facilities planning, and water demand distribution analyses using GIS and a variety of other software packages. These tasks include maintenance of GIS databases, programming to facilitate spatial data processes, map creation, and report generation.

Requires a Bachelor's Degree in GIS, Civil Engineering, Geography, Urban Planning or directly related field experience, plus 2 years of progressively responsible experience in the use of GIS systems. The desired candidate will be proficient with ARC/INFO on UNIX and NT platforms, and have the ability to program in at least one of the following languages: AML, Avenue, VBA. Candidate should also have experience with a relational database management system, such as Oracle. A working understanding of standard cartographic principles and metadata documentation standards is desired. Candidate should be detail oriented, self-motivated, a creative and independent thinker, and be able to communicate successfully with technical and non-technical personnel. Equivalent combinations of training and experience will be considered.

Entry Salary Range: \$51,852 - \$58,343 annually, DOQ plus a highly competitive benefits package.

Obtain application package from:
LAS VEGAS VALLEY WATER DISTRICT
 Human Resources Department
 1001 S. Valley View Blvd., Las Vegas, NV 89153
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Filing Deadline: Immediately. Open until filled. Faxes and resumes will not be accepted in lieu of the required application package.

LEGAL NOTICES

CLARK COUNTY ADVERTISEMENT TO BID

CONTRACT NO. 2151
PWP NO. CL-2001-587

ROTUNDA INTERIOR REMODEL
McCARRAN INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT
LAS VEGAS, NV

The Scope of Work includes the installation of a combination of approximately 16,000 square feet of suspended perforated metal ceiling panels and metal linear ceiling in the Rotunda, with sound attenuating blankets behind. Also included are upgrades of the fire alarm and sprinkler, as well as public address and lighting systems. Since, for structural reasons, the sprinkler system upgrades cannot be attached to the existing concrete shell ceiling, artificial palm trees with concealed sprinkler pipes will be installed. Also included are painting of the Security Check area as well as installation of new carpeting throughout.

PRE-BID CONFERENCE: Wednesday, January 9, 2002, at 1:30 p.m.
 LOCATION: North Mezzanine, Room No. 2,
 McCarran International Airport, Las Vegas, NV

The purpose of the Conference is to review and discuss the Bid Documents as well as the Drawings, specifications and the County's Disadvantaged Business Enterprise policy.

Bids will be received in the Department of Aviation, 2nd Floor, McCarran International Airport, Terminal 1, Office of Construction/Engineering, 5757 Wayne Newton Boulevard, Las Vegas, Nevada 89119 on January 23, 2002. Bids must be time-stamped at 1:30 p.m. or before. Bids time-stamped at 1:31 p.m. or after will be subject to rejection in their entirety.

The Engineer's Estimate for this work is between
 \$1,600,000.00 and \$2,000,000.00

Full-size and half-size sets of plans are available at the McCarran International Airport Office of Bechtel Infrastructure Corporation, located in Terminal 1, on Level 2, south balcony, ticketing building, between 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, the Telephone Number is (702) 261-5091. The Post Office Mailing Address is P.O. Box 11068, Las Vegas, NV 89111-1068. The Overnight Delivery Address is McCarran International Airport, 5757 Wayne Newton Boulevard, Las Vegas, NV 89119.

Full payment must accompany orders for sets of Bid Documents. Checks shall be made payable to Clark County Department of Aviation.

Sets of Bid Documents with full-size plans may be obtained for a non-refundable cost of \$100.00 each. Overnight shipping charges are a non-refundable \$35.00.

Sets of Bid Documents with half-size plans may be obtained for a non-refundable cost of \$75.00 each. Overnight shipping charges are a non-refundable \$20.00.

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LEGAL NOTICES

BIDS WANTED FOR HIGHWAY IMPROVEMENT
NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS
CONTRACT NO. 3095

Sealed proposals will be received by the Director of the Department of Transportation of the State of Nevada at the District I Headquarters, 123 East Washington Avenue, Las Vegas, Nevada 89101, until and opened at 1:30 p.m., local time, on January 17, 2002 for Contract No. 3095, Project Nos. STP-0582(008), SPSR-0564(003), SPFR-CL29(001), SPFR-CL30(001), STP-0582(007), SPI-515-1(018) and IM-515-1(027), construction of a portion of the Interstate and Urban Highway Systems on SR 582 Boulder Highway and Fremont Street from 0.11 miles north of Wagon Wheel Drive to near Flamingo Wash (B436N), (B194S) on SR 564 Lake Mead Drive in Henderson from Boulder Highway to Pueblo Boulevard, on FR CL29 along the north side of Lake Mead Drive (SR 564) from Boulder Highway (SR 582) to 0.42 miles east, on FR CL30 along the south side of Lake Mead Drive (SR 564) from Boulder Highway (SR 582) to 0.86 miles east, on SR 582 Boulder Highway at Gibson Road and Gibson Road and at Flamingo Road, on I-515 at the Horizon Drive Interchange in Henderson, and on I-515 at Boulder Highway Interchange ramps, Clark County, a length of 15.51 miles. D.B.E. information shall be submitted no later than the time of opening of proposals as specified above.

SPECIFIC DESCRIPTION OF WORK COVERED BY THIS CONTRACT CONSISTS OF: COLD MILE AND PLACE PLANTMIX BITUMINOUS SURFACE WITH OPEN-GRADE, CONSTRUCT NEW TRAFFIC SIGNAL SYSTEM AT GIBSON ROAD AND MODIFY EXISTING SIGNAL SYSTEM AT FLAMINGO ROAD, WIDEN THE SOUTHBOUND OFF-RAMP TO INCLUDE DUAL LEFT TURN LANES AT HORIZON DRIVE.

Plans and specifications may be examined and purchased at the office of the undersigned. Non-bidding documents may also be examined or purchased at the Department of Transportation District Offices in Sparks and Las Vegas, Nevada. Plans, form of proposal, contract and specifications may be secured by prequalified bidders through the office of the undersigned. A fee of Twenty Five Dollars (\$25.00) is required for the purchase of each copy of the plans with proposal form. Plans, proposal form and specifications obtained on this basis are non-returnable and no refund will be made. Bids must be on the proposal form of the Department of Transportation and must be accompanied by a bid bond, a certified check, a cashier's check, or cash in the amount of five percent (5%) of bid.

Right is reserved to reject any or all bids, or to accept the bid deemed best for the interest of the State of Nevada.

Contractors desiring to bid on this work, if not already qualified under the State Law, shall file with the Department of Transportation at Carson City, Nevada, not later than five (5) days prior to the date for opening of bids, a complete application for qualification on form furnished by the Department.

The minimum wage to be paid on this contract shall be as determined by the Secretary of Labor or the State Labor Commissioner and are set forth in the contract documents.

The attention of bidders is directed to the State Contractor's License Law requirement (NRS 624 as amended to date), that a contractor hold a valid license of a class corresponding to the work to be done. Requests for license may be directed to the Secretary of the State Contractor's Board, 4220 South Maryland Parkway, Building D, Suite 800, Las Vegas, Nevada 89119.

This is a Federal-aid project and as such, any contractor otherwise qualified by the State of Nevada to perform such work, is not required to be licensed nor to submit application for license in advance of submitting a bid or having such bid considered; provided, however, that such exemption does not constitute a waiver of the State's right under its license laws to require a contractor, determined to be a successful bidder, to be licensed to do business in the State of Nevada in connection with the award of a contract to him.

The State of Nevada Department of Transportation will on its own initiative, take affirmative action, including the imposition of contract sanctions and the initiation of appropriate legal proceedings under any applicable State or Federal law to achieve equal employment opportunity on Federal-aid Highway Projects and will actively cooperate with the Federal Highway Administration in all investigations and enforcement actions undertaken by the Federal Highway Administration. In conjunction with the above statement, the Department of Transportation will not issue plans to an irresponsible bidder. Subsection (B) of the section 112 of Title 23 United States Code has been amended by adding at the end thereof, the following: "Contracts for the construction of each project shall be awarded only on the basis of the lowest responsive bid submitted by a bidder meeting established criteria of responsibility".

THOMAS E. STEPHENS, P.E., DIRECTOR
 Department of Transportation
 Carson City, Nevada 89712

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Reparations

(Continued from Page 11) whole the descendants of the victims of the trans-Atlantic slave trade, which was a crime against humanity. Crimes against humanity have no statute of limitations.

We are going to the Capitol of this nation-built on slave labor-the rightful and only place to declare our human and legal right to reparations owed us.

It is time to invoke the spirit of our ancestors, many

of whom sacrificed so much for the liberation of African people.

We must work harder to build the reparations movement in America.

The events of Sept. 11th should not take our agenda off the table. We must spread the word that the Millions For Reparations March, Protest and Demonstration is on.

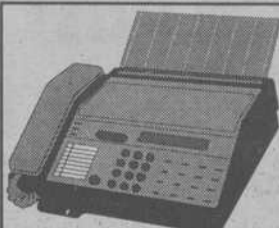
Dr. Worrill is the national chairman of the National Black United Front.

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HOUSING AUTHORITY of the COUNTY of CLARK

BID INVITATION — APPLIANCES

Refrigerators and Stoves

Bid No. B1351-0065

Sealed bids marked "APPLIANCES - Refrigerators and Stoves - Bid No. B1351-0065" will be received at the office of the Executive Director, Housing Authority of the County of Clark, 5390 East Flamingo Road, Las Vegas, Nevada 89122, until 12:00 noon on Wednesday, January 9, 2002, in accordance with the General and Technical Specifications, at which time all bids properly received will be opened, read aloud and made a matter of public record. Specifications and bid forms may be obtained at the above address or by calling 702-922-1616.

All bids so received will be tabulated, analyzed and submitted to the Board of Commissioners at its meeting to be held at 12:00 noon on Wednesday, January 16, 2002. The Authority reserves the right to waive informalities, to reject any or all bids, and to accept the bid deemed to be in the best interest of the Authority.

/s/ Betty J. Turner, Executive Director

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JUST FAX CLASSIFIEDS TO 380-8102 OR CALL 380-8100