Portland Indoor — World Class Track in Our Backyard

by Fred Hembry

On January 23rd, 1988, the doors of the Portland Memorial Coliseum will open for amateur track and field competitors, both youth and adult, to display their talents.

For those who are not aware, some of these aspiring participants will be of the National-World Class stature. Among them will be Robin Marks (Olympic hopeful, 1988) of Portland, Al Joyner (U.S. Gold Medalist, Triple Jump), and Steve Scott (U.S. Record Holder in the 1500), to name a few.

The Portland Indoor has been part of the "Grand Prix" Indoor Track & Field circuit since 1987. This means national-class athletes must run in Portland, Los Angeles, or other designated meets to qualify for the National Championship meet at Madison Square Garden later this winter.

In turn, you, the spectator, will be guaranteed viewing of national track figures, as well as college and high school standouts.

There will be two meets that day. The develomental meet begins at 9:00 a.m. and runs until 5:00 p.m. The night meet begins at 7:30 p.m. It is in this meet that you will see the national-class athletes and the high school standouts.

I contacted three area coaches to get their thoughts on the meet and their athletes. They do have participants in all events, but space permitted me to list only their hardest working athletes.

Mark Cotton from Grant High School has entered Bill Sheppard in the 55 Meters Dash for mend, and K.K. (miriam) Waller in the women's 55 Meter Dash. "I look on the Indoor as a circus of sorts that allows us to display our talent. also feel that we should do well," he told me.

Alex Wright from Lincoln High School has entered James Rankin in the men's 800 Meters and Liz Fawkes in the women's 800. Coach Wright said, "I also have Mary Mac-Donald (W 800-1500), and the Dunn twins (M 1500). My people are incredibly fit, and we should do well in both meets, should they qualify."

"This meet affords the P.I.L. and athletes around Oregon to showcase their talent. The meet is very well-run and the national standing allows record-breaking times (National/World) to be official," commented Leon Lincoln from Madison High School. He is entering Bobby Frazier in the men's 55 Meter Dash. Debora Booth will be entered in the women's 55 Meter dash.

In light of this, anyone who breaks their normal sports-watching routine to view this event is sure to enjoy a full day of exciting track and field competition, covering the entire range of age and development. Come out and support your local athletes!

The National Black **Talent Directory**

In June 1988, the first edition of The National Black Talent Directory is scheduled for publication and national distribution.

The directory will provide comprehensive and singular source reference of Black talent in the entertainment business. The book not only will showcase in-front-of-the-camera performers, actors, actresses, musicians, models, athletes, etc., but also will present behind-the-scenes professionals, the directors, writers, cameramen, crew, song and script writers, make-up/ costume artist and more. In addition there will be a New Face category.

The first edition of The National Directory will be published in June 1988 and distributed free-of-charge to major studios, independent production companies and casting directors nationwide. The directory will be sold (for a small fee) nationwide to public libraries, schools, and other businesses. companies, public libraries, schools and other businesses.

This will be the first edition of any national Black talent directory and is sure to create a large change of Black participation in the entertainment

An approximate 2" x 4" talent window is available for \$45.00 which includes a black and white headshot and additional reference/contact information. Additional space is available for personal and business advertisers.

For more information, call The National Black Talent Directories Northwest representative at (503) 288-1662 and someone will be pleased to assist

Registration deadline: February 15, 1988.

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Sealed proposals will be received by the Director of Purchasing, 2505 S.E. 11th Ave., Portland, OR 97202 for:

Multnomah County Department of Human Services requests proprosals to provide Alcohol/Drug Student Assistance Services. Funding is \$45,000 for a one year period & prorated accordingly for less than twelve months. Due to federal requirements, applicants must be non-profit organizations.

** An optional bidders conference will be held at 2:00 PM, on Jan. 21, 1988, at the J.K. Gill Bldg., 426 S.W. Stark, 6th floor conference room.

Specifications may be obtained at:

Multnomah County Purchasing Section 2505 S.E. 11th Avenue Portland, OR 97202

Franna Ritz, Acting Director **Purchasing Section** January 20, 1988

INVITATION FOR BIDS

The PORTLAND DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION will receive sealed Bids for Union Station Track Rehabilitation work until 2:00 p.m., Pacific Standard Time (PST) on the 2nd day of February, 1988, at 1120 S.W. Fifth Avenue, Suite 1102, Portland, Oregon 97204-1968, at which time and place all Bids will be publicly opened and read aloud.

The work consists of replacing; old, worn cross ties; cracked or damaged tie plates; rail spikes; cracked or broken join bars; worn rails; soil and ballast material; track bolts, and rail anchors; along with miscellaneous related work.

Contract Documents, are on file at the office of the PORTLAND DEVE-LOPMENT COMMISSION, at 1120 S.W. Fifth Avenue, Suite 1102, Portland, Oregon 97204-1968.

A certified check or bank draft, payable to the order of the PORTLAND DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION, Negotiable U.S. Government Bonds (at par value), or a satisfactory Bid Bond executed by the Bidder and an acceptable Surety, in an amount equal to ten percent (10%) of the total Bid shall be submitted with each Bid.

Attention is called to the fact that not less than the minimum salaries and wages as set forth in the Contract Documents must be paid on the Project, and that the Contractor must ensure that employees and applicants for employment are not discriminated against because of their race, color, religion, sex or national origin, and that the Contractor must comply with all provisions of ORS 279.348 through ORS 279.356.

Minority business enterprises will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color or national origin in consideration for an award of any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement.

To assure complaince with the PORTLAND DEVELOPMENT COMMIS-SION'S Resolution No. 3455, Exhibit "A", MBE/FBE Recruitment, only bids in compliance with these MBE/FBE requirements shall be considered respon-

The PORTLAND DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to waive any informalities in the bidding.

Bids may be held by the PORTLAND DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION for a period not to exceed thirty (30) days from the date of the opening of bids for the purpose of reviewing the bids and investigating the qualification of the bidders prior to awarding the contract.

Bidders shall be certified as an EEO Affirmative Action Employer as prescribed by Chapter 3.100 of the Code of the City of Portland.

PORTLAND DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION Patrick L. LaCrosse, Exec. Dir. January 19, 1988

INVITATION FOR BIDS

The PORTLAND DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION will receive sealed Bids for Demolition of buildings and structures and Site Clearance of

CONTRACT NO. 1

Three (3) Commercial Structures and Site Work in the Convention Center Site, S34, T1N, R1E, Blocks 42 & 28, Portland, Oregon.

Four (4) Commercial Structures and Site Work in the Convention Center Site, S34, T1N, R1E, Blocks 20 & 21, Portland, Oregon.

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CONTRACT NO. 4

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THE COMMISSION WILL AWARD FOUR (4) CONTRACTS. CONTRAC-TORS MAY BID ON ALL FOUR (4) CONTRACTS, BUT EACH CONTRAC-TOR SHALL BE AWARDED NOT MORE THAN ONE. AWARD WILL BE TO FOUR (4) SEPARATE CONTRACTORS BASED ON THE COMBINATION OF BIDS THAT RESULTS IN THE LOWEST OVERALL COST TO THE COMMISSION.

IF CONTRACTOR SUBMITS MORE THAN ONE BID, THE BID BONE SHALL BE BASED UPON THE HIGHEST COST CONTRACT.

Contract Documents, including Drawings and Specifications, are on file a the office of the PORTLAND DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION, at 1120 S.W Fifth Avenue, Suite 1102, Portland, Oregon 97204-1968.

All bidders much comply with the provision of Chapter 279, Oregon Revised Statutes, relating to the qualification of bidders. The bidder's prequalifica tion statements shall be prepared and presented on the City of Portland Prequalification Application and filed with the Portland City Engineer no later than nine (9) business days prior to the bid opening time.

A certified check or bank draft, payable to the order of the PORTLAND DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION, negotiable U.S. Government Bonds (at par value), or a satisfactory Bid Bond executed by the Bidder and an acceptable Surety, in an amount equal to ten percent (10%) of the total Bid shall be submitted with each Bid.

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> PORTLAND DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION Patrick L. LaCrosse, Exec. Dir. January 14, 1988

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Gresham Wastewater Treatment Plant Improvement BID DATE: January 28, 1988 — 2:00 P.M.

Hoffman construction company of oregon P.O. Box 1300 Portland, Oregon 97201

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South Ashland Interchange to California State Line Oregon Department of Transportation BID DATE: January 28, 1988 at 9:00 A.M.

BALL, BALL AND BROSAMER, INC. Executive Inn, Salem, OR

(503) 363-4123 Contact: Ike Eisenhut

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FOR

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HOFFMAN CONSTRUCTION COMPANY OF OREGON P.O. Box 1300, Portland, OR 97207

BID PHONE: 503-221-8811

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