

# JOBS/CLASSIFIED

## PORTLAND STATE UNIVERSITY PORTLAND, OREGON 2 TENURE TRACK FACULTY POSITIONS

Assistant Professor, Tenure Track, K-12 Teacher Education, Dept. of Curriculum and Instruction. Responsibilities include teaching, coordinating field experience, supervising student teachers, and conducting research in an appropriate field. Doctorate with potential for or record of research and scholarship; evidence of experience of at least 3 years successful public school K-12 teaching; evidence of appropriate experience in urban, multicultural settings. Strong preference will be given to candidates with the ability to relate to an ethnically diverse student population.

## EDUCATION FOUNDATIONS/ SOCIAL SCIENCE

Teaching to include such courses as social and cultural foundations of education, social studies methods. Other possible assignments include: multicultural education, and/or classroom management. Teaching strengths in the social and cultural foundations with a specialty in the social sciences is preferred.

## MATH/SCIENCE/ TEACHER EDUCATION

Teaching to include such courses as elementary math and science methods, middle school math methods, secondary math methods, and secondary science methods; other possible assignments include teaching and learning, integrated elementary methods, multicultural education, instruction/technology. Strong background in teaching and learning preferred.

Submit detailed letter of application, curriculum vita, and 3 professional references to Chair, Search Committee, Curriculum and Instruction, Portland State University, PO Box 751, Portland, OR 97207. Application review begins March 9, 1990 and will continue until position is filled.

PSU is committed to increasing the ethnic and cultural diversity of the faculty. PSU is an AA/EEO employer.

## NURSING COMMUNITY HEALTH DIVISION DIRECTOR

Director community health program for Douglas County Health & Social Services Dept. Programs include: communicable disease control, parent & child health, school health, adult health, family planning and WIC. Position develops and implements policies and procedures, budgets and grants. Salary \$2435-\$3110 per month plus full family benefits. Requires BA/S in nursing with course work emphasis in public health plus 5 years in public health setting which includes 2 years management/supervision experience. At time of appointment, candidate must have current Oregon Registered Nurse license and valid ODL. For more information and application, contact Douglas County Personnel, Courthouse Room 322, Roseburg OR 974, in Oregon 1-800-452-0991, Ext. 405.  
*Equal Opportunity Employer*

## TRAINER

The Private Industry Council is recruiting for a Trainer for the Northeast Employment and Training Program office. This position is responsible for training participants in effective job search and personal skill building techniques, testing and interviewing individuals with employment barriers to assist them in selecting vocational goals, and placing individuals in appropriate training programs.

**Preferred requirements:** Bachelor's degree with major course work in education, counseling, or closely related field; two years work experience in classroom instruction, employment interviewing, counseling, vocational guidance and/or curriculum planning; knowledge of vocational testing; experience working with economically disadvantaged populations. Qualifying experience may be substituted for education.

**Salary range:** \$18,263 to \$27,831 plus excellent benefit package.  
**Closing date:** 5 PM, Monday, March 12, 1990.

Applications available at The Private Industry Council, 520 SW 6th Ave., Suite 400, Portland, OR 97204.  
*An Affirmative Action/  
Equal Opportunity Employer*

# BIDS/SUB-BIDS/LEGAL NOTICES

## OREGON STATE BOARD OF HIGHER EDUCATION ADVERTISEMENT FOR BID WIEGAND HALL REROOFING

Sealed bids for the Wiegand Hall Reroofing, Areas B & C project will be received by the Oregon State Board of Higher Education until 2:00 P.M., local time, March 27, 1990.

Additional information may be obtained by contacting the OSU Physical Plant, Adams Hall, Corvallis, Oregon 97331-2001 or telephone (503) 737-4921.

## SUB-BIDS REQUESTED

Metro South Station Modification

**Bid Date: Wednesday, March 14, 1990 at 3:00 P.M.**  
**TODD CONSTRUCTION, INC.**

18407 S.W. Boones Ferry Rd. \* P.O. Box 949  
Tualatin, OR 97062

(503) 620-7652 FAX: (503) 620-6825  
C.C.B. #53384

We are an equal opportunity employer and request sub-bids from small business, minority and women-owned business and disadvantage business enterprises.

## CITY OF PORTLAND

## INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS

DUE 2:00 P.M. ON VARIOUS DATES

Sealed Proposals will be received at the Bureau of Purchases and Stores, Room 1313, Portland Building, 1120 SW Fifth Ave., Portland, OR 97204 for the (Projects) detailed below until 2:00 P.M. on the dates indicated.

Plans and Specifications may be obtained at the above address. For additional information telephone Buyer at number listed.

Unless otherwise stated in the individual proposals listed herein, no proposal or bid will be considered unless accompanied by a bid surety for an amount not less than ten percent (10%) of the aggregate amount of the proposal.

The City encourages bidding by MBE's and FBE's and will assist such firms to understand and participate in formal bidding process.

**NON-DISCRIMINATION:** No proposal or bid will be considered unless the bidder is certified as an EOE Affirmative Action Employer as prescribed by Chapter 3.100 of the Code of the City of Portland.

PROPOSAL NO.	DESCRIPTION	OPENING DATE
68	NE MLK Blvd. Overlay, Glisan to Multnomah. Call Michele Ackerman, 796-6854. Prequalification in Class 2-Street Improvements Required.	3/13/90
71	Columbia Blvd. Treatment Plant Maintenance/Stores Facility. Call Bill Frazier, 796-6855. Prequalification in Class 19-Building Construction Required.	3/27/90
80	Boat Ramp Repair at Cathedral Park. Call Carlton Chayer, 796-6855. Prequalification in Class 6-Dredging & Pile Driving Required.	3/13/90
81	Asbestos Removal at Various Locations. Call Carlton Chayer, 796-6855. Prequalification in Class 36-Special (Buildings) Required.	3/13/90

## INFORMATIONAL ADVERTISEMENT CALL FOR BIDS

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION · HIGHWAY DIVISION  
Sealed bids will be received until 9 am on March 15, 1990, for the projects listed below:

County	Description
Multnomah	Swift Intchg./Delta Park Sec. of Pacific Hwy. (I-5) in Portland. Grading, Pave, Struc., Signing, Illum. & Signals. DBE Goal.
Malheur Lake	Vale Rock Prod. Project, John Day Hwy., 35 mi. NW of Vale. Lakeview Rock Prod. Project, Klamath Falls-Lakeview Hwy. W of Lakeview.
Clatsop & Tillamook	Necanicum R.-I St. (Nehalem) Sec. of the Oregon Coast Hwy. (U.S. Rt. 101), 2 units bet. Cannon Beach Jct. & Nehalem. Paving.
Lane	Rattlesnake Creek-Wheeler Rd. Sec. of Willamette Hwy. (Rt. OR58) near Dexter. Grading & Paving.
Washington	Murray Blvd.-Jefferson/Columbia Sec. of the Sunset Hwy. (U.S. Rt. 26). Ramp Control Signal Instal. DBE Goal.
Benton	Corvallis ECL.-NW Rondo St. Sec. of the Albany-Corvallis Hwy. (U.S. Rt. 20) start. at E. city lim. of Corvallis. Paving.
Baker	Middle Bridge Rd.-Powder River Sec. of the Baker-Copperfield Hwy. (Rt. 86) beg. approx. 17 mi. E. of Baker. Overlay.
Tillamook	Old Condon Br.-Pacific City Rd. Sec. of the Oregon Coast Hwy. (US Rt. 101) start. 2 mi. N. of Hebo. Paving.
Clackamas & Washington	Pacific Hwy.-Clackamas Hwy. Sec. of the E. Portland Freeway (I-205) beg. near the jct. of I-5 & I-205. Signing. DBE Goal.
Washington & Marion	Walnut St. (Hillsboro)-St. Paul ECL. Sec. of the Hillsboro-Silverton Hwy. (St. Rt. 219), 2 units bet. Hillsboro & St. Paul. Paving.
Union	Hot Lake-Union Sec. of the LaGrande-Baker Hwy. (Rt. 203), beg. approx. 11 mi. SE of LaGrande. Overlay.
Malheur	Idaho State Line-Jordan Valley Sec. of the I.O.N. Hwy. (U.S. Rt. 95) start. at the Idaho State Line. Recycle, Overlay & Chip Seal.

Plans, specifications, and bid documents may be obtained in Rm. 10, Transportation Building, Salem, OR 97310. Prime contractors must be prequalified ten days prior to the bid opening day. For additional information, please contact Commission Services at 348-6526.

If your business is not certified as a Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) or a Women Business Enterprise (WBE), please contact the Office of Minority, Women, and Emerging Small Business at 155 Cottage, Salem, OR 97310, phone (503) 378-5651.

A DBE Prebid Workshop will be held beginning at 9 am on March 8, 1990, at the AGC Center, 9450 SW Commerce Circle, Salem, OR 97310, phone (503) 378-5651.

Say You Saw It In The  
**Portland Observer!**

# BLACK HISTORY MONTH · FEBRUARY 1990

## Black Civil Servants

by Dwayne Boyd

From espionage agents to astronauts, Black Americans have a long and distinguished history with the federal government. Of course, in all areas of American history, cultural or political, Blacks have established their place in this country's development. But one of the most visible areas has been in public service. As we reflect on the achievements of our predecessors this month, let us look at a few civil servants who have paved the way.

### Mary Elizabeth Bowser

The Civil War produced a Black espionage agent long before television invented Bill Cosby's character on "I Spy." Born a slave on the VanLew plantation outside Richmond, Virginia, Mary Elizabeth Bowser was freed after her master John VanLew died in 1851. She was sent to Philadelphia to be educated by Mrs. VanLew, returning to Richmond after the Civil War broke out to help Mrs. VanLew with her espionage work. Bowser was sent to the home of Jefferson Davis, President of the Confederacy, as a spy for the Union army. Working as a maid, she memorized military plans and communications and relayed them to Mrs. VanLew, who in turn gave them to General Ulysses S. Grant of the Union army.

### Ambrose Caliver

Ambrose Caliver was the senior specialist in the education of Black Americans under Presidents Hoover and Roosevelt for the U.S. Office of Education. He served from 1930 to 1946. Born in Saltville, Virginia, this former coal miner attended Tuskegee, Knoxville College, and received a degree in personnel management from Harvard University. He was the first Black man to be appointed dean of Fisk University. It was in 1930 that he left Fisk to work for the federal government. While there he supervised the federal agency education programs.

### Constance Berry Newman

When sworn-in on June 12, 1989, Newman became the first Black woman to head the U.S. Civil Service. Beginning her career as a GS-3 clerk typist at the Department of Interior, Mrs. Newman has held numerous federal positions, including Assistant Secretary of the Department of Housing and Urban Development; Director of VISTA; and Commissioner and Vice-Chairman of the Consumer Product Safety Commission. In 1985, she received the Secretary of Defense Medal for Outstanding Public Service.

Newman has dedicated herself to improving the status of women and minorities in the federal workforce. "There are many potential opportunities for women and minorities at all levels of government. The work is there, the opportunities are there," she says.

*The trouble with opportunity is it comes disguised as hard work.*

### Henry Ossian Flipper

Born into slavery, Henry Flipper and his family were freed when Union forces invaded Georgia in 1865. Four years later, on the recommendation of Congressman J.C. Freeman, he was admitted to the United States Military Academy at West Point. In 1877, Flipper became the first Black to graduate from the academy. Commissioned a second lieutenant with the Tenth Cavalry at Fort Sill, it was his regiment's responsibility to prevent Indians from raiding into Texas.

In 1908, he became a consultant to the Sierra Mining Company in Mexico. U.S. Senator Albert Hall called on Flipper, as an expert on Mexican politics, for information which was presented to the Congressional Subcommittee on Latin-American Affairs.

Flipper continued his service with the federal government as a Spanish language expert, and he was appointed Assistant Secretary of the Interior in 1919.

### Charles Richard Drew

Born in Washington, D.C., Charles Drew is widely known as a pioneer in the development of blood plasma and helping to establish the first successful blood bank. After receiving his doctor of medical science degree from Columbia University in 1940, he became supervisor of the blood plasma division of the blood Transfusion Association of New York City. From there he was appointed director of the Red Cross Blood Bank in New York.

During World War II he was appointed Assistant Director of the National Research Council, where he was responsible for collecting blood for the U.S. Army and Navy. Drew's experiments led to the development of the first successful blood bank. His key contribution was his presentation of evidence showing the longer life of plasma rather than whole blood, which often spoiled or was contaminated. The blood banks he helped develop were credited with saving the lives of many American and British servicemen during the war.

Today's federal service also has its share of Blacks who are making history. A growing number of "firsts" are still being scored in the federal personnel system.

### Looking Toward The Future

According to Newman's Office of Personnel Management, since 1982 the number of Blacks employed by the federal government has increased from 15.5 percent to 16.3 percent, with the greatest gains coming in the middle ranks. This is more than 50 percent higher than Black participation in the overall national workforce.

By the year 2000, the federal workforce is expected to include even more minorities. "As Director of the Office of Personnel Management, I can tell you the opportunities are really going to be there for Black Americans between now and the year 2000," says Newman. "As our workforce and work place change so rapidly, the real challenge will be finding people for our jobs, not jobs for our people."

## Pennsylvania Supreme Court Gives Green Light to Execute Black Journalist Mumia Abu-Jamal

The Pennsylvania Supreme Court has pushed Black journalist Mumia Abu-Jamal a step closer to the electric chair. On February 2 the court denied Jamal's petition to reargue his appeal--the second time in less than a year that court turned down his legal challenge to the racist witchhunt which condemned him to die. No legal barrier today stands between Jamal and the Governor's signing a death warrant.

Jamal, convicted of the 1981 killing of a Philadelphia policeman, was a well-known journalist at the time of his arrest, President of the Philadelphia chapter of the Association of Black Journalists, and prominent supporter of the MOVE organization. His regular column from death row appears in numerous newspapers around the country. "It says plenty about the racist death penalty in America that as millions celebrate Black History Month, the court has given the green light to snuff out the life of one of the most eloquent, insightful and compassionate spokesmen on the Black condition

in print today" said Linda Thurston of the Partisan Defense Committee.

Jamal wrote last March, "don't tell me about the 'valley of the shadow of death.' I live there." As a former Black Panther Party spokesman and outspoken MOVE supporter, Jamal has been in the cross hairs of Philadelphia's racist killer cops for over 20 years. At the sentencing hearing in 1982, the prosecutor got the death penalty by arguing that Jamal's membership in the Black Panther Party showed he was a committed cop killer. The prosecutor cited a 12-year-old interview in the Philadelphia Inquirer in which Jamal used the Panther

slogan, "All power to the people!" The prosecutor told the jury that a death sentence would never be carried out, that Jamal would have "appeal after appeal after appeal." For years the Pennsylvania Supreme Court held that this obviously false argument required automatic reversal of the death sentence. At Jamal's oral argument last March

Chief Judge Robert Nix warned the prosecution to not even try to justify it. Yet, the court disregarded its own precedent to silence the man known as Philadelphia's "voice of the voiceless."



TULTEX GIVES TO KING CENTER--Tultex Corporation contributed \$1,250 to the Salute to Greatness Dinner held in January by the Martin Luther King, Jr. Center for Nonviolent Social Change. The dinner is the annual fundraising event for the center. Tultex produces fleeced knit activewear and leisure clothing, and operates yarn and apparel manufacturing plants in Virginia and North Carolina. Robert Brown presents the check on behalf of Tultex Corporation to Mrs. Coretta Scott King.

## SCHOLARSHIP DEADLINE

High school students who are interested in applying for \$1,000 college scholarships should request applications by March 16, 1990 for Educational Communications Scholarship Foundation, 721 N. McKinley Road, Lake Forest, Illinois 60045. To receive an application, students should send a note stating their name, address, city, state and zip code, approximate grade point average and year of graduation. Sixty-five winners will be selected on the basis of academic performance, involvement in extra-curricular activities and need for financial aid.