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MED Week Awards Luncheon Oct. 5

King family member to address group

The Minority Business Opportunity Committee will host its annual Minority Enterprise Development Week Awards Luncheon on Wednesday, Oct. 5 at the Oregon Convention Center from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. For reservations, contact Lisa Williams at 503-988-5111, extension 22596.

The keynote speaker will be Martin Luther King III, president and chief executive officer of the King Center in Atlanta, Ga.

The son of the late Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. is carrying the torch lit by his father in his dedication to creating and implementing strategic nonviolent action to rid the world of social, political, and economic injustice has propelled him to the forefront as one of the nation's most ardent advocates for the poor, the oppressed and the disillusioned.

An inspirational and motivating speaker, Martin King is equally comfortable in high school gymna-

siums, corporate boardrooms, and university lecture halls. In 1986 Mr. King was elected to political office as an at-large representative of over 700,000 residents of Fulton County, Georgia. His tenure on the Board of Commissioners was marked by strong ethics legislation, purification of the county's natural water resources, legislation regulating minority business participation in public contracting, and stringent hazardous waste disposal requirements.

Mr. King is committed to the personal and educational development of youth and has initiated several programs throughout the years to support and nurture young people. Among them are the King Summer Intern Program designed

to provide employment opportunities for high school students; Hoops for Health - a charity basketball game held to increase public awareness of newborns suffering the affects of substance abuse; and A Call to Manhood - an annual event designed to unite young African American males with positive adult role models. One of Mr. King's ongoing collaborations is with the annual Kindness and Justice Challenge sponsored by Do Something, Inc.

Utilizing the principles of Kingian nonviolence, Martin King quietly



Martin Luther King III

exercised negotiation and persuasion to reach a compromise between Georgia legislators and leaders to change the state flag that was an offensive and divisive symbol for many Georgians. In the 1980's, Martin King was incarcerated for protesting against injustices in South Africa and for the release of freedom fighter Nelson Mandela.

Mr. King continued his fight for justice throughout the 1990's by addressing the moral and political dilemmas of Haiti, Nigeria, Australia, and Sierra Leone. He has led protests against the biased digital divide in the field of technology and has spoken to the United Nations on behalf of individuals living with the challenges of AIDS. In the spring of 2001, Mr. King hosted a series on the Wisdom Network cable channel entitled "The Wis-

dom of Dreams" The programs highlighted stories of individuals who were able to achieve extraordinary feats by steadfastly pursuing their dreams.

In 1998 Mr. King began his tenure as President of the Southern Christian Leadership Conference where he aggressively fought injustice on many fronts. SCLC convened police brutality and racial profiling hearings in several states that led to the passage of anti-racial profiling resolutions. The Stop the Killing-End the Violence campaign was the anchor for the successful Gun Buy-Back program that collected over 10,000 weapons across the United States. In 2003, Martin King co-sponsored the 40th Anniversary of the historic March On Washington with human rights organizations from across the country. His experiences as a committed son of the civil rights movement give him a unique perspective concerning critical problems facing our nation and world.

Mr. King was born in Montgomery, Alabama, the second oldest of four children to Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. and Mrs. Coretta Scott King. Throughout his life, Martin King has been nurtured among individuals deeply committed to the struggle for human rights and a nonviolent society. He received his Bachelor of Arts degree in Political Science from Morehouse College, and is the recipient of numerous awards and several honorary degrees.

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OAME Agenda Tackles Business Issues

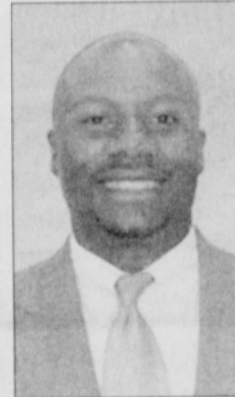
City permit process scrutinized

Association of Minority Entrepreneurs Minority Entrepreneurs will hold its "Coffee and Issues" forum, Friday, Sept. 30 at OAME, 4134 N. Vancouver Ave. (Skidmore and Vancouver Avenue) from 7 a.m. to 8 a.m., fol-

lowed by networking until 8:30 a.m.

Paul Scarlett, interim director of the Bureau of Development Services for the city of Portland, is the featured speaker.

The Bureau of Development Services issues building permits, performs land use reviews, promotes compliance



Paul Scarlett

with zoning code and state adopted construction code. All small businesses interact with this bureau at sometime and the information provided by Mr. Scarlett will be invaluable.

OAME's Small Business Profile will feature the Boanerges Group, a small minority-owned construc-

tion contractor located in north-east Portland, specializing in concrete flat work, fencing signs and guardrail. The owner is Sharon Maxwell Hendricks.

The forum is held to maintain communication between minority, women and emerging small businesses in Oregon and the general business community.

To RSVP call 503-249-7744 or oame@oame.org. Attendees are also encouraged to bring items to donate for a raffle.

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The PSU campus is located along the tree-lined South Park Blocks of downtown Portland, in the heart of the city's population, economic, industrial, and cultural center. With a current enrollment of approximately 25,000 students, Portland State is Oregon's largest and most diverse university, serving more students and conferring more graduate degrees annually than any other university in the state.

PSU recognizes that diversity in faculty, staff, and student populations enriches the educational experience, promotes personal growth, strengthens communities and the workplace, and enhances an individual's personal and professional opportunities. As a public university we have a special responsibility to work for equity and social justice and to make our programs truly accessible to our diverse constituents.

Our University values campus diversity and demonstrates this in campus programs and initiatives; we particularly encourage members of historically under-represented groups to apply to positions.

Portland State University invites you to view current openings on our website at www.hrc.pdx.edu.

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