



Black Citizens Coalition Support

The Black Citizens Coalition of Portland Neighborhoods receives financial support from the Safeway Foundation on Tuesday. Pictured are (from left) Willie Brown, coalition executive director, Shelli Curry, coalition office manager, and Dan Floyd, Safeway director of public affairs.

Steel Bridge Closures to Begin

The Steel Bridge will close to all cars, trucks and buses for about three months for construction on the I-205/Portland Mall Light Rail project. Crews will connect new tracks and signals to the existing tracks on the Steel Bridge, as well as do other maintenance work on the bridge.

Starting Sunday, June 1, seven bus lines that use the bridge will be detoured to the Broadway and Burnside bridges, and starting June 10, the Steel Bridge closes to all vehicle traffic.

Light-rail construction during August means Max trains will not

cross the Steel Bridge for three weeks for the rail tie-in work. Construction will occur around the clock during the expected three-week closure.

Riders can take a shuttle bus around construction between the Rose Quarter and Old Town/Chinatown Max stations, or walk or bike across the bridge. Walking across the bridge likely will take the same amount of time as using the bus shuttle.

For trip-planning assistance, visit trimet.org or call 503-238-RIDE weekdays between 7:30 a.m. and 5:30 p.m.

Inmate Recidivism Hearing

Aim for strategies to combat problem

Lawmakers will focus on reducing recidivism rates for people coming out of prison during a joint workshop of legislative committees chaired by State Rep. Chip Shields, a Portland Democrat representing north and northeast Portland.

The hearing will begin at 8 p.m. Thursday, May 29 in Hearing Room D at the State Capitol in Salem.

Experts and leaders in the field will offer information and testimony on the importance of re-entry programs, cognitive behavioral therapy, employment, transition services and what Oregon is doing to reduce recidivism.

Testimony will be provided by Richard Stroker of the Center for Effective Public Policy, Ken Robinson of Correctional Counseling Inc., Clariner Boston of Better People, Peter Sprengelmeyer of the

Oregon Social Learning Center and others.

Shields sponsored legislation creating the Public Safety Strategies Task Force to take a complete look at Oregon's corrections and crime prevention systems and how the state can do a better job of reducing future crime.

"Key to our ability to reduce crime is our ability to stop recidivism," he said. "Until we are focused on solving the very critical issues of housing, jobs and ongoing drug treatment for people as they come out of prison, we are going to continue to see higher than necessary rates of recidivism. This hearing will focus us on the problems people face coming out of prison and what are our best strategies for preventing them from returning to criminal activity."



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Bid Date: May 28, 2008 at 3:00 p.m.

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SUB BIDS REQUESTED

Portland International Airport
Headquarters and P2 Parking Garage (HQP2)
Bid Package #4 - All Other Work

Pre-Bid Meeting (Drywall/MEP only): June 4 at 9-11am
Pre-Bid Meeting (All Trades): June 4 at 10-11am
Bids Due: June 20, 2008 at 2:00pm
Bid Documents - Precision Images (503/274-2030) or www.bxwa.com

Hoffman Construction
Company of Oregon
Phone: (503) 221-8811 - Bid Fax: (503) 221-8888
805 SW Broadway, Suite 2100 - Portland, OR 97205 - CCB LIC# 28417

Questions concerning Subcontract/Purchase Agreement Terms and Conditions, Insurance, Bonding, and/or M/W/ESB requirements should be directed to: Jon Gracie, Tel 503/221-8811, Fax 503/221-8888, or E-mail: Jon.Gracie@hoffmancorp.com.

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Goods and Supplies
MERC Request for Bids -
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Bids are due by 11:30 a.m., Monday June 9, 2008 and can be submitted via certified mail, fax, electronic mail or hand delivered in person. Bid opening will be at 1:30 p.m. at the MERC Business Office.

MERC reserves the right to reject all or any Bids not conforming to the intent and purpose of the Contract Documents and specifications or to reject for good cause any and all Bids upon a finding of MERC that it is in the public interest to do so or to waive any informality or irregularity in any Bid or Bids. MERC further reserves the right to award the Contract at any time within thirty (30) days following the Bid opening date.

For any additional information concerning this request for bids, please contact Heather Olsen, MERC Construction/Capital Division Manager at (503) 731-7846.

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Bid Package #5 - Phases 3 - 9

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