

Lawyers

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The two lawyers together handled more than 2,100 cases in 2010 alone, the plaintiffs said. In allowing the case to go forward, U.S. District Judge Robert Lasnik said the evidence could support a finding that the lawyers were so overburdened that the appointment of public defenders in those cities is "little more than a sham."

Grant County has spent the past seven years making changes to its public defense system, including a reduction

Recent lawsuits in Washington have highlighted the problem with public defender caseloads

in caseloads, under a court settlement with the ACLU and Columbia Legal Services. In a 2010 state Supreme Court ruling, a Grant County boy who was convicted at age 12 of sexually molesting a young neighbor was granted a new trial after his public defender, who handled about 500 cases annually, failed to investigate his case and urged him to plead guilty. The boy was eventually exonerated.

Since Grant County's settlement, the county's felony



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REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

CITY OF PORTLAND
RFP NO. TRN 098
Bureau of Transportation

Price Agreements for (1) Land and Hydrographic Survey, Mapping, and Staking; and (2) Photogrammetric Mapping

Proposals Due By: 4:00 p.m., June 28, 2012

REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS The City of Portland, Bureau of Transportation requests proposals from Survey and Mapping firms for Land and Hydrographic Surveying and Photogrammetric Surveying. The Request for Proposals may be obtained from the City of Portland website at: <http://www.ebidexchange.com/cityofportland>.

Proposals shall be received at The Portland Bureau of Transportation, 1120 SW Fifth Ave., Room 800, Portland, OR 97204 until 4:00 p.m., June 28, 2012. Direct any written questions regarding this solicitation to: Richard Gray, 1120 SW Fifth Ave., Room 800, Portland, OR 97204, e-mail richard.gray@portlandoregon.gov, FAX 503-823-7609.

Proposals shall be reviewed by an evaluation committee in accordance with Chapter 5.68 of the Portland City Code. Proposers shall comply with the City's M/W/ESB and Equal Employment Opportunity Programs. The City of Portland is committed to increasing contracting, subcontracting and employment opportunities for minority, women and emerging small businesses. Proposers are required to evaluate project requirements to maximize use of M/W/ESB firms. Proposers are encouraged to conduct pre-submittal conferences and are advised to investigate all potential sources of M/W/ESB and maximize outreach to increase participation. Attention is called to Chapter 3.100 of the City Code relative to certification as an Equal Employment Opportunity Employer and compliance with the Equal Benefits Program. EEO certification and Equal Benefits Program compliance requirements are available on Procurement Services website at: www.portlandonline.com/omf/purchasing.

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Hendrix Park

Jimi Hendrix Park Project Manager Maisha Barnett, at right, shows Seattle Mayor Mike McGinn the design for the park. Immediately afterward, the mayor convened the Judkins Park Neighborhood Town Hall at the Northwest African American Museum on Tuesday, June 19. For more information about the project or to make a contribution, visit the Jimi Hendrix Park Foundation website, www.jimihendrixparkfoundation.org.



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caseloads per public defender have dropped from about 500 per year to 150.

The state bar association previously adopted caseload standards for indigent defense, but they were hardly enforced. Several years ago, the Legislature passed a law providing money to cities that made strides toward meeting the bar association standards; last year, a dozen cities

received grants ranging from \$2,500 to \$150,000.

With the standards now enshrined by the Supreme Court, they'll have more teeth. Lawyers who take on indigent clients will have to certify on a quarterly basis that they're complying, and courts could refuse to allow them to be appointed in such cases if they don't.

It isn't clear how much the new standards might cost cities and counties around the state. The amount is expected to vary depending on existing caseloads.



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The Oregon State Bar is looking for someone to provide a variety of administrative, secretarial, & clerical support for the MCLE Program.

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Send resume with a cover letter to Director of Human Resources, Attention: PA, Oregon State Bar, P. O. Box 231935, Tigard, OR 97281. Fax to 503-598-6985 or e-mail (MS Word format only) to hr@osbar.org. Equal Opportunity Employer.

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INVITATION FOR BID

KITSAP TRANSIT
RFP KT12-433A
TOWING SERVICES
PROPOSALS MUST BE RECEIVED BY
JULY 13, 2012 - TIME: 2:00 P.M.

Kitsap Transit is issuing an Invitation for Bid (IFB) to solicit responses from Towing Service Vendors for Class A, B & C vehicles.

Proposal documents may be downloaded at <http://www.kitsaptransit.org/capital/Proposals.html>, obtained at 60 Washington Ave., Ste. 200, Bremerton, WA 98337, or by email from gaylet@kitsaptransit.com

Mailed or hand-delivered, sealed bids will be accepted at Kitsap Transit's Main Administration Office, 60 Washington St., Ste. 200 (2nd floor Reception Desk), Bremerton, WA 98337-1888, Marked **IFB KT #12-433A**, on or before **2:00 p.m. PST, on July 13, 2012**. All bids will be opened and publicly announced in the Kitsap Transit Conference Room at 2:00 p.m. on the date shown above. Faxes will not be accepted.

Kitsap Transit reserves the right to reject any and all proposals without cause and to waive any informalities or irregularities.

Kitsap Transit, in accordance with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, 78 Stat., 252.42 U.S.C. 2000d to 2000-4 and Title 49, Code of Federal Regulations Department of Transportation, subtitle A, of the Secretary, Part 21, nondiscrimination in federally assisted programs of the DOT issued pursuant to such Act, hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively insure that in any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, disadvantaged 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.

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