

Ensemble tackles bullying

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The Teen Theatre Ensemble (TTE), a training program for local youth that introduces them to the many facets of theatre, will be performing the group's play called "Bullying" in a double bill with "The Movement" at the Arts Council Theatre, 610 Coliseum Drive N.W., on Feb. 19-21.

The North Carolina Black Repertory Company (NCBRC) sponsors the TTE.

Initially, the idea of TTE started from conversations between the NCBRC's Artistic Director Larry Leon Hamlin and Mabel Robinson, in the 1990s. Determined to foster young talent, Hamlin suggested to Robinson to begin theatre classes for youth.

Even though Robinson was extremely enthused about the idea, she did not have the time to devote to it because she was teaching at the University of North Carolina School of the Arts (UNCSA).

In January 2008, after becoming NCBRC artistic director, Robinson launched the Teen Theatre Ensemble, giving local teens the opportunity to be exposed to the many options available for professional careers in the performing arts industry.

Over a six-week period, Robinson, in addition to guest artists offering their expertise, teaches the ensemble theatre games and techniques, voice, directing, design and production, and other elements of play production.

During the writing process, acclaimed playwright Samm-Art Williams motivated the teens to get to the heart of bullying. As a result, TTE conceived a play about inner city youth, gang culture, and spirituality.

Williams returned to mentor TTE students as they developed this new work.

Even though the play focuses on one centralized conflict, director Jacobi Howard views it more comprehensively.

"Bullying is such a multilayered thing," he said. "If you want to look at the broad scope of things in America's history, war is a form of bullying ... immigration right now, a lot of people would see that as bullying ... I think that's what really attracted me most because I really wanted to play with the content and see if I could get a universal message out of this one centralized thematic element."

TTE has been very influential in shaping young artists. Current members Sierra Duckett and Nic Brown say the program instilled a sense of confidence in them that they will carry into their future endeavors.

"It brought me out of my shell and changed my personality and perspective," Duckett said.

"I know what I'm good at - acting and writing. I want to do all of that," Nic Brown says. "I've learned to trust myself on stage, to better myself at trying to be a leader."

According to a former member, actor Jimmie "JJ" Jeter, "I think Mabel really helped me to see that I am not just an actor, I am not just a dancer, I am not just a vocalist, but I could be all those things. And they could feed each other."



Robinson

M/WBE BID NOTICES

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS KERNERS MILL FORCE MAIN IMPROVEMENTS CITY OF WINSTON-SALEM

Pursuant to N.C.G.S. 143-129, sealed bid proposals endorsed "Kerners Mill Force Main Improvements" will be received by the City/County Purchasing Department in Room 16 of City Hall, 101 N. Main Street, Winston-Salem, NC until 2:00 PM, Tuesday, March 1, 2016, when all bids will be publicly opened and read aloud. Consideration will be given only to Contractors who submit evidence that they are properly licensed as required by Chapter 87 of the North Carolina General Statutes to bid and perform the work described herein as the general contractor and must have proper licenses under the state laws governing their respective trades at the time of bid opening. The City reserves the right to waive any informality in the bidding and to reject any or all proposals.

The **Mandatory Pre-Bid Conference** will be held at **10:00 AM, Tuesday, February 16, 2016**, in Room 16, City Hall Building, 101 North Main Street, Winston-Salem, North Carolina. **Prospective bidders are required to attend this conference.**

Bids will be received for a single prime Contract. Bids shall be on a lump sum and unit price basis, with additive alternate bid items as indicated in the Bidding Documents.

The project generally includes the parallel installation of approximately 8,400 linear feet of 24-inch ductile iron force main and appurtenances.

The Issuing Office for the Bidding Documents is: Highfill Infrastructure Engineering, P.C. at 2703 Jones Franklin Road, Suite 201, Cary, NC 27518, (919) 481-4342. Contact: Allison Andrews, aandrews@hiepc.com

Prospective Bidders may examine the Bidding Documents with an appointment at the Issuing Office on Mondays through Fridays between the hours of 8:00 AM and 5:00 PM, and may obtain copies of the Bidding Documents from the Issuing Office as described below.

Printed copies of the Bidding Documents may be obtained on or after **Monday, February 8, 2016**, by registering with the Issuing Office, during the hours indicated above. Fees for all documents obtained will be \$150.00 for the complete set of bidding documents.

Bidding Documents may be examined at the following locations:

A. Office of the City/County Purchasing Department, Room 324, City Hall Building, 101 North Main Street, Winston-Salem, North Carolina 27101, Monday through Friday, (336) 727-2983.
B. ISqFt Plan Room, 4500 W. Lake Forest Drive, Suite 502, Cincinnati, OH 45242, (800) 364-2059.

Neither Owner nor Engineer has any responsibility for the accuracy, completeness, or sufficiency of any Bidding Documents obtained from any source other than the Issuing Office. Obtaining these documents from any source other than the Issuing Office may also result in failure to receive any addenda, corrections, or other revisions to the Bidding Documents that may be issued.

Bid security shall be furnished in accordance with the Instructions to Bidders.

Compliance with the Clean Water State Revolving Fund (SRF) Special Conditions is required on this Contract. SRF requirements are included in the Bidding Documents. Also, compliance with the City/County Utility Commissions Minority and Women Business Enterprises (MBE/WBE) program is required on this Contract. MBE/WBE program requirements are included in the Bidding Documents.

The City reserves the right to reject all bids or any portion of any bid they deem necessary for the best interest of the City, to accept any item or group of items unless qualified by the bidder, to acquire additional quantities at prices quoted on the Bid Form.

Instructions for submitting bids may be obtained by contacting Jerry Bates, City/County Purchasing Department, Room 324, City Hall Building, 101 North Main Street, Winston-Salem, NC 27101, (336) 747-6939 or email (preferred): jerbyb@cityofws.com.

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Legal Advertisement Solicitation for Bids

Layne Heavy Civil (LHC) is actively seeking qualified Minority and Women-Owned Business Enterprises (M/WBE's) for construction of the South Fork Improvements-Contract 2 project for the City/County Utility Commission in Winston-Salem, NC bidding Wednesday, February 24, 2016 @ 2:00 pm. Subcontract and supplier opportunities include preconstruction audio/video survey; land surveying; temporary erosion and sediment control; clearing and grubbing; jack and bores; tunneling; seeding and sodding; cast-in-place concrete; precast concrete; ready-mix concrete; fencing; asphalt pavement replacement; painting, aggregates; mechanical; trucking; and pipe supplies and appurtenances. Plans and specifications will be made available upon request. Quick pay agreements may be available to qualified subcontractors and suppliers. Inquiries and quotations may be submitted to LHC (770) 969-4040 or faxed to (770) 969-4363. All bids must be submitted by close of business on February 23, 2016.

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LEGAL NOTICES

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA FORSYTH COUNTY

IN THE GENERAL COURT OF JUSTICE DISTRICT COURT DIVISION

IN THE MATTER OF:
MACAYLA HAIGLER
DOB: 04-24-02

14 J 273

NOTICE OF SERVICE OF PROCESS BY PUBLICATION

TO: "Jose" Last Name Unknown - putative father of the juvenile AKA John Doe

TAKE NOTICE that a Juvenile Petition seeking relief against you has been filed in the above-entitled action. The nature of the relief being sought is an adjudication of the Juvenile Petition filed by the Forsyth County Department of Social Services alleging Macayla Haigler to be a dependent juvenile as pursuant to N.C.G.S. 7B-101(9).

You are required to make a written answer to the Petition alleging to adjudicate dependent within forty (40) days after the date of this notice; and upon your failure to make a defense to the Petition within the 40 day period specified herein or to attend the hearing on the said Petition, the Petitioner will apply to the Court for adjudication to the above-referenced juvenile.

Any counsel appointed previously to represent you and not released by the Court shall continue to represent you.

If you are indigent and not already represented by appointed counsel, you are entitled to appointed counsel and provisional counsel has been appointed upon your request subject to the Courts review at the first hearing after this service.

The hearing on the Petition alleging to adjudicate Dependency is scheduled for 2:30 p.m. on Wednesday, March 23, 2016 in Courtroom 4-J of the Hall of Justice in Winston-Salem, North Carolina or as soon thereafter as the Court can hear the said case.

This the 5th day of February, 2016

Theresa A. Boucher
Attorney for the Forsyth County
Department of Social Services
741 Highland Avenue
Winston-Salem, N.C. 27101
(336) 703-3900

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Having qualified as Administrator of the Estate of Harry Edward Millner, also known as Harry E. Millner (15 E 2445), deceased April 29, 2015, Forsyth County, North Carolina, this is to Notify all persons, firms, and corporation having claims against the Estate of said deceased to present them to the undersigned on or before April 27, 2016 or this Notice will be pleaded in bar of recovery. All persons indebted to the said decedent or estate shall please make immediate payment to the undersigned.

This the 28th day of January, 2016.

Marlon Millner,
Administrator for
Harry Edward Millner, deceased
1612 Juniper Street
Norristown, PA 19401

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M/WBE BID NOTICES

Notice to Bidders Forsyth County Probation and Parole, 911 Center and EOS Offices 301 North Church Street Winston Salem, North Carolina

Trade Proposals will be received from pre-qualified subcontractors by Landmark Builders for the Owner at 2:00 p.m. on Tuesday, February 23, 2016 at 3520 Triad Court, Winston Salem, North Carolina 27107.

The project consists of the upfit of three (3) different areas within the Forsyth County Public Safety Center: Probation and Parole, 911 Call Center and EOC Office.

Each trade contractor will be provided an electronic set of bidding documents, which will be included in the Landmark Builders Bid Package Manual that is a part of the bidding documents. Documents may also be viewed at Landmark Builders offices at the address listed above.

Trade Packages will include: final cleaning, demolition, concrete, masonry, structural steel, cabinets and millwork, fireproofing, doors & hardware, fire shutter doors, glass & glazing, drywall, acoustical ceilings, floor covering, concrete polishing, painting, access flooring, lockers, fire extinguishers, demountable partitions, toilet accessories, hvac systems, fire protection system, plumbing system, electrical system and miscellaneous trades.

There will be a non-mandatory Prebid Meeting and MWBE Workshop at 10:00 a.m. on Wednesday, February 10, 2016. The meeting will be held at the project site located at 301 North Church Street, Winston Salem, North Carolina. Please contact Brian Ward at 336-784-2000 or bward@landmarkbuilders.com for meeting details. Attendance is highly recommended.

A MWBE participation goal of 10% has been established for this project.

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LEGAL NOTICES

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA

IN THE GENERAL COURT OF JUSTICE FORSYTH COUNTY DISTRICT COURT DIVISION

NOTICE OF SERVICE OF PROCESS BY PUBLICATION

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IN THE MATTER OF:
ADAM MICHAEL GOINS

DOB: 11-01-05

TO: John Doe - biological father of the juvenile

TAKE NOTICE that a Juvenile Petition seeking relief against you has been filed in the above-entitled action. The nature of the relief being sought is an adjudication of Termination of your Parental Rights with respect to the above-referenced juvenile pursuant to N.C.G.S. 7B-1111.

You are required to make a written answer to the Petition alleging to Terminate Parental Rights within forty (40) days after the date of this notice; and upon your failure to make a defense to the Petitions within the 40 day period specified herein or to attend the hearing on the said Petition, the Petitioner will apply to the Court for terminating your parental rights to the above-referenced juveniles.

Any counsel appointed previously to represent you and not released by the Court shall continue to represent you.

If you are indigent and not already represented by appointed counsel, you are entitled to appointed counsel and provisional counsel has been appointed upon your request subject to the Courts review at the first hearing after this service.

The hearing on the Petition alleging to Terminate Parental Rights is scheduled for 2:00 p.m. on Monday, March 21, 2016 in Courtroom 4-J of the Hall of Justice in Winston-Salem, North Carolina or as soon thereafter as the Court can hear the said case.

This the 11th day of February, 2016

Theresa A. Boucher
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741 Highland Avenue
Winston-Salem, N.C. 27101

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NORTH CAROLINA FORSYTH COUNTY

BEFORE THE COMMUNITY AND BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF WINSTON-SALEM HOUSING FILE 2012091464

COMPLAINT AND NOTICE OF HEARING SERVICE BY PUBLICATION

In the Matter of:
Property Located at:
1321 E. Second Street
Winston-Salem, North Carolina,
Known as Tax Block 0403
Lot(s) 104
On City County Tax Map

This Complaint and Notice of hearing is drawn and given under the provisions of the Housing Code of the City of Winston-Salem. It appears that the house located at 1321 E. Second Street, the property being known as Block 0403 Lot(s) 104 is unfit for human habitation under the standards-of-fitness prescribed in the Housing Code of the City of Winston-Salem.

You are hereby notified that a hearing will be held before the undersigned or his designated agent in City Hall South, 100 E. 1st Street, Winston-Salem, North Carolina, at 1:30 pm on the 7th day of March 2016, when and where all parties owning or having an interest in the aforesaid property may show cause, if any they have, why an ORDER should not be entered finding said housing to be unfit for human habitation and directing that it be repaired or demolished.

You are further notified that the owner of the aforesaid property and all parties in interest have a right to file an answer to this Complaint in the Office of the undersigned at any time prior to, or at the time set for, the hearing of this matter, and, also, to appear in person, or otherwise, and give testimony at the time and place above fixed.

This notice applies to all next of kin of the property owner(s) of the address at 1321 E. 2nd Street including known or unknown heirs, devisees, successors, transferees, legal representatives, (deceased) or any other assigns whether in being or not in being, or en ventre sa mere, including those under mental disability, in the military service, minors, the spouse of each, if any, the beneficiaries or trustees of each, if any, all other persons, firms, or corporations, active or dissolved, foreign or domestic, who now have, or might in any contingency have, or claim, or may hereafter claim, any right, title or interest or estate this property.

Stephanie Stimpson,
Code Enforcement Project Supervisor

Date Issued: February 4, 2016

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Having qualified as Administrator CTA, of the Estate of Margaret McGill Samuels, also known as Margaret M. Samuels, Margaret McGill Brown, Margaret M. Brown and Margaret Brown, deceased, of Forsyth County, North Carolina, the undersigned does hereby notify all persons, firms and corporations having claims against the Estate of Margaret McGill Samuels also known as, Margaret M. Samuels, Margaret McGill Brown, Margaret M. Brown and Margaret Brown, to present said claims to the undersigned, in the care of Renita Thompkins Linville, P.O. Box 20802, Winston-Salem, North Carolina, 27120-0802, on or before the 4th day of May 2016, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

All persons, firms, and corporations indebted to the said Estate will please make immediate payment.

This the 4th day of February 2016.

SAMUEL ERIC BROWN
ADMINISTRATOR CTA OF THE
ESTATE OF MARGARET MCGILL
SAMUELS ALSO KNOWN AS
MARGARET M. SAMUELS,
MARGARET MCGILL
BROWN, MARGARET M. BROWN
AND MARGARET BROWN

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