



# Community Connection



## Companies Donate Services to Good Samaritan Foundation

WASHINGTON, D.C.—The Good Samaritan Foundation, a nonprofit organization founded by former Washington Redskins stars Art Monk and Charles Mann, recently began renovating the Old Anacostia Museum in southeast Washington, D.C. into a training and outreach center. Located in the heart of Anacostia, the new 30,000-square-foot training and outreach center will house office, classroom, computer and auditorium space, which will be used for tutoring and lectures as well as administrative functions.

Currently, the foundation is headquartered in partially donated office space in northwest Washington, D.C., almost 15 miles from their core constituency in Anacostia, but the lack of permanent space in Anacostia directly impacts their initiatives. The foundation's primary focus is their Student Training Opportunity Program (STOP), which provides counseling, education and summer employment opportunities to career-oriented young people.

**The Clark Construction Group, Inc.** and other businesses are volunteering their time, talent and supplies to complete the facility. The Stephen and Jean Case Foundation has agreed to install a PowerUp site at the center. This unique initiative will give under-served youth in the community access to technology and the wide range of content on the Internet. In addition, the Metro Washington Chapter of ABC has designated the Good Samaritan Foundation Headquarters as their 2001 Community Service project. Other companies involved in this effort include:

Rodgers Construction Management  
Aceco  
American Wrecking Corps  
Union Dismantling  
Gilford Construction  
Kalos—Tie in utilities  
Opportunity Concrete  
Oncore  
Havens Steel  
Williams Erectors  
Global Iron  
American Iron  
PCC  
Maryland Applicators  
Tricon Construction  
ELT  
Material Distributors  
Fujitec  
Shapiro and Ducan  
Coakley & Williams  
Eastern Electric  
Truland  
Mona