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## MEDIA ADVISORY

### **Carlos Dixon to Defend his WBC Championship Title on January 18 at Memorial Auditorium**

### **New Youth World Silver Super Featherweight Champion is Motivated by His Hometown Pride and his Hometown Hero, Muhammad Ali**

**WHAT:**

Last Saturday, Louisville native Carlos Dixon brought home a WBC Youth Super Featherweight Title from his title fight in Kingston, Jamaica, where he beat Edinson Torres, Jr. in a sixth round TKO. Carlos will defend his first World Championship Title at Memorial Auditorium on January 18.

22-year old Carlos, who is trained by his father, James Dixon, goes by "RTG," which stands for "Return to Greatness." Like Muhammad Ali, Carlos is proud of his hometown and is hoping to become a champion *outside* of the ring like his role model, Muhammad Ali.

Ticket details will be announced.

**WHEN:**

Tuesday, November 26, 10 a.m.

**WHERE:**

Muhammad Ali Center, LeRoy Neiman Gallery  
144 No. Sixth Street, Louisville, KY

**WHO:**

**Karl Schmitt, Jr.**, President and CEO, Louisville Sports Commission  
**Donald Lassere**, President and CEO, Muhammad Ali Center  
**James Dixon**, founder and head coach, TKO Boxing  
**Carlos Dixon**, World Boxing Council (WBC) World Silver Super Featherweight Champion

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