

Handwritten Notes, "Rotary" 1972 July 19th

Rtary - Nov. 7/1972

Introduction - Law Clerk - Show
Planning in disguise - Follow baggage.

II) Flood Recovery Park Plan - Its origin
Its structure and process.

III) Its purposes: Citizen action group
a) Coordination b) initiate and c) Planning & Dev.

IV) Its apparatus: - Standing Committee and staff.

- 1) Equity & Legislation - Harold Rose
- 2) Road, Bridges & Transport - Mon Thompson - Edward Schetz
- 3) Education & Libraries - Michelle, Kiburn, Snodice
- 4) Flood Control - Rymorgan {The same Insurance}
- 5) Family, Health & Aging - Margaret Anderson -
- 6) Local Govt - The Union - John Holland {Bilotti}
- 7) Labor, Construction & Contractors - Consumer protection - Gordon

Fellow Council help - unemployment

8) State Aid - Andrew Hargreaves

9) Selling the Recovery story - Dr. Coono

10) Planning & Development - Kelly

11) Legal staff - Alex Anton

V) Major Accomplishments: -

1) Monitoring on mortgages & interest {Lo - Insurance}

2) SBA Legist - 170 - 5000 foreclosures -

Business loans - suspension of payments for aging

3) Federal assistance program

4) Single agency for planning review - E. & C.

5) National Publicity - for legislation & assistance.

6) The Bridges -

7) Mass Transportation

VI) The future -

- a) Fragmented communities (Bilotti)
- b) Fog models
- c) self seeking

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The Future

Our greatest problem now is to manage the recovery. Communities will now receive \$500,000,000 in redevelopment funds, in addition to SBA loans and other grants. Will this money be used wisely and properly in the best interests of its people, or will it be used carelessly and recklessly? There are already signs of extravagance and callousness ^{on the part of local Govts.}. Will we be so concerned with our personal problems that we will ignore those infinitely more important, ^{problems} affecting ^{not only} ~~our persons and all others?~~ ^{ourselves but every one else} If this occurs, we ~~will hate ourselves.~~ We will feel rejected and we will be defeated. We will fill our valley with hate and despair. If we are driven to truly help each other, to act intelligently, ^{deal} and fairly with each other, ~~and with those dependent upon us,~~ if we will look after the aged, the widows, ^{and} the children, ^{and} if we will demonstrate ~~good~~ qualities of dependability, cooperativeness and integrity, ^{we can} ~~reach the mountains and find life and happiness.~~ ^{new heights. We can find renewed}

The challenge ^{is} for all of us. It is for each of us -- for ^{every} ~~the~~ man and woman in the valley. For as Oliver Wendell Holmes once said:

"Life is action and Passion. I think it is required for a man that he should share the action and passion of his time at peril of being judged not to have lived."

