

Date: July 24, 1991
To: Metro Charter Committee
From: Ned Look
Regarding: June 27, 1991 Meeting with Multnomah County Cities

On June 27, 1991 I attended a meeting of Multnomah County cities. It was originally scheduled by the City Manager of Gresham and then was rescheduled by the Chair of the City Council of Fairview.

Attendees included:

Marilyn Holstrom, City of Fairview
Mike Casey, City of Gresham
Paul E. Johnson, Mayor, City of Maywood Park
Gwen Asdulleh, City of Gresham
Barbara Wiggins, City of Gresham
Gene Bui, City of Troutdale
Gussie McRobert, Mayor, City of Gresham
Pam Christian, Administrator, City of Troutdale
Sheila Arthur, City of Wood Village
Maureen Leonard, Multnomah County
Hank Miggins, Multnomah County
Fred Carlson, Mayor, City of Fairview

The purpose of this meeting was to transmit the cities concerns regarding the Metro Charter.

Discussion centered on the following topics:

- o What authority is Metro going to have under the new charter?
- o Who is going to pay (for regional government)?
- o What will Metro be allowed to do and not do under new charter?
- o Will they have any authority to take over any thing without voter approval?
- o What type of taxing authority will Metro have? Will they need to get a vote of the electors?
- o What is the power of this appointed committee vis a vis elected officials?
- o How will Metro's new charter impact local governments financially; implications of strained funding under Ballot measure #5?

I would be happy to answer any questions on the meeting or discuss this further.

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Betsy