

MEMO:

August 8, 1981

To: Oliver Larson
From: Sue Juba
Re: Program Committee
Metropolitan Citizens League

Should we have a Program Committee meeting prior to the August 19 Board meeting? The September 23 general membership meeting is to be on the effort to form a regional economic development organization, if my minutes are right!

I thought it might help you find a few good members if I listed all the folks who had indicated Program as an interest area. Many of them are probably involved with other committees (see the list enclosed with your last Board packet), but I'm sure there are some good people who haven't yet been very involved in the MCL.

I'll call you Monday to see if we can set up a time and place. I'll be glad to make the contacts for the meeting. Thanks!

MCL Members Volunteering for Program Committee:

Adamsak, Philip
Blunt, Beth
Carson, Richard
Cease, Ron
Chown, Frank
Chrest, Jim
Cogan, Elaine
Davis, Ed
Dueker, Kenneth
Giardina, Pat
Hauser, Robert
Lemley, Darleane
Lemley, Duane
Look, Ned
Martin, Ken
Meyer, Alice
Miller, Randolph
Costikyan, Frances
Peters, Mel
Peterson, Gene
Pintarich, Stan
Questad, Tom
Raubeson, Andy
Raymond, Burke
Sprecher, Laurence

Telfer, Stephen
Taylor, Jeff
Weil, Bob
Zehren, Jim
Dirker, Wm.
J. Paige Lambert
John Warner

BUDGET AND FINANCE - Pat Giardina

Budget for fiscal year ending May 31, 1982	\$11,000
Balance in accounts as of September 10, 1981	<u>4,455</u>
(From membership dues and contributions)	
Needed to balance*	\$ 6,545

*Contributions are encouraged and gratefully accepted!

MEMBERSHIP

Membership in the Metropolitan Citizens League is open to anyone interested in governmental and related issues and problems that impact on the greater Portland metropolitan area. There are currently 152 MCL members.

Bringing a friend or co-worker to a program meeting is a good way to introduce people to our organization. Individual membership dues are \$25.00. For more information, call 229-3097.

METROPOLITAN CITIZENS LEAGUE CALENDAR

Board of Directors' Meetings: 3rd Wednesday of each month

General Membership Meetings: September 23, 1981
November 25, 1981
January 27, 1982
March 24, 1982
May 26, 1982

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

<u>TRI-MET</u>	Last Monday of each month
Board of Directors	Water Services Bldg., 1800 SW 6th
	10:00 AM 238-4981

<u>METRO</u>	1st and 4th Thursdays
Council	Metropolitan Service District, 527 SW Hall
	7:30 PM 221-1646

<u>PORT OF PORTLAND</u>	2nd Wednesday of each month
Commission	Lloyd Bldg., 13th Floor Board room
	700 NE Multnomah
	9:00 AM 231-5000

<u>METROPOLITAN BOUNDARY</u>	Sept. 24, Oct. 22, Nov. 19
<u>COMMISSION</u>	Mult. County Courthouse - Room 602
	7:00 PM 229-5307

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Portland, Oregon 97201

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GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

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Roy Schnaible, Jr.
Dennis Ryerson
Ned Look

The topic of the September noon membership meeting is "WATERWAY USER FEES". Panelists will be Lloyd Anderson, Executive Director of the Port of Portland and Jack Weisser, Assistant General Counsel, Union Pacific Railroad. Boyd Levet, news reporter for KGW, Channel 8 television, will moderate the discussion, pose questions of his own to the panelists and field questions from the audience.

Call the office (229-3097) before Tuesday noon, September 22 to make your luncheon reservation. Bring a friend and introduce him or her to the MCL.

Date:	Wednesday, September 23
Time:	Noon
Place:	Tuck Lung Restaurant 140 N.W. 4th
Price:	\$5.50 (pay at the door)

Please note: Because we will be charged for all lunches ordered, reservations must be cancelled by noon, September 22, or member will be billed for the lunch.

PRESIDENTS' COMMENTS - Robert G. Simpson

Neither the Columbia River nor Portland will be ocean ports in the next century. The potholes in your streets are never going to be fixed. Sewage is poisoning your drinking water. These predictions need not come true. Projects for future MCL action are announced in this first issue of the NEWSLETTER and these subjects and more will be addressed. I urge each of you to call the office and sign up for one or more committee. Do it now. Don't miss the first meeting!**

GOVERNMENT STRUCTURE & FINANCE - Ron Cease

Last year, a number of governmental officials addressed the committee about problems and issues affecting the metro area. Proposed legislation was reviewed and recommendations made to the Board. Testimony and letters were presented to appropriate legislative committees in support of the extension of dues to METRO.

LAND USE AND URBAN SERVICES - Wm. Moshofsky

Our committee met over a dozen times last year pending state legislation impacting the metropolitan area. Primary focus was on the extent the state land control agency (LCDC) is controlling land use decisions and the process it uses. The committee was also concerned about the potential overlap between the functions of LCDC and the Metropolitan Service District on land use controls. Policies and positions were developed and, with approval of the Board, presented to the state legislature. Legislative action this past session did reflect some of the committees' concerns by reducing the role of LCDC and improving procedures.

** See the attached sheet for the scope of this year's studies. Return the tear-off sheet, call the chairman or just appear at the first meeting to get involved in the committee of your choice!

September 12, 1981

Mr. Boyd Levet
KGW - Channel 8 TV
1500 SW Jefferson
Portland, OR 97201th

Dear Boyd:

Thank you for being affirmative on our request for your help at the September 23rd noon meeting of the League at Tuck Lung Restaurant.

The two panelists will be Port of Portland Executive Director Lloyd Anderson and Jack Weisser, Assistant General Counsel, Union Pacific Railroad.

The League's interest in the Port stems from its basic relationships with all metropolitan governments - METRO, Tri-Met and the Port.

Waterway user fees are apparently crucial to the future of the Port. Port interests view the railroads as their chief opposition on this issue as well as on other projects such as the proposed new Bonneville lock. So the platforming of Anderson and Weisser makes sense for an instructive program.

We suggest questions that cover the Stockman-Reagan doctrine that the user pays - perhaps a few inquiries on the challenge of deep-water Puget Sound ports to the Columbia-Willamette and Oregon coast ports, and interrogation about the entire problem of who pays for inland river maintenance (notwithstanding the uncertainties of a restless Mt. St. Helens).

As to program format, we like the Buckley Firing Line style, with you in control cranking in an occasional audience Q & A and summarizing snappily after about 30 to 40 minutes.

We are deeply appreciative to you for this labor of volunteerism because with a journalistic professional in

Mr. Boyd Levet
September 12, 1981

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charge we won't be overcome with either a rail or port bias, and your own involvement is as boxoffice as the panelists.

If ;you have any additional questions, feel free to call me at my office (226-1132) or at home (235-9750).

Cordially,

Oliver Larson
Chairman
Program Committee

OL/sj

December 9, 1981

Mr. Mike Hartfield
Haywood/Larson/Hartfield Inc.
917 SW Oak, Suite 311
Portland, Oregon 97205th

Dear Mike:

On behalf of the Metropolitan Citizens League, I want to thank you so very much for taking time out of a very busy schedule to moderate our November program... and the day before Thanksgiving too!

It was obviously a very timely subject. We had over 70 people...I think that was an excellent turnout.th

You did an excellent job of keeping things moving smoothly and fielding questions expertly.

Again, many thanks for sharing your talents with us!

Sincerely,

Sue Juba

December 9, 1981

Mr. Bill Dirker
9313 NW Cornell Rd.
Portland, Oregon 97229

Dear Bill:

On behalf of your fellow members of the Metropolitan Citizens League, I want to thank you for taking time out of a very busy schedule to participate in our November program...and the day before Thanksgiving, too!

Your expertise was very much an essential part of the panel discussion. Obviously, from the excellent turnout, the subject was timely, controversial and, even after so many years, of interest and concern to many people.

Again, many thanks for sharing your knowledge with us.

Sincerely,

Sue Juba

December 9, 1981

Mr. McKay Rich
Washington Park Zoo
4001 SW Canyon Rd.
Portland, Oregon 97221

Dear Kay:

On behalf of your fellow members of the Metropolitan Citizens League, I want to thank you for taking time out of a very busy schedule to participate in our November program...and the day before Thanksgiving, too!

Your expertise was very much an essential part of the panel discussion. Obviously, from the excellent turnout, the subject was timely, controversial and, even after so many years, of interest and concern to many people.

Again, many thanks for sharing your knowledge and expertise with us.

Sincerely,

Sue Juba

December 9, 1981

Commissioner Gladys McCoy
Multnomah County Courthouse
1021 SW 4th
Portland, Oregon 97204

Dear Gladys:

On behalf of the members of the Metropolitan Citizens League, I want to thank you for taking time out of a very busy schedule to participate in our November program...and the day before Thanksgiving too!

Your contribution was very much an essential part of the panel discussion. Obviously, from the excellent turnout, the subject was timely, controversial and, even after so many years, of interest and concern to many people.

Again, many thanks for sharing your ideas with us.

Sincerely,

Sue Juba

January 12, 1983

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Bob Weil

Dear

I am writing to remind you to renew your membership in the Metropolitan Citizens League. As the new year begins, so too, do a number of activities you won't want to miss.

In 1983, The MCL Executive Committee has chosen to focus on three issues of importance. The first will consider how to finance basic capital services within the Urban Growth Boundary: storm and sanitary sewers; water supply systems and streets. In the context of Ballot Measure 3 concerns and the current state of Oregon's economy, financing capital facilities to support or maintain economic development, is critical.

A second major undertaking of the League this year is to consider the future of our regional parks. Lane County was forced to close many of its parks outside of Eugene due to funding and maintenance problems. Do we face a similar problem here? Who uses the parks? In a crunch, can we act regionally to get the best use for the most people? These questions and others will be considered by a newly formed Metro Citizens League Study Group.

The third effort is to create a permanent local government education program. It will present the structure of local government, the services it provides, and how they are financed. The final product will be a video tape presentation which can be given by an MCL member to civic and academic groups. We believe this will fill a void, particularly in schools, where little is taught about the level of government closest to most people.

Another activity is our monthly luncheon series. In the coming months, members will have an opportunity to listen to and exchange ideas on the following:

Date	Speaker	Topic
January 27	Dennis Buchanan, County Executive	Future of Multnomah County
February 23	John Anthony, President, PCC Joseph Blumel, President, PSU	The University & Community College: Competitive or Complementary?
March 23	Norm Winningstad, CEO, Floating Point	Oregon at the Crossroads

Date	Speaker	Topic
April 27	Sharron Kelley, Councilor, METRO	Keeping Our Regional Parks Intact (Panel Member)
	Larry Cole, Chman., Advisory Committee Tualatin Parks/Rec.	"
	David Talbot, Administrator Oregon State Parks System	"
	Robert K. Potter Co-founder, Ad Hoc Committee Multnomah County Regional Parks	"
May 25	To be Announced: Panel Discussion (Area Government Leaders)	
June 29	Tentative- Governor Victor Atiyeh	First Annual Address on State and Regional Relations

So, that is what we have planned for you, this year. The task forces are just now getting into gear and I would encourage you to contact me if you would like to work on one of the issues.

You may recall that our annual dues are \$25 per year for individual members. Because we were late in renewing your membership at the start of our new fiscal year last July, I am pleased to offer you this one time deal: \$35 to carry your membership through July, 1984. That's a 30% saving over two years! Other good news is that you can now write off your membership dues in the Metropolitan Citizens League for both your state and federal returns, subject to the provisions of Internal Revenue Code 501)(c).

One of my personal goals is to raise the Metro Citizens League's membership to 200. I hope you will help by returning your membership renewal today. Please note that it asks for prospective members you might suggest.

Sincerely,

Ronald Cease 66

Ronald Cease,
President

P.S. The League's special Metro committee completed its assessment of the operation and performance of Metro last year. The report was adopted with some modifications by the board of directors and released in December. We are now working on ways to follow through on the recommendations. If you have not received a copy of the report, we would be happy to provide one on request.



PROGRAM SCHEDULE
January-August, 1984

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| January 25 | Topic: | "Changing Directions in Health Care and the Impact on the Metro Region" |
| February 22 | Topic: | "Crime and Prisons in the Region: What Are the Perceptions? What Are the Realities?" |
| March 28 | Topic: | "Selling the Metropolitan Area-
Or- A Look at Its Amenities:#1"
Cultural Sports Environmenal |
| April 25 | Topic: | "Selling the Metropolitan Area-
Or- A Look at Its Amenities: #2"
What Does Our Regionwide Educational System Have to Offer?
What Are the Opportunities for My Kid? |
| May 23 | Topic: | "Selling the Metropolitan Area-
Or- A Look at Its Amenities:#3"
Governmental Regulations: Are They Really Sriving Away Business? |
| June 27 | Topic: | "A Regional Transportation Network: What Will Work for This Region and What Are Its Financial Implications?" |
| July 25 | Topic: | "How Is the Region Addressing Juvenile Delinquency?"
From the Perspective of the Juvenile Courts
From the Perspective of Local Juvenile Services |
| August 22 | Topic: | "What Is the Prognosis for the Region's Labor Force?" |

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PROGRAM SCHEDULE
January-June, 1983

January 26

Dennis Buchanan
new County Executive for Multnomah County
Topic: " A LOOK AT THE FUTURE WITH MULTNOMAH
COUNTY'S NEW COUNTY EXECUTIVE"

February 23

Dr. Joseph Blumel, President
Portland State University
Dr. John Anthony, President
Portland Community College
Topic: "STATE UNIVERSITIES AND COMMUNITY COLLEGES-
COMPLEMENTARY OR COMPETITIVE?"

March 23

Norman Winningstad, Chairman
and CEO Floating Point
Topic: " OREGON AT THE CROSSROADS"

April 27

Topic: A Symposium on Regional Parks

May 25

Topic: An Area Government Panel with Leaders
from Major Entities

June 22

TENTATIVE
Victor Atiyeh, Governor
State of Oregon

Topic: " A STATEMENT ON STATE-METROPOLITAN
REGION RELATIONSHIPS"

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GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING

DATE: March 23, 1983
TIME: 12:00 Noon
PLACE: Mallory Hotel
PRICE: \$7.00

SPEAKER:

Norman Winningstad, Chairman and CEO
FLOATING POINT

TOPIC:

"OREGON AT THE CROSSROADS"

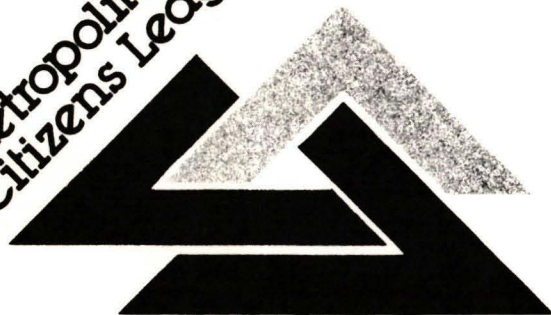
Reservations may be made by calling the office-229-3097- before Monday, March 21, 1983. Please cancel reservation if unable to attend

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GENERAL MEETING

DATE: April 27, 1983
TIME: 12:00 noon
PLACE: Mallory Hotel
PRICE: \$ 7.00

TOPIC

REGIONAL PARKS: PROBLEMS OR PANACEAS

SPEAKERS: A Panel on a Key Regional
Issue

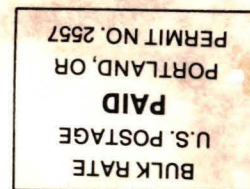
David Talbot- Administrator,
Oregon State Park System

Larry Cole - Chair, Regional Parks
Advisory Committee for Tualatin
Hills Parks & Recreation
District

Robert K. Potter - Co-founder, Ad Hoc
Committee on Multnomah County
Regional Parks

Sharron Kelley- METRO Councilor; Chair
Multnomah County Parks Commission

RESERVATIONS OR CANCELLATIONS: Please call 229-3097
before Monday, April 25. Persons not cancelling
by 2:00 p.m. on Tuesday, April 26 will be billed for
the luncheon.



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GENERAL MEETING

DATE: May 25, 1983
TIME: 12:00 noon
PLACE: Mallory Hotel
PRICE: \$ 7.00

TOPIC
FUTURE OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT —
NARROWING THE CHOICES: WHAT ARE
THE OPTIONS?

SPEAKERS: A Panel on a Key Regional
Issue

Gladys McCoy- Commissioner, Multnomah
County; Chairperson, Future of
Local Governments Group (FLGG)
Mark Gardiner-Director, Fiscal Admini-
stration, City of Portland
James Keller, City Manager, City of
Gresham

RESERVATIONS OF CANCELLATIONS: Please call 229-3097
before Monday, May 23. Persons not cancelling by
2:00 p.m. on Tuesday, May 24 will be billed for the
luncheon.

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GENERAL MEETING

DATE: June 22, 1983
TIME: 12:00 noon
PLACE: Mallory Hotel
PRICE: \$ 7.00

TOPIC

A LOOK AT POLICE IN THE METROPOLITAN AREA

- Their Areas of Responsibility
- How They Are Funded

SPEAKERS

Another in the Metropolitan Citizens League

"Key" Panel and Issue Series

Joy Burgess, Mayor, City of Milwaukie

Joan English, Interim Administrator,
Washington County

Fred Pearce, Sheriff, Multnomah County

Richard Walker, Deputy Chief of Police,
City of Portland

RESERVATIONS OR CANCELLATIONS: Please call
229-3097 before Monday, June 20. Persons
not cancelling by 2:00 p.m. on Tuesday, June
22 will be billed for the luncheon.

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LUNCHEON-GENERAL MEETING

Date: Wednesday, July 27
Place: The Portland Motor Hotel (*)
Pacific Room
1414 SW Sixth
Portland
Price: \$6.50 Lunch
1.00 Audit

(*) PLEASE NOTE CHANGE OF LOCATION
Parking available -hotel garage

A"Key Regional Issues"Series

TOPIC

Is the Library System About to "Check Out"-
or

Is the Free Public Library System Still Viable?

SPEAKERS

- James Burghardt - Director of Libraries,
Multnomah County
- Ralph Shoffner - Library Consultant
Ringold Management Systems
Beaverton
- Helen Parent, President, Clackamas
County-Wide Council of Librarians

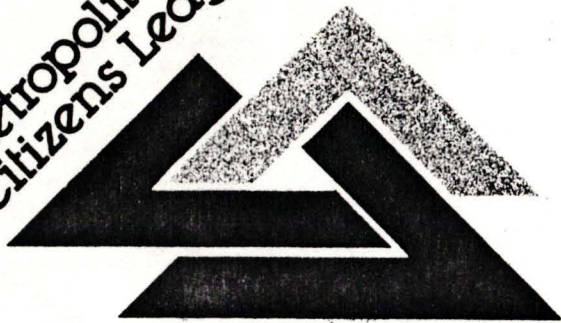
Reservations or Cancellations: Please call 229-3097, before two p.m. on Monday, July 25. Guests who fail to cancel will be billed

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Jerry Tippens
Oregon Journal
1320 SW Broadway
Portland, OR 97201

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File

6 September, 1983

Lloyd Anderson,
Executive Director
Port of Portland
P.O.Box 3529
Portland, OR 97208

Dear Mr. Anderson:

This is to confirm your appearance as guest speaker at the luncheon/general meeting of the Metropolitan Citizens League which will be held at noon on Wednesday, September 28, 1983 at the Jasmine Tree restaurant, 401 SW Harrison Street, Portland. Parking validation is available through the restaurant at the University Center Parking, 1851 SW Fifth Avenue, which is part of the METRO, Portland State Bookstore complex.

We are delighted that you will speak to The Role of the Port of Portland in Regional Economics: Trends. The Port's role in regional growth has been discussed frequently at board meetings, and was felt to be of considerable interest to the membership.

Please accept our thanks for taking time from your busy schedule. We shall be looking forward to seeing you on September 28.

Sincerely,

Beth Blunt
Executive Director



mailed
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13 September, 1983

Lloyd Anderson
Executive Director
Port of Portland
P.O.Box 3529
Portland, OR 97208

Dear Mr. Anderson:

I regret that it has become necessary to change the location of the MCL's September luncheon/general meeting from the Jasmine Tree restaurant in Portland to the Liu Chi restaurant at 818 SW Broadway. The restaurant is located between the Artic Circle restaurant at one end of the block and PP&L's new corporate building at the other, and across the street from the Music Box theater.

The time and date remain: noon, Wednesday, September 28, 1983.

Sincerely,

Beth Blunt
Executive Director



LUNCHEON-GENERAL MEETING

Date: Wednesday, September 28, 1983
(*) Place: Liu Chi Restaurant (across street
from Music Box theater)
818 SW Broadway
Portland
Price: Guests may order from the menu

(*) PLEASE NOTE CHANGE OF LOCATION

Early reservations are recommended.
Room capacity: 40 (approx). We regret that
space limitations preclude luncheon audit.

A "KEY" REGIONAL ISSUES" SERIES

TOPIC

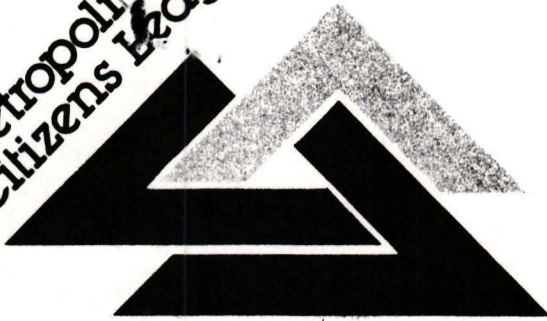
"The Role of the Port of Portland in Regional
Economics: Trends "

SPEAKER

-Lloyd Anderson- Executive Director
Port of Portland

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229-3097 before two p.m. on Monday, September 26.

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contact: Beth Blunt
tel: 229-3097

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For:Immediate Release

Event: General Meeting and Luncheon

Speaker:

-Lloyd Anderson, Executive Director,
Port of Portland

Topic: The Role of the Port in Regional
Economics: Trends

Place: Liu Chi Restaurant
818 SW Broadway
(across street from Music Box theater)
Portland

Date: Wednesday, September 28, 1983

Time: Noon

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PROPHET / HARLAN

E.S. Mills
City Manager
Hillsboro City Hall
205 SE 2nd
Hillsboro, OR 97123

Dear Mr. Mills:

Please accept our thanks for your willingness to participate as a panelist for our October luncheon program. We feel that this topic and the expertise that you bring to it will make this one of the most significant programs of the coming year.

Since our luncheon programs usually follow lunch, we try to schedule them as close to 12:30 as possible. We hope that 10-12 minutes will allow you sufficient time for your presentation, and also allow time for the questions which we are certain will follow.

Sincerely,

Beth Blunt
Executive Director



Luncheon-General Meeting

Date: Wednesday, October 26
Place: The Portland Motor Hotel (*)
Pacific Room
1414 SW Sixth
Portland
Time: 12:00 noon
Price: \$ 6.50 Lunch
1.00 Audit

A "Key Regional Issue" Series

TOPIC

CAN THE METROPOLITAN REGION SURVIVE A TAX
LIMITATION WITHOUT ALTERNATIVE SOURCES OF
FUNDING? What would be its effect on schools,
city services, county services?

SPEAKERS (3)

Dr Matthew Prophet- Superinten-
dent, Portland Public Schools
Dale Harlan- County Commissioner,
Clackamas County
Eldon Miles- City Manager, City
of Hillsboro

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229-3097 before two p.m. on Monday, October
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ELDON MILLS - City Manager of Hillsboro

Born 1926 - raised on a small ranch in Payette County, Idaho.

After military service (1944-46) attended the College of Idaho (B.A. 1951) - Graduate Studies at University of Oregon and Eastern Oregon State College.

Worked three years as a school principal in Malheur County plus two years as a supervisor in the County School Superintendent's office.

Four years as Finance Director of City of Ontario, Oregon.

One year as research assistant - University of Oregon Bureau of Governmental Research and Service.

22+ years with the City of Hillsboro - First 10 as Assistant City Manager - past 12 as City Manager.

Past President of Oregon Finance Officers Association

Past President - Oregon Section of International City Management Association

Past Member of Executive Committee of League of Oregon Cities

Presently Vice Chairman of CCIS (City-County Insurance Services Trust)

Presently Sr. Vice President of ICMA (International City Manager Association)

September, 1982

BIOGRAPHICAL SUMMARY

MATTHEW W. PROPHET JR.
Superintendent
Portland Public Schools
Portland, Oregon

Matthew Prophet, Superintendent of Portland Public Schools, assumed administrative leadership of the School District on April 1, 1982.

Dr. Prophet came to Portland from the superintendency of the Lansing (Michigan) School District, a post he held since 1978.

His prior experience as an administrator in public education was as Deputy Superintendent of the Lansing system from 1972-78, a post he held after serving in 1971-72 as a Fellow in the National Program for Educational Leadership and as Chief of Individual Training for Headquarters Fifth United States Army (1967-71).

Matt Prophet's military career included rising from private (in 1951) to the rank of lieutenant colonel at his retirement (in 1971). He also served as a personnel management adviser to the Republic of Vietnam, as adviser to the Ohio National Guard, and as a nuclear weapons analyst and unit commander for American forces in Germany and Korea. He is the recipient of some 28 military awards to include the Bronze Star and Legion of Merit.

His career in education also includes service as an adjunct professor in the Michigan State University College of Education, as Commissioner of the state of Michigan Tenure Commission and as board member of the Institute for Educational Leadership, Inc.

Prophet holds a doctorate in educational supervision and administration from Northwestern University, a master's degree in the same subject from Roosevelt University and a bachelor's degree in general education from the University of Omaha.

A native of Mississippi, Dr. Prophet is married. He and his wife, Freddye, have four children.

Edhan Mills
city mayor - 1 title bond

The impact of a limitation
on Local Gov'ts.

Interest in Referring to Voters
a sales Tax

Luncheon-General Meeting

Date: Wednesday, November 30, 1983
Place: The Portland Motor Hotel (*)
Pacific Room
1414 SW Sixth Avenue
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A Key "Regional Issue" Series

TOPIC

IS THE CLIMATE FOR BUSINESS REALLY NEGATIVE
IN THE METROPOLITAN REGION?

SPEAKERS (3)

- Steve Peterson- Director, Economic Development, Portland Development Commission
- Richard Bullock- Staff, Alliance for Economic Development
- Robert Baugh- Secretary-Treasurer, Oregon AFL-CIO

Reservations or Cancellation: Please call
229-3097 before two p.m. on Monday, November
28. Guests who fail to cancel will be billed.

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March 21, 1984

Mr Douglas Ferguson
1801 Rose Street
Berkeley, CA 97403

Dear Mr. Ferguson:

This letter is to confirm your speaking engagement at the Metropolitan Citizens League's monthly meeting meeting on Wednesday, April 25, 1984, 12:00 noon, at the Portland Motor Hotel, 1414 Southwest Sixth Avenue. Parking is available at the hotel for those who need it.

To carry out our theme for the year, "What Does It Take To Make A Region Livable?", April's topic will focus on regional library systems. As we discussed, I contacted Linda Alexander, Library Committee chair, but since she was out of town for a short skiing vacation, I was longer than I thought I'd be in getting back to you. By this time, I hope that she has reached you, and that you have had an opportunity to discuss the report she'll present, and compare notes.

Our format will consist of lunch at 12:00, followed by the speakers from 12:30 to 1:10 and adjournment at 1:30 p.m. Each speaker will have approximately 20 minutes with time for questions at the end. The meeting is informal, and attendance ranges from 45 to 50 people.

Thank you for agreeing to discuss the Fred Meyer project with us. It is both timely and important.

On another note, I am delighted that you will be joining us as a new member. I have enclosed a brochure will should provide you with some starting information, and a detachable membership blank.

I look forward to meeting you on April 25.

Sincerely,

Beth Blunt
Executive Director
cc

Metropolitan
Citizens League



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Contact: Beth Blunt
tel: 229-3097

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EVENT: Luncheon-General Meeting

TOPIC: SELLING THE METROPOLITAN AREA: A LOOK AT ITS AMENITIES #1

SPEAKERS (2)

Ronald K. Ragen, attorney
(Active in effort to make Performing Arts Center a reality)

Topic:

"The Role of the Performing Arts Center"

Robert Ridgley, Executive V.P. Northwest Natural Gas Co.;
Chair, Tri-County Convention and Spectator Facilities Task
Force

Topic:

"The Case for a Convention & World Trade Center"

Place: Portland Motor Hotel
Pacific Room
1414 SW Sixth Avenue
Portland

Time 12:00 noon

Date: Wednesday, March 28, 1984



JULY GENERAL LUNCHEON MEETING

DATE: Wednesday, July 25, 1984

PLACE: Portland Motor Hotel
1414 S.W. 6th

TIME: 12:00 Noon

COST: \$8.00; \$1.00 for audit only

TOPIC: A Plan for Developing an
Underused Regional Asset
Located in Multnomah County

Speaker: Dennis Buchanan, Multnomah
County Executive

Mr. Buchanan will reveal the recommendations of an advisory committee he appointed to study the unused capacity of an important regional facility located in Multnomah County. This will be his first presentation to the public on this topic.

Call 229-3097 for reservations by
Monday, July 23rd

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Metropolitan Citizen's League
1012 SW 6th Ave.
Room 252
Portland, Oregon 97201

February 11, 1985

Mr. Andy Cotugno
Transportation Director
METRO
527 SW Hall
Portland, Oregon 97201

Dear Mr. Cotugno:

We would like to take this opportunity to thank you for agreeing to speak at our monthly meeting on Wednesday, February 27, 1985.

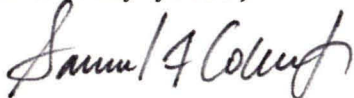
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Mr. Robert Post from Tri-Met will speak at 12:30. He will speak about the current Light Rail project. We hope that you can speak about future possibilities for Light Rail and specifically, some discussion concerning the proposed west corridor (or other locations) would be especially interesting.

If you will need special equipment, such as a slide projector, please let us know by Monday, February 25, 1985.

Lastly, perhaps you can provide us with some background information about yourself so we can give you a brief, but intelligent, introduction. We are looking forward to your presentation. If you have any questions, please call Muriel Goldman at 636-2283 or Dr. McKay Rich at 226-1561.

Sincerely yours,



Samuel F. Collie Jr.

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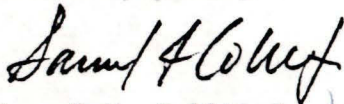
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It is my understanding that your presentation is self-contained. However, if you will need a slide projector, please let us know by Monday, February 25, 1985.

We are interested specifically in: How will Light Rail work; will it be successful; and will people use Light Rail? Mr. Cotugno will speak about future possibilities for Light Rail.

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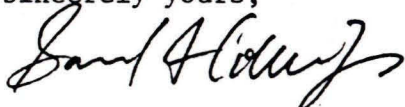
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March 13, 1985

Rick Daniels
Director of Land Use & Planning
Washington County Administration Building
150 N. First
Hillsboro, Oregon 97124

Dear Mr. Daniels:

Thank you for agreeing to address our monthly lunch meeting. We will have two speakers. Our other invitation was accepted by Mr. Ted Spence of the State Highway Division. We will plan to have you speak first. The luncheon will begin at noon and end by 1:30pm. We will have lunch from noon to 12:30pm. From 12:30 to 1:30 each speaker will have approximately twenty minutes for his presentation and the remaining time will be reserved for questions. Of course, you will be our guest for lunch!

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Ted Spence
Manager of Planning
State Highway Division
9002 SE McLoughlin
Milwaukie, Oregon 97222

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Crime and Prisons in the Region. What are the Perceptions and what is the Reality?

these need to be analyzed further

June (cont.).

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OCT 20th LUNCH

CAN THE METRO REGION SURVIVE

A TAX LIMITATION WITHOUT
ALTERNATIVE SOURCES OF FUNDING?

WHAT WOULD BE ITS EFFECT
ON SCHOOLS, COUNTY, SUCCES, CITY
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SPEAKERS (3)

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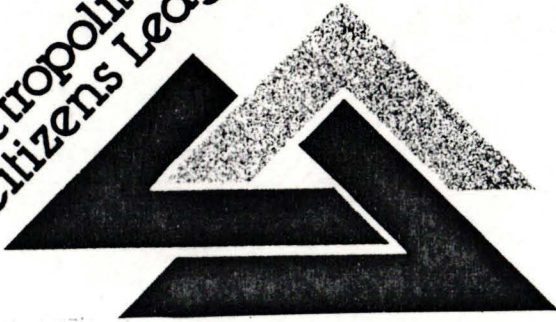
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1 June, 1983

Contact: Beth Blunt
229-3097

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EVENT:

Luncheon-General Meeting

Speakers (4) - A Panel on a Key Issue

- Joy Burgess, Mayor of Milwaukie
- Joan English, Interim Administrator,
Washington County
- Fred Pearce, Sheriff of Multnomah
County
- Richard Walker, Deputy Chief of
Police, City of Portland

Does the slogan, " Crime Doesn't Pay. You Do!" apply
to us? And, if it does, how are local governments
responding in the tri-county area?

TOPIC: A LOOK AT POLICE IN THE METROPOLITAN REGION:

- Their areas of responsibility
- How they are funded

PLACE: Mallory Hotel
729 SW 15th
Portland

TIME: Noon

DATE: 6.22.83

Metropolitan
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(Francis Hall)

KOIN - TV

To: Mary Fetsch

From: Beth Blunt

tel: 229-3097

re: Parks Committee
Report Survey

Script for Taped Spot

SFX: Could the unthinkable happen and the ~~City~~ ^{Portland}
of ~~Roses~~ ^{Alder} face the future without parks?

MAN: County parks are facing closure. Free ser-
(MCL) vices are becoming "fee" services in city
parks which are opening later and offering
less to city residents who have always felt
secure about the clean, well-tended areas for
recreation the parks provided.

~~Hello. I'm Lynn Dingler of the Metropolitan
Citizens League which was formed to identify
the regional aspects of metropolitan problems.~~

By the METROPOLITAN
CITIZENS LEAGUE.

A recent survey ~~we~~ conducted indicated an alarm-
ing change in the number of parks outside the
city, and the number of free parks and services
that cities within the tri-county area can afford
to provide.

ARE BEING
SOUGHT

~~THE LEAGUE IS SEEKING ALTERNATIVES~~
The Metropolitan Citizens League is looking for
Alternatives as economic pressures cause current
options for the metropolitan parks to dwindle.
Shorter hours and fewer services seem probable
in most city parks, along with fees for swimming
and tennis that weren't charged before.

shrinking
towards in
response to
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Counties are looking at parks as salable proper-
ties, ~~and~~ ^{open the} Open fields and neighboring lawns are ~~re-~~ ^{which are that doubtful as parks}
sponding to economic development by growing smaller.
~~pressures~~

Proposed solutions tend to suggest user fees, serial
levies, and finding people who are willing to act as

"Friends of the Parks". Are these enough? ~~Will they offer~~ ^{we'd like to} tomorrow's children the opportunity to ~~remember~~ ^{enjoy} yesterday's parks? ~~We'd like to hear from you.~~

SFX: ~~To find out how you can take action, write: The Metropolitan Citizens League, 1912 SW 6th Avenue, Portland.~~

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PSA #2- DRAFT

Contact: Beth Blunt
tel: 229-3097

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