



Weaver plans rationing bill

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Legislation to create a national gasoline rationing system will be introduced in Congress by Fourth District Rep. James Weaver.

Weaver is proposing the federal government allocate gas stamps to all persons 18 years or older based on available fuel resources in the country.

Weaver also proposes that 20 per cent of each stamp allocation go to local governments. The government allocation he explained would be used for purchasing fuel for government vehicles or to sell to the public to raise revenue.

Weaver will submit the bill to the House as an alternative to the energy package presented by Pres. Gerald Ford. Ford's proposal included a \$3 increase in the oil import tax which economic experts say would result in a 10-cent a gallon price increase.

Weaver said people who don't need fuel stamps "can sell them if they'd rather walk or ride the bicycle. It's an income supplement for the elderly and those who use mass transit."

Weaver said food producers would receive priority in obtaining fuel "to assure the maximum food production possible."

Under Weaver's bill the Federal Energy Administration would be responsible for developing guidelines concerning distribution of ration stamps.

The Fourth District congressman explained he proposed the rationing program because Pres. Ford's proposed energy program "would wreck the economy."

Weaver said he also favors a comprehensive energy conservation package including strict oil import quotas and tax credits for solar heating and home insulation.

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MEETINGS

A general EGSAC meeting will be held at 3:30 p.m. Thursday, in 180 PLC. Changes in the course procedures, degree requirements, and other matters of importance will be discussed. All English graduate students are invited to attend.

The Inter-Varsity Christian Fellowship meets at 7 p.m. every Tuesday at the Stafford Lounge in Earl complex. Tonight's topic is "Is Jesus God?"

There will be a meeting of the Incidental Fee Committee at 7:30 Thursday night in the EMU, room to be posted.

There will be a meeting at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday in the EMU concerning the strike proposal of the Oregon State Employee's Association. Les Strickler, president of the OSEA, and Don Kelley will be there to answer questions and speak.

The Gerontology Association Executive Committee will meet at 5:30 p.m. tonight in the EMU to discuss plans for the Winter Forum scheduled for Feb. 22. The room for the meeting will be posted.

The Journalism Student Union meets every other Wednesday, beginning this week in the Allen Seminar Room, third floor of Eric Allen Hall. The meetings will be at 12:30 p.m. and this week's meeting will discuss the dean search progress and the course survey. Pre-journalism or journalism majors welcome.

SPEAKERS

Leslye Russell of the International Socialists will

speak on "Mao's China and the American Left," at 7:30 p.m. Saturday at 1414 Kincaid St.

The public is invited to a talk by Larry Barber, assistant superintendent for research development and evaluation of Eugene School District 4-J at 7 tonight in Room 201A of the Clinical Services Building.

Bernard Cohen, a professor from Pittsburg will speak at 3:30 p.m. today on "Environmental Impacts of Nuclear Power." The colloquium, sponsored by the physics department will be in 150 Science. An outline will be distributed to the audience which deals with the environmental impact of nuclear power.

KWAX-FM 91.1

Tonight on KWAX, Rainbow Radio spotlights Niel Young, the man and the music. Also included is "Contact," a regular feature of Rainbow Radio.

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Smith new married housing assistant

To help married students who live in off-campus University housing deal with their special problems, the University housing department last Monday named Sally Smith assistant director of Married Student Housing.

Smith has lived in Eugene for 10 years. For the last five years, she has acted as coordinator of federally funded low-income housing projects.

Smith replaced Richard Helms, a temporary administrative assistant to Married Student Housing Director John Thorpe.

In searching for Helms' replacement, the department sent notices of the job opening to universities and employment agencies throughout the Northwest in November.

The department began interviewing applicants in December.

Smith was hired, she says, to perform three functions for married student housing:

- help married students find the various services they need that Eugene offers;

- improve and increase communications between married students and the housing department;

- help students organize the Married Student Housing Governance Committee, to increase student voice in department decisions.

Smith's contract, which gives her the wage and status of a University instructor, runs out in June.

"Housing is more than a roof over your head," Smith says, "it's making a person a part of the community."

New lights planned on Franklin Blvd.

Work is currently underway on a complete reconstruction of the traffic signal system along Franklin Boulevard, according to Harold Babcock, Physical Plant director, and Al Williams of the Eugene Traffic Engineering Division.

Williams said the reconstruction from Mill Street to Walnut Street is designed to eliminate conflicting flashing amber and red lights, provide more flexibility for inbound and outbound traffic and allow more flexibility for the traffic leaving special events at the University as they enter Franklin via Agate Street.

Babcock commented that the new system will improve all the pedestrian crossings on Franklin, but the primary concern was the crossing at Onyx Street and Franklin. He said the longer signal will allow adequate time to cross the street which is not the case now. "This has been a long awaited improvement...Hopefully it will make it a much safer crossing," he said.

A button will be installed at this corner for cyclists and food traffic, enabling them to control the light.

Williams predicted that the project will be done by early summer at a cost of \$400,000.

Student will serve as Fadeley aide

University student Cass Lindenberg has been named legislative liaison with State Sen. Edward Fadeley.

Lindenberg will serve as liaison between Fadeley, and lobbyists and constituents. She will also be Fadeley's secretary on the Senate floor.

"I hope to be of help to Senator Fadeley in his effort to close the gap between the Legislature and those who feel there is little chance for their voices to be heard," Lindenberg says.

Senator wants nuclear moratorium

SALEM—Sen. Ted Hallock, D-Portland, has introduced a package of bills which would refer the issue of a nuclear plant moratorium to the Oregon voters. The three bills, (SB-120, 121, 127) prohibit the issuance of site permits for nuclear-fueled power plants.

The bills would not effect the construction of the proposed nuclear power plant near Boardman on the Columbia River. Nor would they delay the anticipated opening this year of the Trojan nuclear power plant near Rainier, Ore.

They would, if approved by voters on an election date as yet to be set, halt all nuclear power plant plans for five years.

At the end of the moratorium, nuclear power plant contractors would have to begin a construction process which has generally taken at least 12 years in the past.

None of the bills have been referred to Senate committees.

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tered to obtain "time to get there."

Willard emphasizes, "Nondiscrimination is passive. Our program is positive action to ferret out traces of discrimination and discriminatory effects." Her office, for

example, is evaluating the work tasks of administrative and clerical workers to see that they are distributed fairly.

Alpert maintains that affirmative action has eliminated use of the "buddy system" for hiring professors. "The University has not lowered its standards," he says.

Only one case for reverse discrimination against a white male applicant for a teaching position at the University has been filed with the federal government. It was eventually dismissed. Female custodial workers, however, have recently been awarded back pay and wages equal to male custodial workers. Although there is "a tremendous backlog" of cases before the Equal Employment Commission, according to Alpert, the University has its own grievance procedure for handling complaints. Alpert says that HEW "picks areas and cleans them up."

No one has ever been fired to make way for a woman or a minority group member at the University, according to Alpert and Willard. Handicapped persons are a new addition to the affirmative action program, and sexual orientation is not included.

When asked if the current economic recession did not, in effect, make hiring procedures more selective, because those who have traditionally been denied access to academic positions, especially minorities, would be eliminated from consideration on account of the small number of jobs available, Alpert replied, "Competition is keener. The bidding is great." Willard says, "It's a slow process."

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