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Cathy Siemens, shown here speaking at the Lucille Hart Dinner, has announced that the Lesbian Community Project will receive grants totaling \$22,000 in January 1988. A grant for \$15,000 from the Needmore Foundation will be used for full-time staff salary. The other two grants, \$5,000 from the Ms. Foundation and \$2,000 from the Funding Exchange/National Community Funds will help with general sup-

port of the Lesbian Community Project. LCP also will receive a small gift from a local group called The Funding Conspiracy.

"It is LCP's vision of self-sufficiency which encourages funders to support us in our initial stages," Cathy Siemens says as she thanks the national foundations for the grants to LCP. More than 150 women pledge \$1,200 a month to the organization.

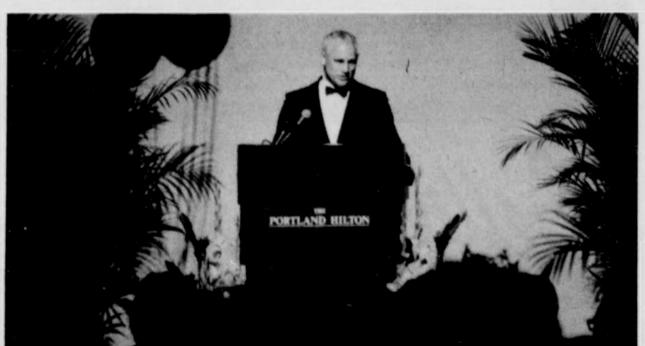


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The Honorable Neil Goldschmidt, governor of Oregon, addresses the largest gathering of gays and lesbians in the state's history at the Sixth Annual Lucille Hart Dinner on November

7. More than 700 people attended the \$65 per plate dinner sponsored by the Right to Privacy Political Action Committee. RTP PAC is one of the wealthiest PACs in Oregon.



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Sanford Director receives the Lucille Hart Award from John Baker. chair of the Right to Privacy PAC, at the Sixth Annual Lucille Hart Dinner. The award is given for service to the community; previous recipients include Gretchen Kafoury and Ann and Bill Shepherd.

Presenting the award to Sanford Director, John Baker cited Director's success as a fundraiser for the Red Cross, the Chester Brinker Fund — which he founded — and other organizations.

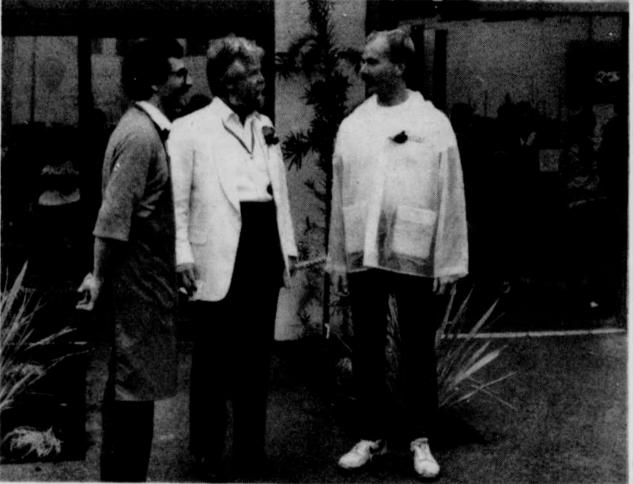


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Mayor Bud Clark congratulates architect Steve Fosler (right) and general manager Mark Lenetsky (left) on the occasion of their grand opening of the new quarters of Food Front Cooperative Grocery at NW 24th and Thurman.

The new store is the fourth in fifteen years for the cooperative. It is twice the size of the store's previous building and has a larger produce sec-

tion, a fresh meat counter and a service delicatessen.

Lifetime memberships to Food Front Cooperative are \$150 per household. Members receive a five percent discount on all items, but members who volunteer two hours a week receive a fifteen-percent discount.