

Model Cities Citizens hold workshop

Model Cities Citizen Participation working committee and citizen Participation department hosted a one-day workshop, Saturday, February 26, 1972, at Cascade Center. Guest speaker, was Walter Hundley, Director of the Seattle, Washington, Model Cities Agency. Hundley said the role of any Model Cities Agency should be to make a combined effort to bring about progressive change in the Model Cities Area.

About 300 people of the Portland Model Cities area attended the event from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Eight working committees of the Model Cities Citizen Participation structure were represented. The idea of the workshop was to formulate a nucleus of on-going training and citizen participation in Model Cities activities.

An informal rap session was held from 3 p.m. to 5 p.m. where chairman of the various working committees entertained questions from the audience. Mr. Hundley was available to answer questions from Portlanders about the Seattle Model Cities Program.

Guests at the workshop activities were served a menu of steaks and crab louie. The eight working committees are Health, Law and Justice, Transportation, Employment, Education, Social Services, Physical Environment and Housing, and Recreation and Culture.



Mrs. Regina Flowers, Chairman of Citizen Participation working committee was moderator for the day.



Registration desk was manned during the day by Bessie Bagley, Citizen Planning board member, Dorothy Rogers, Citizen Participation Working committee member, and Booker T. Wells, Citizen Participation Community organizer.



Ted Baugh (far right) chairman of physical environment working committee leads workshop discussion.



Physical department staff gives workshop information.



Employment working committee chairman Brozie Lathan leads workshop session.



Fred Flowers, Jr., chairman of Citizens Planning board was one of the platform guests.



Harold Williams, chairman of education working committee responded to questions during morning workshop session.



Pictured is Fred Ehelebe, vice chairman of Citizen Participation working committee.



SECTION TWO



Ellis Casson, Brenda Green and Fred Flowers.



Staff assisting registration, Charles Jordan, director, Brenda Green, Citizen Participation coordinator, Verlene Scott, Citizen Participation department secretary.

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