MAIL TO: McCall Plan
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OREGON'S DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE
COMPUTER DATA SHEET
ESTIMATED CHANGES IN TOTAL TAX LIABILITY RESULTING FROM
GOVERNOR MC CALL'S PROPERTY TAX RELIEF AND SCHOOL FINANCE PLAN OF 1973

OR PHONE
Toll Free
1-800-452-0330

PROPERTY INFORMATION

HOMEOWNER (Complete this portion if you own and occupy a single-family residence.)

a. What is the total 1972 assessed value of your residence (land and improvements—from your current tax statement)? . . . $_____ (1)

b. Where is your residence located—school district? . . . _____ (2)
—county? . . . _____ (3)

c. What is the 1972 property tax *rate* on this property (from your current tax statement)? . . . _____ (4)

RENTER (Complete this question if you rent the residence in which you live.)

a. What is your net monthly rent (excluding utilities and services)? . . . $_____ (5)

NONRESIDENTIAL PROPERTY (Complete this portion if you own property other than a single-family residence, such as vacation property, farm, vacant lots, duplexes and other rentals, business property, etc.)

a. What is the total 1972 assessed value of your nonresidential property (from your current tax statement)? . . . $_____ (6)

b. Where is your nonresidential property located—school district? . . . _____ (7)
—county?. . . . _____ (8)

c. What is the 1972 property tax *rate* on this property (from your current tax statement)? . . . _____ (9)

d. If you use the property for business, what is the 1972 assessed value of the business' inventories (including merchandise, stock in trade, livestock, farm machinery, etc.)?. . . $_____ (10)

INCOME INFORMATION

INDIVIDUALS

a. What is your annual adjusted gross income shown on line 17 of your 1972 Federal Income Tax Return (Form 1040)? . . . $_____ (11)

b. How many personal exemptions do you claim on line 10 of your 1972 Federal Income Tax Return (Form 1040)? . . . _____ (12)

c. Check one of the following to determine the deductions upon which you prefer to have this estimate based:

☐ Standard deduction.

☐ Actual itemized deductions—enter the amounts shown on line:

(a) 52 of your 1972 Federal Return (Form 1040) . . . _____ (13)
(b) 20 of your 1972 Federal Return (Form 1040) . . . _____ (14)
(c) 9 of your 1972 Oregon Return (Form 40). . . . _____ (15)

☐ Assumed itemized deductions equal to 15% of your adjusted gross income plus allowable income taxes.

BUSINESSES

a. If your business is incorporated, what is the total corporate income? . . . $_____ (16)
(What is the amount of salaries for persons owning or controlling 10% or more of the outstanding stock? . . . $_____ (17)

b. If your business is a partnership, what is your portion of the partnership income?. . . . $_____ (18)
(Do not deduct partners' salaries.) What is your portion of the partnership? . . . _____% (19)

c. If your business is a sole proprietorship, what is its total business income? (Do not deduct owner's salary.) . . . $_____ (20)

(NOTE: If you have more than one business, complete Nonresidential property portion and Business Income portion for each business.)

(to be completed by Department of Revenue)
ESTIMATED CHANGE IN TOTAL TAX: Decrease_____ Increase _____

Name:_____ Telephone:_____
Results will be mailed or phoned to you.
Address:_____
May we phone results to you? ☐ *Evenings?* ☐ *Weekends?*

(All estimates based upon 1972 income and values.)

The Department of Revenue has installed a toll-free telephone line so taxpayers may learn the effect of the McCall plan on their tax liability. Specific information is needed before the department can answer questions, and the above form should be completed before calls are made. Full-size forms may be obtained from the Department of Revenue, 202 State Office Building, Salem, Oregon, 97310, or from audit district offices throughout the state, according to Director Charles H. Mack.

Only if the taxpayer is prepared to answer all of the appropriate questions on the form before calling, will the department be able to provide correct information, Mack said. Forms may also be mailed before April 25 to P.O. Box 1973, Salem, Oregon 97308. The toll-free number is 1-800-452-0330. Phones will be manned from 9 a.m. to 10 p.m. seven days a week until election day.

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1 large onion	1½ teaspoons salt
¾ cup enriched corn meal	1 cup milk
¾ cup all-purpose flour	1 egg, beaten

Slice onion horizontally into ¼-inch slices; separate to form rings. Let stand in cold water for 15 minutes. Combine dry ingredients. Add milk and egg. Drain onion rings, coat each with flour and dip in batter, draining off excess. Fry in hot deep fat (375°F.) until golden brown, turning once. Drain on absorbent paper. Sprinkle with salt. Serve hot.

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Proposed Tax-Relief and School-Finance Program

FOR

"Main Street businessmen have much to gain by supporting Gov. McCall's tax-relief and school-finance program," according to the statewide chairman of the campaign to pass the measure on May 1.

John Piacentini, Portland retailer who operates the Plaid Pantry food markets, pointed out that the new tax program abolishes the business inventory tax.

"Eliminating the inventory tax, plus shifting the tax burden to support schools from the property tax to the ability-to-pay principle, means that about 90 percent of all Main Street business firms in Oregon will benefit under the tax-relief program," Piacentini said.

"Personally, I will probably pay more total taxes under the new plan, but I have no hesitation in supporting it, since it is probably the most equitable tax program ever offered to the people of Oregon."

Piacentini, who has been speaking in support of the tax program in cities around the state, said that he sees strong grass-roots support of the tax-relief program.

"Once people understand the basic idea behind the plan," he said, "they realize that the new program is to their benefit, since it will mean a total tax savings to 8 out of 10 Oregonians," Piacentini said.

"Opponents of the plan are trying to confuse Oregonians about the measure in hopes of getting them to vote against it. That's why we are urging people to study their Voters' Pamphlet to see how the plan will affect their own tax liability. They'll see that a yes vote is in their own best interests, as well as in the best interests of the whole state."

Piacentini explained that the plan basically eliminates the homeowner property tax to support school operations, and substantially reduces the business property tax.

"Since $130 million has been trimmed from the state budget, and since a modest business profits tax in addition to an upward revision of personal income and corporate income taxes will raise additional money, the result for 80 percent of Oregonians is that they will receive more back in property-tax relief than they will pay in other taxes," Piacentini said.

"The plan will benefit most merchants through abolition of the inventory tax, and will give property-tax relief to renters for the first time in Oregon's history."

Renters, Piacentini said, will be able to subtract 9 percent of their yearly rent from their state income tax returns.

"But the main beneficiaries if the measure passes," he said, "will be the school children of Oregon, since they will be assured of a sure financial footing for their education."

AGAINST

Outlining a seven point objection to Gov. Tom McCall's tax plan, Rep. Stafford Hansell, R–Hermiston, said Thursday the proposed plan would not benefit 85 percent of the voters as its backers have claimed.

"I contend 100 percent of Oregon Citizens will eventually be losers under the McCall Plan," said Hansell.

Hansell is co-chairman of Legislators for Responsible Tax Relief, a 37 member, bipartisan group of legislators speaking in opposition to the McCall Plan. The plan comes before the people in a special, state-wide election May 1.

Listed by Hansell as reasons for his opposition to the plan were:

*Establishment of a state-wide property tax.

*Loss of local school control and the power to hold budget elections.

*Creation of a poor business climate in Oregon and loss of jobs.

*Inequities and distortions in the school redistribution formula of the McCall Plan.

*Belief that the McCall Plan discourages thrift in the operation of schools while levying $2 local 'option tax' on all property within school districts without a vote of the people.

*Grave doubts about the fiscal integrity of the McCall Plan

*Belief that there are other, better plans ready to go if the plan is defeated May 1.

"The McCall Plan establishes a state-wide property tax," Hansell said. He added, "It took us 100 years to get rid of it. We should not be taking this regressive step again."

Concerning loss of local school control, Hansell said, "It is an insult to the intelligence of the people of Oregon to tell them that full funding from the state will enable them to maintain local control.

"He who pays the fiddler calls the tune," he said.

Hansell charged the McCall Plan would be, "a complete disaster to our competitive business position. A business seeking to expand will certainly look at the state's tax structure. We will have the highest income tax in the nation, one of the highest corporation taxes and a new business profits tax."

On the redistribution formula which returns money for school operation, Hansell said, "There is a general belief that the McCall Plan gives each student the same amount of money. This is simply not so.

"There are distortions and differences of over $1,000 per student," he added.

"The plan discourages thrift," he also charged. "If a school district saves any money, it will receive less from the state the following year.

"And the $2 local option tax of the plan will enable a $50 million enrichment, state-wide, over the existing levels. .WITHOUT vote of the people."

Hansell, a long term member of the powerful Ways and Means Committee, said he seriously questioned the fiscal integrity of the McCall Plan and reasserted the plan would put Oregon on a "collision course with chaos."

He said, "It is funded with six months of over-taxation; it uses three years of federal revenue sharing in a two-year period; it uses a total of $171 million of one-time revenue, never again to be available."

Such fiscal planning, he said, meant a "deficit in the destiny" of Oregon.

Hansell also outlined other, "more responsible" alternative plans "waiting and ready to go in case this is defeated." He said the Newbry-Hansell economy plan which he and Senator Lynn Newbry, R–Talent sponsored was one such plan.

Senior Citizens Back Tax Plan

The Oregon Council of Senior Citizens has endorsed Gov. McCall's tax-relief and school-finance plan and urged its members to vote "yes" on May 1.

Jack Nelsen of Gleneden Beach, council president, said that about 95 percent of Oregon's senior citizens, including 50,000 renters, will benefit from the proposed tax program.

Milton Sheldon, chairman of the council's legislative committee, pointed out that the new program allows renters to share in property-tax relief for the first time, as well as to receive benefits under the low-income property-tax relief program previously extended only to homeowners.

"Under the plan," he said, "renters will subtract 9 percent of their yearly rent from their state income tax forms. This is an obvious benefit to renters on fixed incomes."

Sheldon, a retired Portland teamster, said several hundred senior citizens throughout the state have volunteered to actively help obtain passage of the May 1 ballot measure.

My Neighbors

"Ha, foiled again!"

TREASURE VALLEY COMMUNITY COLLEGE ASSOCIATED Student Body officers for 1973-74 are from left, vice-president Pat Lau of Alea, Hawaii; publicity director Candy Le Febvre of Woodburn; president Dennis DeBord of Payette; treasurer Billie Matthews of Hood River; and secretary Teri Barton of Ontario.

Governor McCall Announces Toll Free Tax Information

One of the greatest responsibilities the state has is to inform voters fully to allow them to make good judgments. The voters have been asked to vote on May 1 on a property tax relief program, and it is essential that they have as much information about the proposed law as it is humanly possible to give.

A new source of information is made available today. The State Department of Revenue has installed 10 toll-free telephone lines to allow Oregonians throughout the state to learn the effect of the property tax relief program on them personally.

Oregonians may call from anywhere within the state, free of charge. The cost of the telephone service will be paid by the Department of Revenue. It is appropriate for the department to provide taxpayers with accurate, unbiased information about taxes. The department consults with taxpayers every day of the year to assist them. That is a service the state must provide to keep taxpayers informed.

Yet I anticipate there will be opposition to this program. Some of those opposed to property tax relief don't want the people to know about the benefits they will receive from approval of the ballot measure. Opponents of this program may very well carry on a campaign of confusion and sloganeering.

We don't fear the facts. We want voters to have a chance to evaluate this measure.

The tax information telephone service is in effect now. The telephone number is 1-800-452-0330. Any person may call the Department of Revenue at that number any day of the week between 9 a.m. and 10 p.m. to learn how he or she will be affected by the tax relief law. I hope all voters will take advantage of this opportunity.

The Old Timer

"If you reject your responsibilities, you must accept the consequences!"

Henninger Joins Simplot

Warren Henninger, Ontario, has been appointed to work in potato research with the J.R. Simplot Company Food Division, according to R. W. Kueneman, Simplot Vice President, Development.

In his new position, Henninger will be responsible for the design and implementation of research directed toward identification and curing of potato diseases and defects, and the improvement of grower cultural practices.

Henninger was raised on a potato farm in eastern Pennsylvania and received a B.S. in agronomy from Penn State University in 1967 and is completing his work toward an M.S. in Farm Crops from Oregon State University.

Prior to joining Simplot, he served four years as Malheur County extension agent, specializing in the production and marketing of potatoes and onions. He has served as an advisor to the National Potato Council and is a member of the Potato Association of America, serving on the extension and research committee. He was an advisor to the Malheur County Potato and Onion Growers Association and served on the Pesticide Committee to the Idaho-Oregon Fruit and Vegetable Association.

Henninger and his wife, Judy, will move to Caldwell in the immediate future.

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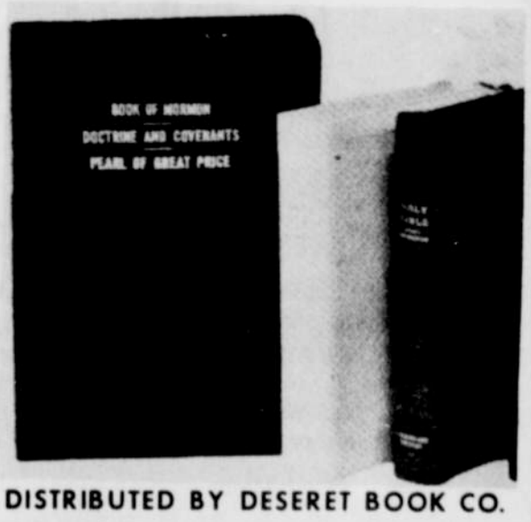

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