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"Towards a Sense of Community"

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MONTHLY MEETINGS:
Intro Tuesday 7:00 p.m.
Seward School Library
Roosevelt & Franklin Ave. East

APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

New membership _____, Renewal _____

If you live, work, or own property in the Eastlake area,
and agree with the purposes of the council, please join us.
\$2.00 individual; \$3.00 family or business.

Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____, I would like to work _____

SEND TO EASTLAKE COMMUNITY COUNCIL, 2201 Fairview Avenue East #10 98102

MEETING: The Eastlake Community Council will meet on Tuesday, March 19th at 7:30PM. The meeting place is the Seward School Library located at the rear of the brick building. Parking is available via Roanoke on the playground.

MEETING AGENDA

- I **OPEN DISCUSSION** on Planning and Programs, Policies and Purposes for 1974. This is a Special Meeting for the Eastlake Community. You will note in this issue of the ECC News a couple of attachments, the membership form and the community survey. If you do not choose to send these in, please bring them to the March meeting. At the March meeting interested persons, as well as current members, are asked to make a special effort to attend on the 19th. The Eastlake Community Council is concerned with the quality and tone of life in our immediate community, and how our goals and aspirations can be reflected in the larger community in which we live. This is a highly energetic and diverse community, but the success of the community is directly dependent upon the ability of its members to participate as a whole. For this reason, the members of the community are asked to come together at this March meeting to plan programs and to suggest policies for the coming year. Ask yourself, by what means can the Eastlake Community Council become more effective? What do you want from your community? Please be prepared to contribute to a productive discussion as to help to formulate the stuff that makes for a sense of community. If you can not attend, please send your ideas and suggestions to Phil Keightly, 2201 Fairview.
- II **TRAFFIC:** Some new information has come to light concerning the longstanding debate between the Engineering Department and the Eastlake Community. The Eastlake proposal concerns a cul-de-sac arrangement on Fairview, two-way traffic on Roanoke between Franklin and Boylston; signals at Roanoke and Eastlake and the resurfacing of parts of Fairview. This proposal will be analyzed considering the new developments. The possibility of reinstating the Traffic Committee will be discussed.
- III **FREEHOLDERS:** The Seattle Charter will be on the ballot March 26th. About one hundred and fifty candidates will be seeking fifteen positions. If you have any information on any of the candidates, or questions regarding the Charter or the Freeholder process, bring them to share with the other members. FREEHOLDER FAIR, MAR 23d, See following page.
- IV **EARTH DAY CELEBRATION:** Its been successful in the past and will be so again. Marty Klapper will lead us to the lambs or some other such offering. We will be seeking how to improve on a sure thing.

VALENTINES DANCE A SUCCESS

THANK YOU MR. BUMGARDNER and your delightful Partnership. The Valentines Dance and Silent Auction was a two hundred and fifty dollar success. The pleasure however, was in the good neighborhood party. The Point of the Matter provided the music led by Cliff's flute and the good offices of Alex, without whom Denise and Bobbi might not have graced the floors of Bumgardner's. The Eastlake Zoo donated the beer and the Cork 'n Bottle provided a case of auctioned-off wine. Paul provided a lovely lime pie, that's Paul of the Hines Public Market Sandwich Shop. Thanks also to Ms. Schlag for her solicitations and to Jack Erickson and Ed Dupas who helped with the beverages; plus all the people who donated things for the Silent Auction. The ECC officers of course did a whole lot. But Dan Reiss put the whole thing together, so to our historian our very special thanks.

MEMBERS, WATCH YOUR MAIL: Concurrent with the updating of the Eastlake Community Council membership, the council mailing list has been coordinated with that of the Central Seattle Community Council Federation. As an affiliate member of that organization, ECC members receive the CENTRAL SEATTLE REPORT, published twice monthly, on the first and the fifteenth. If you are a current member and do not receive this mailing, let Phil know and the problem will be rectified. Needless to say, the same goes for the ECC News. If you're a member and don't get it, Scream!

ECC NEWS CONTRIBUTIONS ARE WELCOME - SEND THEM TO KEN LONGMAN, 2711 FRANKLIN E. #5

MEET THE FREEHOLDERS: On March 23d, between noon and seven the voters of the City of Seattle will have the opportunity to see, talk to, compare indorsements of, and listen to all the Freeholder Candidates all under one roof. The Freeholders Fair will be held at the Seattle Center in the Flag Plaza Pavilion. The Central Seattle Community Council Federation, The League of Women Voters, CHECC, The Municipal League, and others are sponsoring this event (with a little help from ECC).

COMMUNITY BULLETIN BOARD, Complements of RANDY RUSSELL: Outside the Eastlake Zoo, at Lynn Street, now hangs the first and foremost Eastlake Community Council Bulletin Board. Notices of public hearings and Eastlake events snugly buffet the cross currents of community communication and the chance happenings of City Hall. Additional monuments to the concerned citizens of our community should soon dot our urban landscape. Without Randy's contribution of talent and materials, this inauspicious beginning would not have been possible. Besides that, his example is an inspiration to us all. So inspirational that the EASTLAKE COMMUNITY COUNCIL NEWS has decided to proffer for the first time The Pillar of the Community Award for Exceptional & Highly Esteemed Service. To Randy Russell, carpenter, woodworker par excellence and friend. Honorable mention goes to Mike and Ivan for their services during the creation, and to Paul and Brad of Zepplin Studio, temporarily used for this purpose. Rumors that Randy, a nice Italian boy from Wyoming, keeps a coyote and a cougar, lean as spaghetti and mean as garlic, is totally unfounded at this writing. We do know that Randy has done us a fine service. To the carpenter then, Pillar of the Community, our thanks.

PRECINCT CAUCUSES: On March 5th, the Democrats and the Republicans held their off-year caucuses. Those in the Eastlake Community were not attended as during the McGovern era, when houseboats were packed to sinking. These uneventful times nonetheless brought forth a few good souls. The ECC NEWS contacted Gretchen de Grasse on the democratic side, and Barbara Schlag of the republican. The following reports were gathered from these women, reflecting the concern of each for an increased local commitment to this channel of communication.

*Republican Caucus at Barbara Schlag's: It was an opportunity to formulate rather than simply approve or disapprove of the final result of the County, State or National platform and its standard bearers. The process at the precinct level was both stimulating and gratifying for those attending the Republican Caucus. The Republicans gathered on the same evening as the Democrats to investigate the question of impeachment, capital punishment, the structure of the legislature, revision of tax laws and many other issues of national, state and local focus. Opinions were recorded and submitted to the Republican Party for the development of future policy.

*Democratic Caucus at Gretchen de Grasse's: Discussion began with the consideration of local issues such as Woodland Park, The Arboretum, Sand Point and the issues on the ballot March 26th. Official party business began with voting on issues to be on the agenda of the County, State and National Democratic Party Conventions. A questionnaire was circulated concerning in part: 1) Should an excess-profit tax be leveled on oil companies, 2) should the state legislature be a full-time job, and 3) should President Nixon be impeached. Delegates to the 43d District Legislative Caucus and the King County Democratic Convention were elected. Those elected were Cathy Garrison Garrison and Ann McGuire.

Then the fun began, the adoption of resolutions by the 49th Precinct. Briefly, they were as follows: 1) Trident should not be located on Puget Sound, 2) electronic surveillance shall not be conducted without a warrant, and any evidence so gathered be deemed unlawful, 3) oil depletion allowances be discontinued and the nationalization of oil be considered, 4) consideration be given to alternatives to nuclear power plants, 5) that the Democratic Party support a graduated income tax based on the federal structure, 6) that medical and dental care be provided for all, 7) that the federal government immediately subsidize mass transit systems and 8) that the Equal Rights Amendment be ratified by all states.

LAKE UNION BIKE TOUR will be led by Dan Reiss on Sunday, March 17th. The tour will form at Smitty's Pankake House at 9AM for coffee. It will then circle and cycle southbound noting points of difficulty in the proposed bikeway plan as presented at our last meeting. Roanoke Bay, the City Light Steam Plant bridge, problems with rail crossings and other space and use problems will be experienced by these hearties. Don't miss the Fremont Bridge entry hassle, the Gas Plant Viewpoint, the expanse of Northlake Way and the University Bridge traffic dodge. Of additional interest to community minded folks: There will be a lot of Cascade Community Council people taking part, as many that is that can get across Mercer Street in one piece.

COMMUNITY SURVEY: Please fill out the attached survey and send it to ECC, 2201 Fairview #10 at your earliest possible convenience. The reverse has been left blank for your additional comments and recommendations. Remember also that the Eastlake Community Council needs a small measure of your financial support. Your membership and any other donation will help to efface the debts accrued in the battle over Roanoke Reef. The debt remains as substantial as the grey hulk in Roanoke Bay.