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April 23, 1979

Margaret Post 1874 West Skillman Roseville, MN 55113

Dear Margaret:

At its April tenth Board meeting, the members of the Board of Directors of the League of Women Voters of Minnesota voted unanimously to commend you and Kathie Gilder for the outstanding work you did in assembling Energy: A Guide to Information Resources in Minnesota.

The Directory provides a tremendous service to the State of Minnesota and its citizens. It is an impressive achievement that reflects credit on you and the League of Women Voters of Minnesota.

Sincerely,

Helene Borg, President
For The Board of Directors
League of Women Voters of Minnesota

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To: Florence Chichester

From: Margaret Post, Energy Education Project Co-Chair Re: LWVMN Phase II Energy Education Project Report

Date: January 29, 1979

Following is a brief listing of activities performed by Judy Burke and Margaret Post under Phase II of the LWVMN Energy Education Project:

Meetings: Organized a slide tape viewing of alternative energies slide show in Minnesota for Minnesota Energy Agency personnel

and the metropolitan library network's audio-visual direc-

tor.

Shared education experiences with Minnesota solar organization.

Attended statewide solar meetings.
Attended underground housing meetings.

Met with Senator Durenberger aide to discuss energy education

needs in Minnesota.

Films: Viewed energy films at the Minnesota Education Audio-Visual

Center.

Viewed films at University of Minnesota Audio-Visual Center.

Viewed energy films from Time-Life.

Advertised existing film program to teachers through Minnesota Department of Education monthly "Update." (Will send copy

when available.)

Purchased slide-tape show on alternative sources of energy in

Minnesota.

Purchased slide-tape projector.

Advertised slide-tape show in newsletter and Board Memo. Requested National Geographic energy films for review.

Newsletter: Designed and ordered paper.

Begain mailings list update.

Gathered information and wrote 1st newsletter.

Mailed newsletter to 200.

Directory: Got bids for publication of Minnesota Energy Resource Directory.

Received \$8566 contract from Minnesota Energy Agency to have

2500 copies made.

Made 85 copies of portions of directory for local League presi-

dents and others needing information now.

Placemat: Corresponded with LWVUS for approval and editorial assistance

with energy placemat.

Met with salesman who will show placemat at annual sales meeting

February 11.

Miscellaneous: Wrote letter to editor applauding energy article. Published.

Copy enclosed.

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Internal LWV Phase II efforts:

Reported on project in Board Memos and VOTER and to state Board.

Wrote Board/grant management policy for Board approval (enclosed).



news release

For more information contact:

Judy Medelman 224-5445

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Community leaders in the seven-county Metropolitan area are invited to attend an afternoon workshop on Friday, September 16, entitled "How Your Community Can Begin Energy Action."

Sponsored by the League of Women Voters of Minnesota, the meeting will discuss present programs and future plans of the Minnesota Energy Agency, the energy supply situation, community action and group "action on energy" programs.

Featured speaker will be Dixie Diehl of the Minnesota Energy Agency.

Ms. Diehl's presentation is expected to be of particular interest to

public officials, landlords, environmental groups and community organizations

such as the Jaycees and Chamber of Commerce.

The Workshop on Energy will take place from one to two p.m. on September 16 at the Oak Grove Presbyterian Church, 10155 Penn Avenue South, Bloomington. Registration is open to the public, and persons interested in attending should contact the League of Women Voters of Minnesota at 224-5445.



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Workshop Participants To:

Margaret Post, Manager, Energy Education Project From:

LWV Energy Education Project Workshops Re:

Date: January 19, 1978

#### JANUARY 28, ANOKA

FEBRUARY 4, OWATONNA

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Please call me (612-636-4409) with any changes. If you must cancel, we must know by January 25 for Anoka or February 1 for Owatonna. We have to pay for lunch if you come or not.

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February 14, 1978

Mary Ekren 251 Wegener Drive Breckenridge, MN 56520

Dear Mary:

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It was important to the workshop participants to know what others have tried so that they might balance ideas in the light of their own community's needs.

Thanks so much for adding to the quality of the day.

Sincerely,

#### REST OF ENERGY RESOURCE TRAINING RELEASE

Purpose of the program is (was) to train interested people from throughout Minnesota so that they can return to their communities as energy resource persons.

Participants will receive (received) backgrounding in the energy supplies, prices and outlook for the state. Presentations will also be (also were) heard on Minnesota transportation, energy and land use, and on public participation in power plant and power line decision-making.

Information about citizen outreach energy programs available in Minnesota will be (was) provided by Dixie Diehl, Director of Local Services for the Minnesota Energy Agency. Participants also will see (saw) films depicting the depleting oil reserves and the uses of solar energy. The films will be available for those in the program to use in their own communities.

Some of the functions of the energy resource persons in their home areas will include education of the public to energy problems; school outreach programs; sponsorship of energy fairs; the mobilization of local government to establish community energy policies.

Expenses for participants in the Energy Resource Training Program are being (were) underwritten by a grant from the U.S. Department of Energy, through the League of Women Voters Education Fund.

To: Workshop Participants

From: Margaret Post, Manager, Energy Education Project

Re: LWV Energy Education Project Workshops

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Ronald D. Visness Assistant Director Minnesota Energy Agency 150 East Kellogg Boulevard 740 American Center Building St. Paul, Minnesota 55101

#### VITA:

Mr. Visness is currently Assistant Director in charge of the Agency's Data and Analysis Division. The Division is responsible for insuring that the Agency's policy objectives are met in the areas of fuel supply, energy demand forecasting, data collection, statistical analysis, alternative energy development and energy facility evaluation.

Previously Visness had headed the Agency's Data Systems activity. In this capacity, he supervised the development of the Agency's major computer databases, including the Regional Energy Information System (REIS), the Minnesota/FEA petroleum reporting system, the Minnesota Geographic Location database (MNLOC), and the Energy Agency project control system.

Mr. Visness' past experience includes a year and one-half in Norway to help the Norwegian Regional College System develop its business data processing and systems analysis curriculum, two years as an assistant professor at the University of Minnesota to develop the evening program in Management Information Systems, and four years as an independent EDP and systems consultant.

Mr. Visness has a Bachelors Degree in Chemical Engineering and a Master of Science Degree in Business with a major in Operations Research. He has also completed the course work for a PhD in Management.



#### MINNESOTA ENERGY AGENCY

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#### BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION

#### Dixie Lee Diehl

Dixie L. Diehl is the Director of Local Services, which includes fuel allocation, emergency planning and response, citizen conservation outreach programs and liaison with local units of government for the Minnesota Energy Agency.

Prior to coming to State Government in October, 1973 to work on energy problems, Ms. Diehl worked in the agricultural field for eight years.

Raised on a farm near Des Moines, Iowa, Ms Diehl attended Central College in Pella, Iowa and the University of Iowa majoring in general science and physical education.



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February 14, 1978

Margit Johnson 613 Union Northfield, MN 55057

Dear Margit:

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Pat Ryan 9016 Kimbro Cottage Grove, MN 55016

Dear Pat:

I want to thank you for sharing energy education project ideas on the panel at the Anoka workshop. Your presentation was well prepared and clearly stated. Evaluations for the panel were most enthusiastic.

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Dixie Diehl, Director Local Services Division Minnesota Energy Agency 720 American Center Building 150 East Kellogg Boulevard St. Paul, MN 55101

Dear Dixie:

I want to thank you for all your efforts that helped to make the energy resource training workshops successful.

The workshop evaluations were extremely positive, and participants were grateful for your enthusiasm and for your concrete suggestions for energy-related activities.

I know that many hours went into the organization and coordination of the MEA's contributions to the workshop. Thank you for your cooperation. We look forward to projects in educating the public to the reality of the energy problem and offering ways they might begin to help solve it.

Sincerely,



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February 13, 1978

Dr. William Greene, Public Advisor State Planning Agency Capitol Square Building St. Paul, MN 55101

Dear Bill:

I want to thank you for your time and your presence at the energy education workshops in Anoka and Owatonna.

The evaluations were excellent, and I am receiving many positive comments about the attitudes and concerns you communicated to the people who were present.

Enclosed is a copy of the names and addresses of those who attended both workshops. I am notifying them next week that you may wish to contact individuals at some time as part of your energy-related communication/education efforts in the future.

Thank you!

Sincerely,

Margaret Post, Manager Energy Education Project

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February 14, 1978

Mr. Ronald Visness, Assistant Director for Data and Analysis
Minnesota Energy Agency
720 American Center Building
150 East Kellogg Boulevard
St. Paul, MN 55101

Dear Ron:

I want to thank you for your efforts that helped to make the Anoka Energy Education Workshop on January 28th successful.

The subject matter you discussed was essential for the persons wishing to be energy resource persons in their communities, and you presented it in a lively way.

Your expertise added credibility to the reality of energy problems.

Sincerely,



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February 15, 1978

Janet Peterson Minnesota Energy Agency 720 American Center Building 150 East Kellogg Boulevard St. Paul, MN 55101

Dear Janet:

I want to thank you for your presentation on the energy supply outlook at the Owatonna Energy Education Workshop.

Evaluations were excellent, and workshop participants appreciated the careful organization of your presentation and your ability to "paint a picture" of the energy issues.

Thank you for your contribution to the success of the Owatonna workshop.

Sincerely,

Margaret Post, Manager Energy Education Project

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January 10, 1978

Dixie Diehl, Director Local Services Division Minnesota Energy Agency 720 American Center Building 150 East Kellogg Boulevard St. Paul, MN 55101

Dear Dixie:

We are pleased that you have agreed to speak on "Citizens Call to Action" at 11:00 a.m. on January 28 at the Anoka Holiday Inn and at 11:00 a.m. on February 4 at the Owatonna Holiday Inn.

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Also enclosed is a copy of "Energy Dilemmas" and "Energy Options," publications of the League of Women Voters of the United States. Most participants will have recently taken part in an in-depth energy study using these booklets as background information. I hope that you will find them to be valuable.

Dixie, thank you for your many efforts in planning for these workshops. We expect a "full house" in Anoka (75 participants) and about 50 in Owatonna.

Please contact me at the earliest possible date if there are any problems with your involvement at the workshops. My phone is 636-4409.

Thank you for your cooperation.

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Margaret Post, Manager Energy Education Project

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To: Local League Presidents/Energy Resource People From: Marge Post, Manager, Energy Education Project

Re: Energy Training Workshops

Date: November 29, 1977

The League of Women Voters of Minnesota has been notified that its grant proposal for an energy education project funded by the Department of Energy through the LWVUS Education Fund has been approved. The Minnesota project has two aspects: the training of Leaguers who wish to be energy resource persons for their communities and the purchase and state-wide circulation of two films for general energy education, "The Bottom of the Oil Barrel" and "The Sunbeam Solution."

Plans are underway for one-day workshops for those who have expressed an interest in becoming energy resource persons. Workshops will take place at the Anoka Holiday Inn on Saturday, January 28, 1978, and at the Owatonna Holiday Inn on Saturday, February 4th. The purpose of the workshops will be to help us better understand the energy problem at the state level (Minnesota supply situation, Minnesota transportation problems and plans), to familiarize ourselves with Minnesota Energy Agency outreach programs, to relate our community energy information needs to existing state resources, and to exchange ideas on methods for serving these needs. The films, which give an excellent balanced view of the national and international energy picture will be available for viewing, and the means for getting them to your area will be explained.

(Over)

The DOE grant budget includes monies for travel and lunch for up to 2 Leaguers per League under 100 members or 2 Leaguers per 100 members for large Leagues.

This mailing is being sent to you because you expressed an interest in energy resource training or because you are a League president. If you are a League president and someone in your League is also receiving this mailing, they are listed below.

We would greatly appreciate your help in planning the workshops. Kindly fill out the form below and return to the state office by December 15th.

Who are you?	(L	eague)
Do you plan to attend the energy	workshop?	
Anoka (January 28)	Owatonna (February 4)	
Do you know Leaguers who have be energy education activities? (N	een particularly effective with c Name and address, please)	ommunity
Does your League have plans to p	promote an energy education activ	ity? (Explain)
What is the largest energy educ	ation need in your community?	

Have you seen the films, "The Sunbeam Solution" and "The Bottom of the Oil Barrel"?

Lebruary 14, 1978

Dear Sue;

The secretary is out for the day so you are going to have to endure my typing.

I want to thank you for sharing the Northfield energy projects with participants at the Owatonna workshop. Evaluations on the panel were excellent, and participants expressed enthusiasm for your frankness about what you had tried.

I though I was nearly done, and it is just begun! Why don't you come to St. Paul and join me for lunch soon? I'll be in Illinois from Feb. 22-27, so it might be after then. I'm getting worried about those mattress pads and sheets for your children.

If I can get an appointment with Dixie I'll sign a contract to compile the energy resource directory. Have to do the work now anyway because the person writing it has to leave the country in March.

I have written to 52 utilities, organizations, agencies, etc. for information regarding energy-related services, projects and programs. Please send any names addresses you might recommend that I contact pronto. Why did I ever say I would do this?

Also would appreciate suggestions about how to handle follow up information for "energy resource persons". Am planning a letter for the near future. Hope to see you in Fe $\dot{b}$  or March.

Sincerely,

Marge

Enclosed are 6 copies of report forms for our files. Forry for more to do!

#### ATTENTION POTENTIAL ENERGY EDUCATION WORKSHOP PARTICIPANTS!

Put down the cookie dough and fill out your workshop registration forms (or make one up and send it to LWVMN state office). After January 10th registration will be open to non-Leaguers.

Please hurry. There is limited seating available. (Remember that transportation and lunch are free for 1 - 2 Leaguers per League.)

	TENTATIVE AGENDA	,	nuary 28, 1978 February 4, 1978
	10:00 a.m 4:00 p.m.		
10:00 - 11:00	Minnesota Energy Supply Situat	tion	Ronald Visness, MN Energy Agency
11:00 - 12:00	Minnesota Transportation Probland Plans	lems	Mark Monson, MN Energy Agency
12:00 - 1:00 (Luncheon)	What to Do When a Power Plant/ mission Line is Coming	Trans-	William Greene, Public Advisor, State Planning
1:00 - 2:00	MEA Outreach Programs: Helpin Community Confront Energy Prob	_	Dixie Diehl, MN Energy Association
2:00 - 3:00	Energy Education Ideas: A Sha	aring	Leaguers
3:00 - 4:00	The Films: How to Get Them, We to Show them (viewing available)		

tear-off for NEW REGISTRANTS ONLY

The	League	of	Women	Voters	of		_ will	send
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to the energy workshop to be held in Anoka, January 28th,

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December 14, 1977

Dr. William Greene, Public Advisor State Planning Agency Capitol Square Building St. Paul, MN 55101

Dear Mr. Greene:

This is to verify our phone conversation of December 9th. The League of Women Voters of Minnesota Energy Education Project includes workshops on January 28th at the Anoka Holiday Inn and February 4th at the Owatonna Holiday Inn. I would be pleased if you could speak during the lunch hour at each of these workshops.

The purpose of the workshops is to give participants the opportunity to be better informed on Minnesota energy-related matters, to give them a base of sources they might use to educate their communities about energy issues, and to exchange ideas for energy education projects.

Would you speak about what citizens should do if a power line or plant is coming to their area? Participants may not know what the process is - including certificate of need. And they may not know about your position - what you can and cannot do for the public.

I am enclosing a form for a source list. I would greatly appreciate a reply. Would you also include a summary of your educational and work experiences?

Thank you for your help.

Sincerely,

Margaret Post, Manager Energy Education Project

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February 14, 1978

Jerry Jenkins District 12 Community Council 2380 Hampden St. Paul, MN 55114

Dear Jerry:

I want to thank you for sharing energy education project ideas on the panel at the Anoka workshop. Your presentation was well prepared and clearly stated. Evaluations for the panel were most enthusiastic.

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Thanks so much for adding to the quality of the day.

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February 14, 1978

Larry Kirchner 1300 Melrose Avenue St. Louis Park, MN 55426

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Barbara Maher 217 Viola Mankato, MN 56001

Dear Barb:

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February 14, 1978

Mr. Mark Monson, Transportation Specialist Minnesota Energy Agency 720 American Center Building 150 East Kellogg Boulevard St. Paul, MN 55101

Dear Mark:

I want to thank you for your time and effort that contributed to the high quality of the two energy education workshops in Anoka and Owatonna.

Your presentations gave participants an introduction to energyrelated transportation problems in a cohesive and comprehensive way.

We hope the training workshops will have laid the groundwork for more meaningful energy-education projects in Minnesota.

Sincerely,



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February 14, 1978

Helen Durand 219 South Lincoln Owatonna, MN 55060

Dear Helen:

I want to thank you for your help and for the efforts of the Owatonna League members who made our Energy Education Workshop in Owatonna such a success. The evaluations were excellent, and I feel that your League made a large contribution to the quality of the day.

I particularly want to thank you for the goodies that gave a personal touch and for your success in finding a projector and someone to run it.

Thanks for a great day.

Sincerely,

Margaret Post, Manager Energy Education Project

P:M



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February 14, 1978

Geri Nelson 1013 Vera Street Champlin, MN 55316

Dear Geri:

I want to thank you for your help and for the efforts of the Anoka-Coon Rapids Area League members who made our Energy Education Workshop in Anoka such a success. The evaluations were excellent, and I feel that your League made a large contribution to the quality of that day.

I particularly want to thank you for the hospitality extended to outstate Leaguers, and for Betty's success in getting the projector and running it.

Thanks for a great day.

Sincerely,



555 WABASHA • ST. PAUL, MINNESOTA 55102 • TELEPHONE (612) 224-5445

January 10, 1978

Dixie Diehl, Director Local Services Division Minnesota Energy Agency 720 American Center Building 150 East Kellogg Boulevard St. Paul, MN 55101

Dear Dixie:

We are pleased that you have agreed to speak on "Citizens Call to Action" at 11:00 a.m. on January 28 at the Anoka Holiday Inn and at 11:00 a.m. on February 4 at the Owatonna Holiday Inn.

The enclosed discussion guide is to aid you in the direction of your presentation. League participants will have a copy of the guide to aid them in their comprehension and questioning. One hour is allowed for your talk and a question-and-answer session.

Also enclosed is a copy of "Energy Dilemmas" and "Energy Options," publications of the League of Women Voters of the United States. Most participants will have recently taken part in an in-depth energy study using these booklets as background information. I hope that you will find them to be valuable.

Dixie, thank you for your many efforts in planning for these workshops. We expect a "full house" in Anoka (75 participants) and about 50 in Owatonna.

Please contact me at the earliest possible date if there are any problems with your involvement at the workshops. My phone is 636-4409.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

Margaret Post, Manager Energy Education Project

P.S. The Anoka Holiday Inn (January 28) is located on the south end of Highway 10, one-half mile north of Anoka. The Owatonna Holiday Inn (February 4) is located at the Highway 14 east turnoff of Interstate 35. Registration will begin at 9:30 a.m.



## LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS OF MINNESOTA

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January 10, 1978

Mr. Mark Monson, Transportation Specialist Minnesota Energy Agency 720 American Center Building 150 East Kellogg Boulevard St. Paul, MN 55101

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I greatly appreciate your efforts toward making these training workshops a success. We hope the interchange with interested and informed citizens from across the state will be beneficial to you and the Minnesota Energy Agency.

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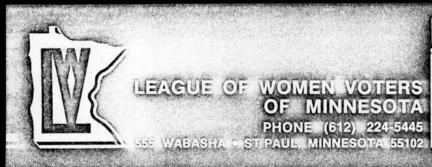
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news release

For more information contact:

Judy Medelman (612) 224-5445

# (to participants' daily or weeklies -

Three Moorhead residents were among participants at a regional Energy Resource Training Program held in Anoka recently. The program was sponsored by the League of Women Voters of Minnesota in cooperation with the Minnesota Energy Agency.

Attending were Jean Flanagan, Jan Valdez and David Hilde.

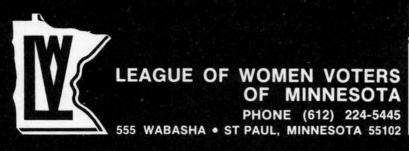
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Participants received backgrounding in the energy supplies, prices and outlook for the state. Presentations also were heard on Minnesota transportation, energy and land use, and on public participation in power plant and power line decision-making.

Information about citizen outreach energy programs available in Minnesota was provided by Dixie Diehl, Director of Local Services for the Minnesota Energy Agency. Participants also saw films on the depleting oil reserves and the uses of solar energy. The films are available for those in the program to use in the own communities.

Some of the functions of the energy resource persons in their home areas will include education of the public to energy problems; school outreach programs: sponsorship of energy fairs; the mobilization of local government to establish community energy policies.

Expenses for participants in the Energy Resource Training Program were underwritten by a grant from the U.S. Department of Energy, through the League of Women Voters Education Fund.



# news release

For more information contact:

Judy Medelman (612) 224-5445

#### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

The Owatonna area is one of two sites in the state selected to host a regional Energy Resource Training Program. The program is sponsored by the League of Women Voters of Minnesota in cooperation with the Minnesota Energy Agency. Local coordinators for the program are Kathy Staska and Carmen Bey, League of Women Voters of Owatonna.

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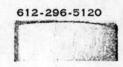
The alll-day workshop will be held in Owatonna on Saturday, February 4.



#### MINNESOTA ENERGY AGENCY

720 AMERICAN CENTER BUILDING 150 EAST KELLOGG BOULEVARD ST. PAUL, MINNESOTA 55101

BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION



Mark W. Monson

Mark W. Monson is the "Transportation Person" at the Minnesota Energy Agency (MEA). He is responsible for the Agency's total energy conservation program in transportation, including both planning and operational activities. Mark provides coordination on transportation concerns with the Federal government, other state agencies, transportation associations, and local transport operators. Through the Agency's Outreach Program, local units of government and the general public can receive transportation and energy information.

The Minnesota Energy Agency's present transportation activities include work on: the statewide transportation program, a driver's education program, promotion of a voluntary truck and bus fuel economy program and investigation of fuel saving techniques and devices.

Mr. Monson is from southern Minnesota where he graduated from Gustavus Adolphus College with a degree in Geography. He is also pursuing a Masters Degree in Urban

and Regional studies. Before joining the Minnesota Energy
Agency he worked for two years with a regional planning
agency in charge of transportation and water quality
activities.

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In order to avoid duplication of projects it is important to know what existing or planned energy education projects may be available to Minnesota communities. At the same time there is a need to know where to direct requests for certain types of energy-related into services and information.

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equipped to answer. The information will be made available to workshop members in January compiled and
Copies of the resource list will be placed in local public libraries.

If you have brochures that describe your energy projects or services we will be happy to include them in resource packets for workshop members. At this time we expect 50-75 participants.

Kindly return the enclosed form to me before January 10, 1978. If you have questions, please contact me at 612-636-4409.

Thank you for your assistance.

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November 7, 1977

Environmental Conservation Library
(ECOL) Minneapolis Public Library 372-6637 Julie Koplan

The library works through established library channels and mails materials directly to individuals. They publish a book catalog that is deposited in state-wide libraries. She suggested strongly that we have energy resource people make specific requests for materials at their local public libraries.

Todo: send copies of bibliographies to her.

Nobember 7, 1977

Environmental Education Council
Karen Loechler 296-2368

This council operates out of 13 regional environmental education council. They provide helpto schools through teacher training, energy curriculum workshops, Jr. High energy curriculum pilot test project, energy fiars. They do nothing in the area of consumer help regarding energy matters. The council has 169 volunteers across the state and Karen felt strongly that some of them would profit from and extend our efforts in training as resource people in their communities. Since the council is funded by the state there would be enough money for travel and meals etc. for their own volunteers.

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## LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS OF MINNESOTA

555 WABASHA • ST. PAUL, MINNESOTA 55102 • TELEPHONE (612) 224-5445

August 1, 1978

Ms. Dixie Diehl, Director Local Services Division Minnesota Energy Agency 720 American Center Building 150 East Kellogg Boulevard St. Paul, MN 55101

Dear Dixie:

The League of Women Voters of Minnesota submitted the final draft of the energy resources directory to you on July 27, 1978. Please remit the second half of the contract fee to the League office at the earliest possible date.

We are happy to have worked with you on another energy education project.

Sincerely,

Kathie Gilder Editor

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July 6, 1978

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To all organizations concerned pfisher 871-5703 with energy:

Common Cause/Minnesota has recently set up an energy task force. In order to avoid duplication of efforts and

to promote intergroup cooperation we are sending you this letter. Could you please send us a letter briefly describing your past and future areas of interest in the energy field.

We would like to compile these and distribute them. If you would like all or part of your reply kept confidential please indicate this in your letter.

Also, if you know of other organizations involved in energy that aren't listed below please tell us about them.

Thank you for your help in this project.

Sincerely,

chara Pokokny Richard Pokorny, Chairperson

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### LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS OF MINNESOTA

555 WABASHA • ST. PAUL, MINNESOTA 55102 • TELEPHONE (612) 224-5445

June 30, 1978

Mr. Gerald Allen Criteria Corporation 100 North First Street Minneapolis, MN 55401

Dear Mr. Allen:

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Kindly return the enclosed form to me within the week.

Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,

Margaret Post, Manager Energy Education Project

Name GERALD E. ALLAN
Address 100   ST St. N. Mps, MH. SS401 Phone 338.4761
Organization representing CRITERIA INC.
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Do you know of other organizations that are providing energy-related projects and information/service? Please name.

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June 30, 1978

Mr. John Boland, Chairman Regional Development Commission 300 Metro Square Building 7th and Robert Streets St. Paul, MN 55101

Dear Mr. Boland:

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For your information
Take appropriate action
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Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,

Margaret Post, Manager

Margaret Post, Manager Energy Education Project

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Minnesota Energy Agency



# LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS OF MINNESOTA

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May 18, 1978

Ms. Dixie Diehl, Director of Local Services Minnesota Energy Agency American Center Building 150 East Kellogg Boulevard St. Paul, MN 55101

Dear Dixie:

We are in receipt of the contractor's copy of the agreement to collect data and write an energy resource directory for the Minnesota Energy Agency.

This letter is to act as an invoice for the first half of the contracted fee, \$750. I would appreciate early payment to cover accruing costs of the project.

Sincerely,

Margaret Post League of Women Voters of Minnesota



# LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS OF MINNESOTA

555 WABASHA • ST. PAUL, MINNESOTA 55102 • TELEPHONE (612) 224-5445

January 31, 1978

Ms. Dixie Diehl, Director of Local Services Minnesota Energy Agency American Center Building St. Paul, MN 55101

Dear Ms. Diehl:

The League of Women Voters of Minnesota (LWVMN) is cooperating with the Minnesota Energy Agency in training citizens to be energy resource persons in their community. Energy resource persons need to know where to go for existing energy-related services, programs and projects within the state. A listing of such information would be valuable to libraries, schools and local governments and the broader public as well.

LWVMN proposes to supply the Minnesota Energy Agency with an energy resource directory including energy-related services and programs available to Minnesota residents through utilities, organizations, agencies and individuals. The LWVMN, through Margaret Post, Project Director, will be wholly responsible for the information collected, its organization, editing, and typing.

All figures are based on an assumption of one 50 standard size page resource directory. Total cost to the Minnesota Energy Agency would be \$1,000, exclusive of printing and mailing costs. If LWVMN should be responsible for the printing of 2,000 copies, total cost would be \$3,500. This figure is also exclusive of any mailing costs. The amount will be payable upon receipt of the material. Checks should be made to the League of Women Voters of Minnesota.

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Margaret Post League of Women Voters of Minnesota The League of Women Voters of Minnesota received a Department of Energy grant through the League of Women Voters of the United States Education Fund to conduct an energy education project. In cooperation with the Minnesota Energy Agency, League representatives have been trained as energy resource persons for their communities. Four films for general energy education are being secured and will be circulated throughout the state in the public library film network.

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# DEVELOPMENT OF REGIONS IN MINNESOTA

Regional Development Act of 1969 provided for creation of Regional the opment Commissions (RDC) in Minnesota. Twelve RDC's have been created together with the Metropolitan Council (established in 1967) cover all areas if the state.

w at of the organizational activity occurred during 1973, including: selection of ner bers, selection of officers, preparation and adoption of bylaws, selection of of the location and recruiting of executive director and staff. The commissions formed only after local governments representing a majority of the progration in each region petitioned the governor requesting their formation.

two commission selects its own chairman, staff, and develops its own work program and priorities for action.

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fach fiscal year, each commission prepares a detailed overall program design or program to use as a management tool in conducting its activities. These programs are vehicles for involving state agencies in the review of to participate in the review tersions on each commission's plan.

\*\*e governor has designated RDC's as regional clearinghouses. This means they the authority to review applications from governmental units for state and lederal assistance.

\*\*\* Office of Local and Urban Affairs in State Planning Agency has been charged \* th responsibility of coordinating the state's assistance program to RDC's.

#### REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT COMMISSIONS

State Planning Agency Room 101, Capitol Square Building 555 Cedar Street 51 Paul 55101 (612) 296-2007

Law provides: Membership of regional development commissions consists o' local elected officials — county, city, township, school board — who are selected by the groups they represent and representatives of public interest groups (selected by the elected officials) in the region. Minnesota Statutes,

All of the twelve commissions are now organized, staffed and operating. The Metropolitan Council, established by Minnesota Statutes, Chapter 473B, represents Region 11.

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REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION DISTRICTS The League of Women Voters of Minnesota is compiling information on energy-related services, programs and projects available to Minnesotans. Information is being arranged by region and county indicating energy education programs, research and services. The Minnesota Energy Agency will publish the directory. It will be provided to local governments, energy resource persons and public libraries within the state.

We would like to include your organization in our directory, but we have not received a completed questionnaire. Another copy of the questionnaire is on the reverse side of this letter. Kindly fill it out and return it today. The deadline for directory compilation is near.

Thank you for your assistance. Your cooperation will help to make the directory a more complete guide for Minnesota citizens and statewide energy planning.

Sincerely,

Margaret Post, Manager Energy Education Project



# LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS OF MINNESOTA

555 WABASHA • ST. PAUL, MINNESOTA 55102 • TELEPHONE (612) 224-5445

March 15, 1978

PROJECT PROPOSAL: ENERGY RESOURCE DIRECTORY FOR MINNESOTA

The League of Women Voters of Minnesota proposes to produce an Energy Resource Directory for Minnesota in cooperation with the Minnesota Energy Agency.

Definition

An Energy Resource Directory will be a compilation of existing energyrelated services, programs and projects available in Minnesota. It will be designed to aid individuals and groups get specific energyrelated information and services. In looseleaf format it would be part of the Energy Awareness Handbook for local governments in Minnesota designed by the Minnesota Energy Agency. The information in the Energy Resource Directory would also be made available to the public by distributing copies of the Directory to public libraries, vocationaltechnical energy resource centers, community colleges and key energy resource persons including League of Women Voters members trained as energy resource people at one of the training sessions offered jointly by the League of Women Voters of Minnesota and the Minnesota Energy Agency.

**Objectives** 

The Energy Resource Directory will

. direct households to appropriate groups or agencies for energyrelated assistance or information;

. provide easy access to existing energy resources for groups interested in promoting energy education activities and programs in their communities;

. make explicit to the public the specific services offered by existing energy-related projects and programs;

provide a reference tool that can be easily updated;

. provide a tangible measure of existing energy efforts in Minnesota;

· provide the groundwork for evaluation of existing energy efforts in Minnesota and a base for long-term energy service planning for the state.

Program Description

Information about existing energy-related services, programs, and projects available in Minnesota will be gathered by mailed questionnaires and personal interviews. Information will be gathered not only from Minnesotabased groups, but also from national energy-related organizations that serve Minnesota. The emphasis of the Directory will be on services available to regional or larger-than-regional areas of the state. Of particular importance in the project will be the definition of services available through

the Minnesota Energy Agency and other governmental bodies. The Directory will also include programs available in specific metropolitan areas of the state. In addition, the Directory will include descriptions of exemplary programs servicing small population centers as examples of what other communities can do.

The Directory will include the following information about each energyrelated service, program, or project:

- . name of organization
- . address, phone, and contact person
- description of existing and planned program(s), project(s), and/or service(s)
- definition of clientele the program(s), project(s), and/or service(s) will serve.

Approximately 150 questionnaires will be mailed. All organizations not responding to the questionnaire will be contacted by phone.

Definition of Responsibilities

The Energy Resource Directory will be produced cooperatively by the League of Women Voters of Minnesota and the Minnesota Energy Agency. The League of Women Voters of Minnesota will be responsible for

- collecting information about existing and planned energy-related services, programs, and projects in Minnesota;
- . organizing the collected data and writing the Directory;
- . typing the Directory.

The Minnesota Energy Agency will be responsible for

- . printing the Directory;
- . mailing the Directory.

#### Timetable

March 1 - April 15 Gathering of information by questionnaire and interview

April 15 - May 1 Organization and writing of Directory

June 1 Completion of Directory

Project Budget for League of Women Voters Responsibilities
The following figures only cover the costs to the League of Women Voters
of Minnesota for carrying out its responsibilities listed above. The
costs to the Minnesota Energy Agency for printing and mailing the Directory are in addition to the \$1,550 budget listed below.

	Project Budget
Personnel	
Project Manager	\$ 500
Project Director	500
Supplies	
Postage	25
Materials	25
Copying	20
Secretarial Time	125
Travel and Telephone	110
Overhead and Fiscal Administration	245
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	Region	Established	Chairman	Executive director
	(West Central)	2/2/73	Leslie Aukes Norcross Minnesota 56274 (612) 563-8382	John Sem Administration Building Fergus Falls Community Community Fergus Falls, Minnesota 56531 (218) 739-3356
· jia	(Region Five)	7/6/73	Mary Koep 123 Laurel Brainerd, Minnesota 56401 (218) 829-9793	Robert F. Benner 102 - 6th Street North Staples, Minnesota 56479 (218) 894-3233
wy w	6E (Six East)	3/29/73	Earl Larson (Acting) Rt. 1 Willmar, Minnesota 56201 (612) 235-4326	Eugene Hippe City Auditorium 311 West 6th Street Willmar, Minnesota 56201 (612) 235-8504
	(Upper Minnesota Valley Regional Development Commission)	5/18/73	John Thompson 800 - 16th Street South Benson, Minnesota 56215 (612) 843-2573	Dennis Dahlem 323 West Schlieman Appleton, Minnesota 56208 (612) 289-1981
	7E (East Central)	7/14/73	William Jokela Box 311 Sandstone, Minnesota 55072 (612) 245-2217	John Hill Kanabec County Courthouse 18 North Vine Street Mora, Minnesota 55051 (612) 679-4065
nothing	7W (Central Minnesota)	8/23/73	Ralph Thompson Belgrade Minnesota 56312 (612) 346-2637	Otto Schmid 2700 1st Street North St. Cloud, Minnesota 56301 (612) 253-7870
	(Southwest)	6/12/73	F. A. "Jim" Miller 774 Des Moines Drive Windom, Minnesota 56101 (507) 831-1951	Mark Atchison 2711 Broadway Slayton, Minnesota 56172 (507) 836-8549
	(Region Nine)	2/25/72	Carl Wyczawski 101 North Minnesota New Ulm, Minnesota 56073 (507) 642-3630	Terence Stone Manpower Services Building 709 North Front Street Mankato, Minnesota 56001 (507) 387-5643
416	10 (Southeastern Minnesota)	8/31/73	Robert Larson 420 N.W. Second St. Faribault, Minnesota 55021 (507) 334-3573 (home) (507) 334-9456 (business)	Rolf Middleton 301 Marquette Bank Building So. Broadway at 2nd St. SE Rochester, Minnesota 55901 (507) 285-2550
	(Metropolitan Council)	8/9/67*	John Boland 300 Metro Square Building 7th and Robert Streets St. Paul, Minnesota 55101 (612) 291-6359	
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\*created by special act of legislature

#### Functions:

Minnesota's Regional Development Commissions (RDCs) were formed by counties and municipalities representing a majority of the population in each region (see map) who petitioned the governor to establish a regional development commission as provided for in the Regional Development Act of 1969. The purpose of this act is: "To facilitate intergovernmental cooperation and to insure orderly and harmonious coordination of state, federal, and local comprehensive planning and development programs for the solution of economic, social, physical, and governmental problems of the state and its citizens . . ."

RDCs are required to prepare and adopt a comprehensive development plan for their region and to review all applications from governmental units requesting loans or grants from federal and state agencies when the application is clearly related to the region. They may also carry out studies and research and provide technical assistance to local governments in the region.

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Approximately 150 questionnaires will be mailed. All organizations not responding will be contacted by phone.

## TIMETABLE

March 1-May 15 Gathering of Information
May 15-June 1 Organization and Writing
June 1-June 15 Completion of Directory

### BUDGET

Personnel	
Project Manager	\$500.
Project Director	500.
Supplies	4-7-
Postage	25.
Materials	25.
Copying	20.
Miscellaneous	
Secretarial Time	125.
Travel and Telephone	110.
Overhead and Fiscal Administration	n <u>245.</u>
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Project Proposal: Energy Resource bucktory for Minusota

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# Objectives

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# Program Sescription

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Of particular importance in the project available through the minnesota Energy Agency and other governmental bodies.

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the minnesota Energy Agency would be responsible for

printing the directory;

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# State Energy Resource Directory

## Definition

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If the Line of the Minnesota Energy Agency, collection information and compiling it into a directory format. The MEa would be responsible for printing and mailing of the directory. The directory should do the following:

| Provide easy access to existing energy resources for the public

1. Provide easy access to existing energy resources for the public interested in promoting energy education, activities and pograms in theri commudnities.

2. Provide a tangible measure of existing energy efforts in Minnesota for coordination/of/and evaluation 66 existing programs, services, ec.

3. Provide a definition of service areas covered by existing energyrelated projects and programs as projected by givernmental units, volunteer

organizations, individuals, utilities and privat e enterprise.
4. Provide a reference tool 1/1/1/0/2/2 that can be easily updated for long-term energy coordination efforts in Minnesota.

Program Description This three month project intends to gather information by questionaire and personal interview and compilations from other esixting studies on ongoing and planned energy-related projects, programs and services available to Minnesota residents. Emphasis will be on Minnesota programs, but questionaires will be sent to national energy-related organizations that serve Minnesota as well. Emphasis will be on services avilable to regional or larger than regional areas, but a section will indicate particular programs available to larger cities of the state if they exist. Exemplary programs servicing small poplu lation centers will be highlighted as Examples of what

communities can do. The project intends to utilize the resources of the Minnesota Energy Agency for contacts and information related to existing energy efforts in Minnesota.

Of particular importance in the project will be the definition of services available through the MEA and other governmental bodies. Through the questionail@

additional contacts will be sought.

The directory will include the following information about each presource Name of organization included:

Address, Phone and Contact Person Existing programs, projects and services. Who should contact

the organization for such services. Planned programs, projects and services.

Approximately 150 questionaires will be mailed. All organizations not responding to the questionaire will be contacted by phone for the information relating to the directory.

Timetable Gathering of information by questionaire and interview Organization and writing of directory Marchl-April 15 April 15-May 1 Completion of directory June 1

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# LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS OF MINNESOTA

555 WABASHA • ST. PAUL, MINNESOTA 55102 • TELEPHONE (612) 224-5445

July 6, 1978

Mr. Mark St. Lawrence Elm Utilization Program City Hall Chisholm, MN 55719

Dear Mr. St. Lawrence:

The League of Women Voters of Minnesota received a Department of Energy grant through the League of Women Voters of the United States Education Fund to conduct an energy education project. In cooperation with the Minnesota Energy Agency, League representatives have been trained as energy resource persons for their communities. Four films for general energy education are being secured and will be circulated throughout the state in the public library film network.

In order to avoid duplication of projects, it is important to know what existing or planned energy education projects may be available to Minnesots communities. At the same time, there is a need to know where to direct requests for certain types of energy-related services and information.

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I am writing to you to request that you describe your ongoing or planned energy education projects, and that you outline the kinds of information/service requests you are equipped to answer on the back of this letter. Kindly return the enclosed form to me within the week.

Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,

Margaret Post, Manager Energy Education Project

Name MARK	ST. CA	AMRENCE	mal ===	GPhone 218	1-254-3353
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Organization repr	esenting	CITY of	CHISHOL	m	
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What energy-related services do you provide?

Assist property owners with information on Home Energy
ANDITS, INSULATION, WEATHER STRIPPING, ETC.

What plans do you have for energy-related education projects or services in the future? NONE ARE planned AT THIS Time.

Who should contact your organization for energy-related information or services (i.e. customers, community organizations, residents within a certain geographical area, etc.)?

RESIDENTS AND BUSINESSES WITHIN THE CITY of CHISHOLM

Whom should they contact?		
Name MARK ST. LAWRENCE		
Address C.Ty Hall , CHISHOLM MN	55 719 Phot	ne 1-218-254-3353

Do you know of other organizations that are providing energy-related projects and information/service? Please name.



# LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS OF MINNESOTA

555 WABASHA • ST. PAUL, MINNESOTA 55102 • TELEPHONE (612) 224-5445

May 8, 1978

Mr. Philip R. Goodrich 305 Agricultural Engineering University of Minnesota St. Paul, MN 55108

Dear Mr. Goodrich:

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Margaret Post, Manager Energy Education Project

Name Philip R. Goodnich
Address Dept. of Agr. Engr., St. Paul 55108 Phone 3730764
Organization representing Univ of Minnesoka
What energy education projects do you have at this time?
None
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Minnesota Residents
Whom should they contact?
Name Philip R. Goodnich on David P. Timson
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Do you know of other organizations that are providing energy-related projects and information/service? Please name.

Agricultural Extension Service



# LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS OF MINNESOTA

555 WABASHA • ST. PAUL, MINNESOTA 55102 • TELEPHONE (612) 224-5445

July 7, 1978

Mr. Bob Ambrose Room 122 State Capitol St. Paul, MN 55155

Dear Mr. Ambrose:

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Sincerely,

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Margaret Post, Manager Energy Education Project

STATE CAPITOL ST. PAUL 55/155 Phone 6/2/296-2374 Organization representing GOVERNOR'S REPRESENTATIVE, MINNESOTA ENVIRONMENTAL What energy education projects do you have at this time?

# SEE ATTACHED SUMMARY FROM 1977-1978 MINNESOTA LEGISLATIVE MANUAL.

What energy-related services do you provide?

What plans do you have for energy-related education projects or services in the future?

Who should contact your organization for energy-related information or services (i.e. customers, community organizations, residents within a certain geographical area, etc.)?

Whom should they contact?

Name MARY SULLIVAN, ADMINISTRATOR, EQB, 100 CAPITOL SQUARE BLDG.,
Address 550 CEDAR ST., ST. PAUL 55/01 Phone 296-2723

Do you know of other organizations that are providing energy-related projects and information/service? Please name.





# LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS OF MINNESOTA

555 WABASHA • ST. PAUL, MINNESOTA 55102 • TELEPHONE (612) 224-5445

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MICHAUD, CUOLEY, HALLBERG ERICKSON & ASSOCIATES, INC.

July 13, 1978

Mr. Robert Michaud Minnesota Society of Professional Engineers 310 Plymouth Building Minneapolis, MN 55402

Attention Marge Dickson

Dear Mr. Michaud:

The League of Women Voters of Minnesota is compiling information on energy-related services, programs and projects available to Minnesotans. Information is being arranged by region and county indicating energy education programs, research and services. The Minnesota Energy Agency will publish the directory. It will be provided to local governments, energy resource persons and public libraries within the state.

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Thank you for your assistance. Your cooperation will help to make the directory a more complete guide for Minnesota citizens and statewide energy planning.

Sincerely,

Margaret Post, Manager Energy Education Project Name WALTER R. MURRAY

Address 310 PLYMONTH BUILDING Phone 339-4941

Organization representing MICHAND COOLEY HALLSER GERICKSOW \* ASSOC,

What energy education projects do you have at this time?

SEE ATTACHED LIST

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COMMERCIAL, INDUSTRIAL, INSTITUTIONAL ORGANIZATIONS WHO NEED ENERGY CONSERVATION STUDIES OR ANALYSIS

Whom should they contact?

Name WALTER R. MURRAY

Address 310 PLYMOUTH BUILDING Phone 339-4941

MINNEAPOLIS 55402

Do you know of other organizations that are providing energy-related projects and information/service? Please name.

### ENERGY ANALYSIS SERVICES

As consulting engineers to numerous major clients on a continuous basis, it has been incumbent upon Michaud, Cooley, Hallberg, Erickson & Associates, Inc. to become expert in the specialized area of energy services.

These services include energy studies and analysis, energy design standards for new buildings, and programs of planning, utilization and management of power and fuel. The firm also offers clients programmed operation and monitoring of all mechanical and electrical building systems through a central control center operated daily on a 24 hour schedule, seven days a week.

# MCHE has recently completed comprehensive Energy Studies for the following clients:

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1.	Rochester State Hospital Ten Building Complex	750,000 Sq. Ft.
2.	U.S. Postal Service Facilities Bulk Main Depot at Egan Minneapolis St. Paul	342,700 Sq. Ft. 563,000 Sq. Ft. 757,000 Sq. Ft.
3.	Olympia Brewing Co. St. Paul - Steam Consumption Analysis	
4.	Northwestern Hospital & Sister Kenny Institute Minneapolis - 5 Buildings	481,600 Sq. Ft.
5.	Radisson South Hotel Edina	422,000 Sq. Ft.
6.	Control Data Corporation Normandale Plant	371,000 Sq. Ft.
7.	Foley Manufacturing Minneapolis	156,000 Sq. Ft.
8.	Pako Manufacturing Golden Valley	332,425 Sq. Ft.
9.	Target Stores Nationally - 60 Buildings	6,800,000 Sq. Ft.
10.	Carter Hawley Hale Stores, Inc. Los Angeles, California a. Nieman Marcus Stores, 10 bldgs. b. Broadway Stores, 46 bldgs. c. Emporium Stores, 14 bldgs. d. Weinstock Stores, 10 bldgs. e. Capwell Stores, 7 bldgs. f. Bergdorf's, 2 bldgs.	1,500,000 Sq. Ft. 9,000,000 Sq. Ft. 3,500,000 Sq. Ft. 1,600,000 Sq. Ft. 2,000,000 Sq. Ft. 400,000 Sq. Ft.

11.	Radisson Mart Minneapolis	210,000 Sq. Ft.
12.	Cambridge State Hospital Fifteen Building Complex	650,000 Sq. Ft.
13.	Veteran's Administration Center, 13 Bldgs. Fargo, North Dakota	222,000 Sq. Ft.
14.	Northern Federal Office Building St. Paul	173,000 Sq. Ft.
15.	Federal Reserve Bank Minneapolis	700,000 Sq. Ft.
16.	Thorpe Building Minneapolis	52,650 Sq. Ft.
17.	Dain Tower Minneapolis	187,000 Sq. Ft.
Ene	rgy Studies Currently in Process:	
1.	Little Falls School District	
2.	Radisson Hotel Downtown Minneapolis	407,000 Sq. Ft.
3.	Radisson Inn Plymouth	103,000 Sq. Ft.
4.	Radisson Hotel St. Paul	433,000 Sq. Ft.
5.	Dayton-Hudson Corporation Shopping Centers: Brookdale, Minneapolis Southdale, Minneapolis Ridgedale, Minneapolis Rosedale, Roseville Eastland, Detroit, Michigan Northland, Detroit, Michigan Southland, Detroit, Michigan Westland, Detroit, Michigan Genesse Valley, Flint, Michigan	520,000 Sq. Ft. 880,000 Sq. Ft. 494,000 Sq. Ft. 580,000 Sq. Ft. 1,500,000 Sq. Ft. 2,000,000 Sq. Ft. 700,000 Sq. Ft. 832,000 Sq. Ft. 682,000 Sq. Ft.
6.	State of Minnesota Capitol Complex Buildings State Capitol Department of Transporation Centennial Building & Ramp Historical Administration Building & Ramp Veteran's Building Capitol Heating Plant Maintenance Building	281,000 Sq. Ft. 369,000 Sq. Ft. 323,000 Sq. Ft. 80,000 Sq. Ft. 180,000 Sq. Ft. 85,300 Sq. Ft. 12,200 Sq. Ft. 24,500 Sq. Ft.

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Osseo School District
Minneapolis
 Lakeville School District
Minneapolis
 Chisago Lakes School District

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Forest Lake School District

- 11. Taylors Falls School District
- 12. Naegele Advertising Building

 Veterans Hospital Complex Miles City, Montana 190,000 Sq. Ft.

125,000 Sq. Ft.

## Energy Design Standards for New Buildings:

- 1. Dayton-Hudson Properties, Regional Shopping Centers
- 2. Dayton-Hudson Properties, Department Stores
- 3. Dayton-Hudson Properties, Target Stores
- 4. Minnesota Mining & Manufacturing Lake Elmo Industrial Campus
- 5. Carter, Hawley, Hale Stores, Inc., All Divisions

## On-Going Energy Monitoring/Monthly Report Programs:

- Radisson Hotel Corporation Minneapolis Downtown Plymouth St. Paul South Radisson Mart
- Dayton-Hudson Corporation Target Stores, 60 Bldgs., Nationally
- Carter, Hawley, Hale Stores, Inc.
   Broadway, 46 Bldgs.
   Capwell's, 7 Bldgs.
   Bergdorf's, 2 Bldgs.
   Emporium, 14 Bldgs.
   Nieman-Marcus, 10 Bldgs.
   Weinstock's, 10 Bldgs.
- 4. Forest Lake School District
- 5. Chisago Lakes School District
- 6. Taylors Falls School District

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WATER RESOURCES BOARD

Room 206, 555 Wabasha St. Paul 55102

Executive Secretary: Erling M. Weiberg

(612) 296-2840

Law provides: that the board is composed of five members appointed for sixyear terms by the governor and confirmed by the senate. (Minnesota Statutes 105.71)

Member:	Residence:	Office:	Term expires:
Dr. Robt. T. Moline	St. Peter	Chairman	1978
Richard Pfallinger	Blue Earth	ondininan.	1980
F. Robt. Starr	Redwood Falls	Vice Chairman	1977
Duane Ekman	Argyle	Secretary	1981
vacancy	_	_	1301

#### Function:

The board has jurisdiction in the establishment of watershed districts and related matters (Minnesota Statutes, Chapter 112).

By means of intervention proceeding (Minnesota Statutes, Sections 105.72-105.79) the board has the duty of resolving water policy questions arising between governmental departments or between an individual or individuals and a governmental department.

## ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY COUNCIL- BOARD

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Law provides: the environmental quality council is composed of the heads of seven state agencies: agriculture, energy, health, transportation, natural resources, pollution control, and state planning; a representative of the governor's office; and four citizen members appointed by the governor from the citizens advisory committee\*. (Minnesota Statutes Sec. 116 C.01)

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Warren Lawson	Commissioner	Health	
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Gwen Schwartz	citizen member	6th Cong. Distr.	
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#### Function

The Environmental Quality Council (EQC) has an overall objective to promote and insure cooperation and coordination among state agencies significantly affecting the environment. As needed, the EQC may initiate studies by interagency and/or citizen task forces on important issues. The EQC also reviews major actions, programs, and legislation to resolve conflicts and to insure agency compliance with

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<sup>\*</sup>A citizens advisory committee for the council to assure citizen participation in the activities and decisions of the EQC has eleven members, appointed by the governor, one from each of the eight congressional districts and three at large. The appointments by the governor are made by and with the consent of the senate for four-year terms, but at the pleasure of the governor.

the Minnesota Environmental Policy Act and then provide comment to the governor, legislature, and appropriate state agencies.

The following activities are among those administered by this council: environmental impact statement process; power plant siting and transmission line routing; critical areas planning process; early notice system; Minnesota environmental education; environmental standards for subdivision of land.

# MINNESOTA ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATION BOARD and REGIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATION COUNCILS

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Law provides: the state board consists of 26 members, 13 appointed at-large by the governor and one member elected by each of 13 regional councils. Regional councils, one in each of the state development regions, consist of 12 members each, appointed by the chairperson of the state board. (Minnesota Statutes 1974, Sec. 116E)

#### Officers and Members of the Executive Committee of the Minnesota Environmental Education Board:

Regions 3, 5, 7W: John N. Satterlee

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Function:

The board and councils are responsible for planning, implementing, and coordinating environmental education and information activities throughout the state through and with both formal educational institutions and community, business, industry, and labor organizations and local, state, and federal government units. The board is also responsible for advising the governor and legislature on matters related to environmental education.

Regions 7E, 10, 11: Carmen L. Borgerding

### SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION BOARD

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Law provides: The soil and water conservation board is an agency within the department of natural resources for the purpose of serving as the parent agency to the 92 soil and water conservation districts in the state. The board has eleven members: seven appointed by the governor; the heads of the Minnesota pollution control agency; department of agriculture, dairy and foods; university of Minnesota agricultural extension service; and the dean of the institute of agriculture, forestry and home economics. (Minnesota Statutes, Section 40.03)

Appointed members:	Residence:	Office:	Term expires:
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Herbert W. Bollum	Redwood Falls	Vice Chairman	1978
Thomas Schultz	Sebeka		1981
Leonard Pikal	Brownton		1979
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# LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS OF MINNESOTA

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March 15, 1978

PROJECT PROPOSAL: ENERGY RESOURCE DIRECTORY FOR MINNESOTA

The League of Women Voters of Minnesota proposes to produce an Energy Resource Directory for Minnesota in cooperation with the Minnesota Energy Agency.

Definition

An Energy Resource Directory will be a compilation of existing energyrelated services, programs and projects available in Minnesota. It
will be designed to aid individuals and groups get specific energyrelated information and services. In looseleaf format it would be
part of the Energy Awareness Handbook for local governments in Minnesota designed by the Minnesota Energy Agency. The information in the
Energy Resource Directory would also be made available to the public
by distributing copies of the Directory to public libraries, vocationaltechnical energy resource centers, community colleges and key energy
resource persons including League of Women Voters members trained as
energy resource people at one of the training sessions offered jointly
by the League of Women Voters of Minnesota and the Minnesota Energy
Agency.

#### Objectives

The Energy Resource Directory will

 direct households to appropriate groups or agencies for energyrelated assistance or information;

 provide easy access to existing energy resources for groups interested in promoting energy education activities and programs in their communities;

 make explicit to the public the specific services offered by existing energy-related projects and programs;

. provide a reference tool that can be easily updated;

. provide a tangible measure of existing energy efforts in Minnesota;

 provide the groundwork for evaluation of existing energy efforts in Minnesota and a base for long-term energy service planning for the state.

Program Description

Information about existing energy-related services, programs, and projects available in Minnesota will be gathered by mailed questionnaires and personal interviews. Information will be gathered not only from Minnesotabased groups, but also from national energy-related organizations that serve Minnesota. The emphasis of the Directory will be on services available to regional or larger-than-regional areas of the state. Of particular importance in the project will be the definition of services available through

the Minnesota Energy Agency and other governmental bodies. The Directory will also include programs available in specific metropolitan areas of the state. In addition, the Directory will include descriptions of exemplary programs servicing small population centers as examples of what other communities can do.

The Directory will include the following information about each energyrelated service, program, or project:

- . name of organization
- . address, phone, and contact person
- description of existing and planned program(s), project(s), and/or service(s)
- definition of clientele the program(s), project(s), and/or service(s) will serve.

Approximately 150 questionnaires will be mailed. All organizations not responding to the questionnaire will be contacted by phone.

## Definition of Responsibilities

The Energy Resource Directory will be produced cooperatively by the League of Women Voters of Minnesota and the Minnesota Energy Agency. The League of Women Voters of Minnesota will be responsible for

- collecting information about existing and planned energy-related services, programs, and projects in Minnesota;
- . organizing the collected data and writing the Directory;
- . typing the Directory.

The Minnesota Energy Agency will be responsible for

- . printing the Directory;
- . mailing the Directory.

### Timetable

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March 1 - April 15	Gathering of information by questionnaire and interview	1
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Project Budget for League of Women Voters Responsibilities
The following figures only cover the costs to the League of Women Voters
of Minnesota for carrying out its responsibilities listed above. The
costs to the Minnesota Energy Agency for printing and mailing the Directory are in addition to the \$1,550 budget listed below.

	Project Budget
Personnel	
Project Manager	\$ 500
Project Director	500
Supplies	
Postage	25
Materials	25
Copying	20
Secretarial Time	125
Travel and Telephone	110
Overhead and Fiscal Administration	245
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# **Energy and Water**

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Providing energy for human use consumes water and providing water consumes energy. We discuss here only the consumption of water for energy. Our leum. Because many end uses, especially transportation and home heating, rely today on these two fuels, it appears that only three paths are available. One

ter withdrawn is water taken from a water supply but not necessarily consumed. Water consumed is water rendered unavailable for specified further uses. The water consumption of a given activity depends on the ways water is used in the activity and the ways it is needed by downstream users, including the spatial distributions and time schedules of all such uses (1).

Thus, heavily polluted water that is discharged from a coal gasification plant is consumed water for many competing uses, although not, perhaps, for mine floor wetting. Water evaporated from a wet cooling tower or an artificial lake, or



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# FORECASTING ENERGY DEMAND: ELECTRICITY DEMAND AS A CASE IN POINT

### IN SHORT

Forecasts of future energy demand have been used for decades as tools for planning and evaluating energy development programs. Lead times of from five to ten years are frequently required to find and to develop new supplies of traditional fuels or to build energy processing facilities or power plants. Decisions made now about developing energy sources will affect the amount and kinds of energy available years hence. But a forecast is not a prediction or a prophecy; at best it is an estimate of what future energy demand will be if certain conditions obtain.

### BACKGROUND

The hazards of projecting energy demand are nowhere more evident than in recent debates over proposed expansions of electric generation capacity. Between 1961 and 1971 demand for electricity doubled. In the early 1970s providers of electricity planned to double generating capacity again by 1980. Because fuel is a major input in generating electricity, the increases in the costs of oil and other fuels that followed in the wake of the 1973-74 oil embargo resulted in higher electric rates in many parts of the country. These increased electric rates, together with conservation efforts and the recession, cut the demand for electricity. The drop in demand, plus the high cost of capital and uncertainties about government requirements for construction related to air and water quality, led many electric utilities to delay constructing new plants.

Now critics of various stripes are challenging previously planned expansion of generating capacity as excessive. Some groups point to the recent drop in demand, which they interpret as price motivated, as evidence that many of the new plants on the drawing board will not be needed. Certain groups even contend that if conservation were encouraged, few new plants would be needed. Environmentalists argue that new construction would entail needless environmental costs. Many economists argue that the necessary capital cannot be raised without detracting from other important projects. Utilities, attempting to boost their profits in order to attract the capital investment needed to finance the planned new construction, have sought rate increases from the regulatory commissions. These moves have evoked opposition from consumer groups who claim that consumers are being asked to pay for expansion they believe is neither needed nor wanted. But as the nation pulls out of the recession, providers of electricity expect that demand for electricity will resume growing at its pre-1970 rate. Electric utilities point out that the long lead times involved in increasing generating capacity make it disastrous to underestimate future demand. They emphasize that future shortages could mean higher prices or rationing; shortages might also affect economic growth or employment.

The arguments on both sides of the debate give cause for concern: most of us would prefer to steer a course between the costs of an excessive electricity supply and the costs of an insufficient one. The question then arises: "How accurately can future energy demand be estimated?"

## DEMAND FORECASTING TECHNIQUES

Two techniques for forecasting future energy demand are currently in wide use: (1) extrapolation of past trends and (2) econometric modeling.

#### EXTRAPOLATING PAST TRENDS

Until the early 1970s most popular forecasts of energy use were extrapolations of past trends. Energy trend forecasts can be done for the country as a whole, or a national forecast can be aggregated from forecasts of energy use in the states, in geographic regions, or in sectors of the economy. This kind of forecasting assumes that energy use will grow at a specified rate, usually at the same rate as in the preceding 10 to 15 years. Sometimes the rate of growth may be modified in a best-guess attempt to take account of economic, technological, demographic, political, or social changes that the forecaster thinks might influence energy consumption. Generally trend forecasts take only a few variables into account and in a very simplistic way. But no matter how many factors are considered, extrapolating, as a way of estimating future demand, oversimplifies the dynamics of energy use by assuming that all factors (such as population, technology, size of GNP, or the prices of fuels and electricity) that affect the demand for energy will continue to relate to each other as they have in the past.

Trend forecasts done in the '50s and '60s for the '60s and early '70s proved to be fairly accurate. But their accuracy was attributable to the slow and more or less uniform rate at which factors affecting energy demand changed during that period. These stable conditions no longer exist. Recently the prices of fuels and capital have increased dramatically; much uncertainty exists about future energy supplies and the impact that conservation and higher prices will make on energy demand. In this climate, estimates of future energy demand based on extrapolations of past trends are open to serious question.

#### FORECASTING WITH ECONOMETRIC MODELS

Unlike trend analysis, econometric techniques isolate and examine the factors that cause energy demand to increase or to decline. In addition, econometric models provide a way of estimating the effects that these factors and the variable being forecast will have on each other. Using a variety of data, the econometrician tries to develop quantitative, mathematical expressions that accurately describe the historical relationship between energy demand and other variables. Assumptions about the ways in which the variables relate to each other are explicitly stated in an econometric model. If econometric models are used in conjunction with computers, complex relationships among many variables can be taken into account. Nevertheless, to be of value, even the most sophisticated econometric projection must be derived from high-quality data. Poor data is often a major impediment to accurate demand forecasting.

# GETTING THE MAXIMUM USE OUT OF FORECASTING

To return to our example, much of the debate over the expansion of electric generating capacity has centered on different estimates of what future demand will be. In many cases, in the course of these debates, the public has not been provided with sets of assumptions about other variables related to energy use that are explicit or implicit in demand forecasts. Energy demand is but one aspect of the future. It affects and is affected by other factors that determine the quality of our lives. To plan our futures solely by preparing to meet a projected level of energy demand without knowledgeably examining the factors contributing to or affected by that level of demand could entail high risks. One advantage of econometric forecasting is that it provides a means for examining growth of energy demand in relation to a host of other factors. Because many of these factors, such as energy prices or environmental controls, can be influenced by public policy, econometric models—unlike trend projections—can be a useful tool to estimate the effects of policy options on a variety of important variables, one of which is energy demand. Moreover, if adequate data are available, econometric analysis permits the development of multiple scenarios of future energy demand.

The city of Seattle, Washington has used econometric forecasting models to estimate future demand for electricity and the effects that various ways of satisfying that demand might have on the quality of life in Seattle. Recently Seattle City Light [SCL]—which is municipally owned—had an opportunity to participate in the construction of two nuclear power plants. At public hearings on the issue, citizens raised a number of questions about the growth of Seattle's demand for electricity. In response to the public's questions and concerns, SCL hired outside consultants to study Seattle's future demand for energy as well as "load forecasting methodologies; rate policies; options for meeting future demand; and the social, economic, and environmental impact of the various options available." At SCL's suggestion, the city formed a citizens' committee to select the consultants and to oversee the study.

The Seattle study, published as <a href="Energy 1990">Energy 1990</a>, discusses SCL's trend forecast as well as a set of the seconometric forecasts, each based on a different group of assumptions. These are used in conjunction with seven scenarios to examine the effects of various assumptions about rate structures, efficiency of electricity use, and kinds of generating facilities utilized (which affect the size and cost of available energy supply) on economic activity, employment, population, air and water quality, noise levels, land use, and relative uses of a variety of forms of energy. The study was submitted to the public, which, through hearings and the Citizens Overview Committee, made recommendations to the city council. In Seattle's debate over the growth of demand for electricity, unlike that in many other parts of the country, SCL, the Seattle City Council, and involved citizens have put to work, in a highly constructive way, the forecasting tools available to them. Rather than argue about the relative merits of conflicting projections of electricity demand, they used econometric models to look at a variety of energy futures for their city. In so doing they have found a useful way to enable citizens to better understand the alternatives and to make choices, then plan for an energy supply that will meet the needs of a city with the environment, economy, and patterns of living to which they aspire.

Trending and econometric forecasts have also been used to estimate future demand for oil, coal, solar energy, natural gas and other energy resources. Whatever the energy resource, the value of demand forecasts as planning tools will be multiplied many times if they are used in conjunction with a number of possible scenarios that relate energy demand to factors such as the health of the economy and environmental quality, both in the area where the energy will be used and in the area where it is produced.

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many Leagues do, in fact, allow associate members voting privileges. The bylaw change would simply regularize what is being done.

The second proposed change would create a new category of membership, which we have termed the contributing member.

Art. III, Sec. 2

c. Contributing members shall be members who join the LWVUS and who are not enrolled in any local League. Such members shall pay annual dues to the national Treasurer. The national Treasurer shall send the name, address, and one-half of dues collected to the state League recognized in the contributing member's state of residence.

Art. XIV, Sec. 2

Contributing members shall pay annual dues to LWVUS in amount to be determined by the Board.

As you know, at the present time anyone interested in League membership must first find out if there is a local League in their area and then find some means of making contact. In some cases, it can be a discouraging process.

This bylaw, if adopted, would make possible a national membership campaign similar to that used so successfully by Common Cause. It does not replace the member-at-large category, which is restricted to those who live outside the recognized local League. It would make it possible to simply join the League of Women Voters no matter where you lived.

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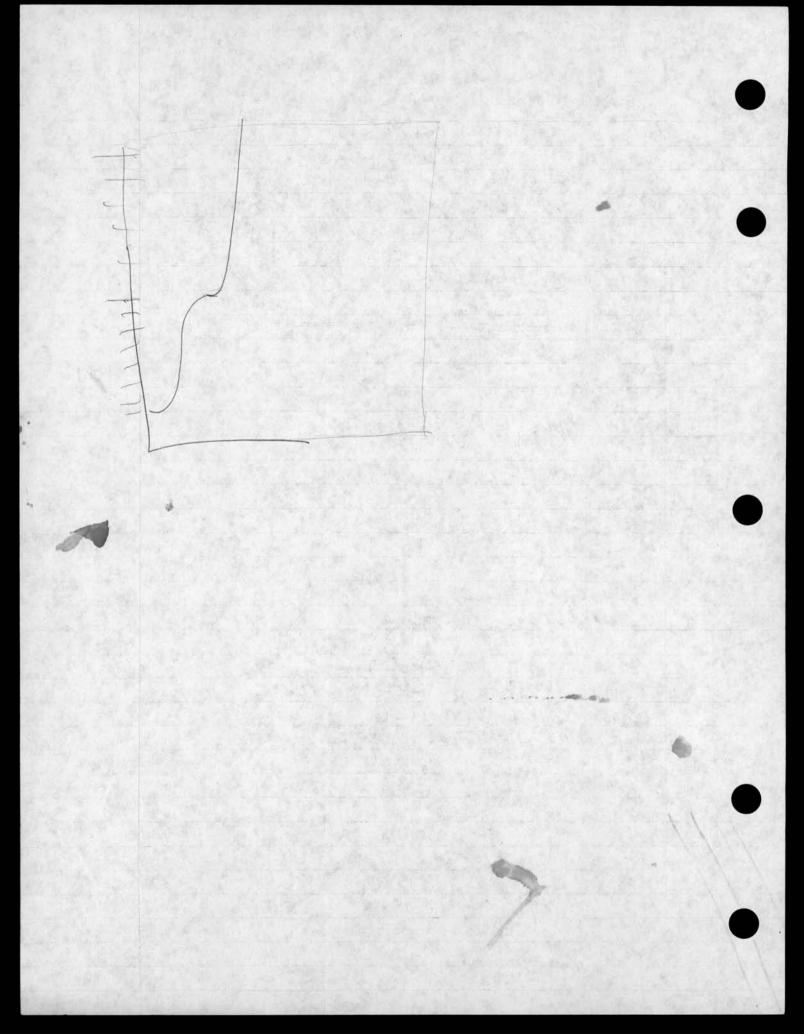
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I. Introduction:

Call to Order and Welcome Edward Cohn, Department Commander Wayne Schnirring, Department Chairman Conservation Committee, American Legion Edward W. Mackins, Assistant Director, Internal Affairs Commission, American Legion James Whitfield, Executive Director,

II. Purpose of Forum: The Honorable Daniel F. Foley, Moderator, Past National Commander

A) Goal:

Establish common goals acceptable to the major perspectives in order to resolve national and regional energy/environmental issues.

B) Objective:

Develop program format to facilitate the identification and discussion of energy and related environmental problems.

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C) Objective:

Establish dialogue among business/industry, environmentalists and consumers.

D) Objective: Identify the impacts on business and industry of

major energy and environmental issues.

III. Self-Introduction of Participants

IV. 2:00 PM-Short Slide Presentation - Dimensions of Energy Problems: Jan E. Marfyak, U.S. Department of Energy, Washington, D.C.

V. 2:20 PM-Informal statements of participants' major concerns toward energy and/or environmental issues.

3:00 PM-BREAK

- VI. 3:15 PM-Reconvene Discussion of topics previously listed as major concerns of participants (3 basic issues)
  - a) How each impacts industry and environment.
  - b) Focus on common goals and solutions (short run, transition period and long run.)
  - c) Summary of Highlights

VII. 4:00 PM-General Discussion - Future Directions

- a) Role of National, State and Local Government
- b) Participants' Recommendations

VIII. Adjournment

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You were asked to bring "paper-work" samples in order to compare with those of other Leagues for your information and evaluation. This recording sheet is for your own use--you may wish to note ideas, recommendations for your Board to consider, compliments to pass on! Some of the questions the group will work on together; others are for your own evaluation.

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1.	Budgets	Compare in turn all the other budgets with yours.
		What is the range of total expenditure? to lowest
		Is there anything on which you spend substantially <u>less</u> than the others?
		What?
		Is there anything on which you spend substantially more than the others'
		What?
		Do your sources of funding differ from the other Leagues?
(30)		How?
2.	Bulletins	Compare in turn all the other bulletins with yours.
		Is there any noticeable difference in "look"format, printing, paper used, size, etc.?
		Which one do you think would most interest: a prospective member
		a citizen of the community
		a League member
		What would you say are three purposes of the bulletin? (Discuss)
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		2.
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3.	Minutes	Compare in turn all the samples of Board minutes.
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		Do you observe any differences in the minutes? Yes No
		If yes, would you say they are primarily formspecify:
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		What should be included in Board minutes? Discuss and list.

Are your Board minutes usually detailed enough to give an absent member a good grasp of the meeting?

Are your Board minutes usually clear enough for your consultant to understand what went on?

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Example

Increase public awareness of current action

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# LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS OF MINNESOTA

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The League of Women Voters of Minnesota has received a Department of Energy grant through the League of Women Voters of the United States Education Fund to conduct an energy education project. In cooperation with the Minnesota Energy Agency, League representatives will be trained as energy resource persons for their communities. Two films for general energy education will be purchased and circulated throughout the state. They are "Bottom of the Oil Barrel" and "The Sunbeam Solution."

In order to avoid duplication of projects, it is important to know what existing or planned energy education projects may be available to Minnesota communities. At the same time, there is a need to know where to direct requests for certain types of energy-related services and information.

For those reasons, I am writing to request that you describe ongoing or planned energy education projects, and that you outline the kinds of information/service requests you are equipped to answer. The information will be made available to workshop members in January. Copies of the resource list will be compiled and placed in local public libraries.

If you have brochures that describe your energy projects or services, we will be happy to include them in resource packets for workshop members. At this time we expect 50-75 participants.

Kindly return the enclosed form to me before January 10, 1978. If you have questions, please contact me at 612-636-4409.

Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,

Margaret Post, Manager Energy Education Project

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