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MINUTES & NOTICE OF BOARD ACTION

LANE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS



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Pursuant to notice made by mailing agendas to news media, a selected list of jurisdictions and individuals in Lane County, a meeting of the Board of County Commissioners was held.

Questions should be directed to The Board Office Specialist 3, ext. 4203.

December 17, 1991
8:00 a.m.

INTERVIEW WITH FAIR
BOARD APPLICANT

Commissioners'
Conference Room

Chair Jack Roberts presided with Steve Cornacchia, Ellie Dumdi, Marie Frazier (on speaker phone) and Jerry Rust present. Judy Haldeman, Recording Secretary.

LARRY CAMPBELL

Campbell stated that he had been interested in the fairgrounds for a long time. He stated that he has two main areas of interest; revenue opportunities and service. He would divide the service areas from the revenue producing areas and build in youth activities.

Campbell commented that the management situation should be improved; that he would evaluate the manager's job and measure expectations if he were appointed to the Fair Board. He stated that animals were extremely important and suggested that dairy cattle could be added and there could be a spring youth fair. Campbell stated that the fairgrounds should expand on conventions and sees the facility as having a tremendous opportunity to contribute to economic development. He commented that master planning should begin immediately with consideration of correct sizing of facilities, the neighborhood, ingress and egress and a possible relocation of the fairgrounds. He noted that private donations and corporate sponsorship could boost revenue. Campbell suggested that each Fair Board member should be assigned to a Commissioner to enhance communication. He commented that he would call users after events to get feedback and would check on events on an organized basis, as should all Fair Board members. He stated that as a Fair Board member he would work for consensus and positive direction with the Fair Board and the Board of County Commissioners.

There being no further business, this meeting adjourned at 9:00 a.m.



Judy Haldeman
Recording Secretary