

D R A F T

E. D. "Debbs" Potts, Chairman  
Oregon State Lottery Commission  
754 NE Madrone Street  
Grants Pass, OR 97526

Dear Debbs:

I doubt that the general public understands that the Lottery Commission was given the responsibility by the 1989 Legislature to conduct a pilot program of video lottery games commonly known as video poker. This pilot would attempt to control an estimated \$100 million illegal gambling activity in Oregon and generate urgently needed funds for higher education and mass transit.

As you know, I have never favored this type of game but agreed to the pilot in support of the Legislature's effort. I know the Lottery Commission has never sponsored this or any other legislation concerning video poker; and, in fact, you testified against House Bill 2557 which would have legalized these games throughout Oregon.

It is obvious from the negative public reaction to this game, substantiated by media polls and outright rejection by some counties, that there is little support for a video poker pilot. I understand that Multnomah County plans to implement a county-wide ordinance against the games similar to the ordinance passed several years ago by the City of Portland. I think this is an effective way to control this form of illegal gambling and would encourage other jurisdictions to take similar action.

The Commission has done everything practical to implement the video lottery section of House Bill 3262 and should not have to continue to endanger other lottery programs for the sake of video poker. I think it is time for the Commission to report to the legislative Emergency Board your findings and recommend that the program be terminated.

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*90 Lottery*  
*House*  
*Committee*  
*6/5*  
*Provide*  
*Don*  
*draft*  
*yes*

I commend you on your effort under very difficult circumstances and compliment you on your many successes in other lottery programs.

Sincerely,

Neil Goldschmidt  
Governor

NG:jds

cc: H. Doyle Watson  
Delbert J. Hayes  
Janet Meulemans  
Michael A. Schwartz  
James J. Davey

NEIL GOLDSCHMIDT  
GOVERNOR



OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR  
STATE CAPITOL  
SALEM, OREGON 97310-1347

Potts

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Dear Debbs,  
Happy New Year!  
Thank you for  
your letter. I'm  
glad the entire  
team is doing  
well — working  
effectively together!  
Happy — findings  
when I see the  
payments — Love

E. D. "DEBBS" POTTS  
754 NE MADRONE ST.  
GRANTS PASS 97526

Grants Pass, Oregon  
Jan. 6 - 1988

The Hon. Neil Goldschmidt.  
Dear Governor

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GOVERNOR'S OFFICE

One year as Governor of the State of Oregon has certainly been a great and rewarding challenge for you.

The people of our state should certainly the great efforts, and straight from the shoulder and down to earth decisions made by you.

For what ever it may mean I wish to let you know, that I have had the great and privileged experience of working with many people over the years on boards and commissions and private business.

Your appointments to the Lottery Com. of Mike Schwartz - Del Hayes - Doyle Watson - and Janet Meulemans & Jim Hones as Director are certainly the cream of the crop.

Each of us look forward in providing you and our state with the very best revenue producing business and economic development that has ever been put in operation.

Working as a team we will fulfill all of the expectations and then some.

Thanking you for your kind considerations and confidence.

Respectfully,  
R. H. "Ned" Nettles

Povey

NEIL GOLDSCHMIDT  
Governor



OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

Dear Carol,

Thank you for all  
you did to make my  
visit so fun & product-  
ive. You are the best.  
Love, Dave

Carol Povey  
37475 - 1<sup>st</sup> Street  
Seaside, OR 97131

1988



OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

Dear Carol,  
I thought I'd see  
you with Lang tonight  
I knew about the day  
yesterday - I remember  
me and I had

Powell

NEIL GOLDSCHMIDT  
Governor



OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

Dave  
Great to see & hear  
from you. My name  
is worth little as a  
reference but I'm  
pleased to have you  
use it. All my best, Dave

# HILLSBORO HIGH SCHOOL

Hillsboro Union High School District  
3285 S.E. Rood Bridge Road  
Hillsboro, Oregon 97123  
648-8561

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February 7, 1990

GOVERNOR'S OFFICE

Governor Neil Goldschmidt  
254 State Capitol  
Salem, OR 97310

Dear Neil,

It was good to see you last night. I am always proud to say, "I know Neil Goldschmidt. We went to school together." As governor, you continue to accomplish much, just as you did as Mayor of Portland. Portland is what it is today, a beautiful progressive city, thanks to you.

At the end of the school year, I will be retiring from teaching and being the athletic coordinator of Hillsboro High School. Being so young (52) Ha! Ha!, I plan on finding another place of employment. I plan on applying to Phil Knight for an opportunity to be employed by Nike. Knowing about your association with Nike, I would like to use you as a reference, if possible. Please notify me if it is permissible.

"Give em the axe."

Sincerely,

*David*

David K. Powell



Powell.



OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

Gift —  
Good to hear from  
you post sale. I have  
no idea about whether  
I can meet your April  
invite due to the meeting  
of our legislature, but

We appreciate the  
invite.

With my best,  
Vance

NEIL GOLDSCHMIDT  
GOVERNOR



OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR  
STATE CAPITOL  
SALEM, OREGON 97310-1347

September 19, 1988

Dr. James L. Powell  
c/o Reed College  
Portland, OR 97202

Dear Dr. Powell:

I am sorry my schedule does not allow me to attend your October 8 inauguration as the twelfth President of Reed College.

It would have been a great treat to share this happy occasion with you and to hear Cornell University President Rhodes' address.

Reed College is well respected for enriching the lives of its students through excellent education and, in turn, benefitting Oregonians through its leadership in the academic community. I am confident you will continue this same kind of leadership practiced by Dr. Bragdon.

It has been said that "Some men succeed by what they know; some by what they do; and a few by what they are." Knowledge, energy and identity. You seem to possess all three. It is a pleasure to welcome you to this new post for your knowledge, for your accomplishments thus far and for yourself as a person.

Again, I am sorry I can't be with you in person to give you my best wishes for a successful inauguration and presidency.

Sincerely,

Neil Goldschmidt  
Governor

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Powell



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OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

Dear Mr & Mrs Powell,  
Thank you - for caring  
& for your letter about  
come! I'm going to  
help all I can & wherever  
I can. Best wishes,  
Gene

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AUG - 2 1988

GOVERNOR'S OFFICE

Mr. & Mrs Alfred W. Powell  
56 N. E. Dekum St.,  
Portland, OR 97211  
July 31, 1988

Hon. Neil Goldschmidt,  
Governor of Oregon  
Salem, Oregon 97301

Dear Governor:

I am looking at our copy, "FOR OREGON: NEIL." We do not have your complete address but you should get this letter.

I am writing you about the highest priority; crimes and drugs in Oregon in general, and Portland in particular.

We would like to be writing this letter about the multiplicity of items of interest, such as (1) unemployment in the United States and Oregon, including Portland, is considerably higher than being reported; ground rules or basis were changed beginning in 1982, (2) Ore. income tax system as developed over-time by republican governors, and democratic legislatures, is very unfair to approximately 40,000 Federal retirees, civil service and military residing in Oregon, and they are moving out as fast as possible, and (3) many others.

Today's Oregonian provided a brief summary of our crimes and drugs problem in Portland. The facts are well known, and emergency actions are over-due. Frankly, our elected city leaders as well as candidates are not capable of dealing or resolving the problems, in my opinion. (Note: I am a long time democrat, precinct committeeman.)

The problem has already taken too many lives, and our property values have deteriorated. The people may demand (soon or later) that their property be assessed at true market value which could produce a short fall in state revenues.

We are counting on you for bold and decisive leadership and action on our highest priority. The damages can be compared to a series of storms or fires, or both. In such case, what action(s) would you take?

Please let us hear from you; action come first.

Sincerely yours,



P. S. We first met in the parking lot, Fred Meyer Interstate Store, on your first campaign for Portland City Commissioner, Hello to Floyd McKay, miss his Analyses on KGW as well as our conservations in the lobby KGW, years ago.

NEIL GOLDSCHMIDT  
GOVERNOR



OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR  
STATE CAPITOL  
SALEM, OREGON 97310-0370  
TELEPHONE: 378-3111  
January 22, 1990

Mr. Casey Powell  
SEQUENT  
15450 SW Koll Parkway  
Beaverton, OR 97006

Dear Casey:

I have gone back and reviewed all the information and decisions that have been made so far on locating Adult and Family Services' Portland West Branch and the Employment Division Offices, as well. I think, given the circumstances, this is actually a tremendous outcome. An advisory committee from the neighborhood and business area is going to be set up to AFS, which insures that there will be an opportunity to hear from folks that are impacted in the neighborhood.

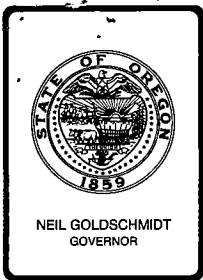
There needs to be a way for us to take steps to mitigate any impacts that appear to be negative. As I understand it, St. Mary's is being offered two spots on the advisory group and I would hope that the principal or someone high up in the organization will participate in order that the concerns of faculty and parents alike are heard. Obviously a board member would also be appropriate. I'll try to stay in touch with this issue. I just want you to know we do take it seriously.

I saw all of your troops down at the Hilton. They looked excited, active and as successful as the numbers in the quarterly and annual reports appear. I continue to be astounded and proud of everything you and your organization does. All my best for 1990.

Sincerely,

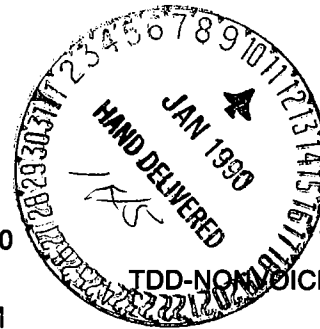
Neil Goldschmidt  
Governor

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Department of Human Resources  
**OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR**

318 PUBLIC SERVICE BUILDING, SALEM, OREGON 97310



VOICE: 378-3033

TDD-NON VOICE: (503) 378-8313

M E M O R A N D U M

January 11, 1990

TO: Janice Yaden  
Assistant to the Governor for Human Resources

FROM: Kevin W. Concannon *Kevin*  
Director

SUBJECT: AFS Portland West Branch

As you know, we have made some fundamental adjustments in response to the neighborhood, St. Mary's School, and the business community relative to our AFS Portland West Branch office move. The proposed solution we've come up with I believe significantly responds to the concerns of the various parties, but also is a workable one for us in that it will allow us to locate the Employment West Branch office in the area in which it has been serving the Portland financial community and others for many years. (We would have needed to locate space for this office with the imminent closure of the State Office Building in 1991.) At the same time our AFS office can move into the space vacated by the Employment Division. We will be renting out the parking lot attached to the American Guarantee Building at market prices, thereby reducing the square footage rental costs.

In sum, these moves will result in lower costs for the State from the space currently paid for, and will provide us an 18 month period during which we can planfully consider the future organizational design of AFS services in the Multnomah County area. One very attractive concept being considered internally in the Division would create a central, county-wide food stamp distribution center for clients who do not receive other public welfare health benefits such as Medicaid or AFDC. This lengthy interim period will allow us to consider those options as well as ways to optimize the delivery of services to public welfare recipients on the West side of Portland.

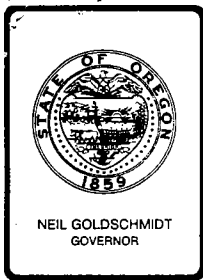
From a bottom line point of view, we also will be able to move from our current space before February 28, when our extended lease runs out.

We've gone one step further to create a neighborhood and business area advisory council to the AFS office to afford us an opportunity to hear from businesses and neighborhoods in the area, if in fact there is a perceived impact by the AFS office, and to provide an ongoing representative forum through which we can communicate what steps we are taking to mitigate impact in the area, if any, as well as relying upon this council to assist us in locating future space for the AFS programs when the West side State Office Building is to be closed in 1991.

Mark LeRoux, an attorney with Tonkon-Torp, has been extremely helpful throughout the process in both representing the interest of the South Park Blocks Association as well as St. Mary's School. The majority of the parties I believe are pleased with the responsiveness of the State. There are some exceptions, notably on the St. Mary's Board. I am offering St. Mary's two spots on this advisory group, and am hopeful that the principal of the school will see fit to join us, since she can very directly impact and convey any concerns her students or school may have, as well as help us rid people of the exaggerated stereotyping of our clients that may have occurred here.

KWC:sm  
Attachment

cc: Chuck Dimond



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January 9, 1990

Dear :

I write to invite you to serve as a member of the Portland West AFS Branch Neighborhood Advisory Council. This Council is being formed to provide an ongoing, representative opportunity for people who live, work, provide services, or travel in the immediate community of the Portland West AFS office to be located at 1407 SW 4th Avenue, Portland.

As you are aware, prior to the relocation of AFS in that section of Portland, a number of questions, concerns, or fears were raised about the potential impact of AFS and the citizens it serves on that area of Portland. We do not believe these fears are well founded, but do understand them and appreciate the fact that people are anxious concerning this change.

For the first time to our knowledge in the history of the Department of Human Resources, we are installing a Neighborhood Advisory Council whose principal role shall be to monitor the environs of the area of Portland served by the branch office, to bring to the attention of the Division and the Department any concerns that may arise within the neighborhood or region as a direct result of clients or citizens served through our AFS branch office, and to afford an opportunity for the branch office to inform and apprise the neighborhood and its representatives of ongoing business and practice in the agency.

The agency will be moving into the 4th Street location prior to February 28, 1990, and will be taking steps to communicate to its service clients and others of the move and approximate date upon which it is anticipated to take place.

I anticipate that this advisory group will be convened sometime in early to mid February to review information concerning the move and to provide additional opportunities for any further matters that the advisory council believes needs to be taken into consideration. The major objectives of the Council will be to evaluate the impact, if any, on the neighborhood of the AFS office, to devise means to manage the impact, and to assist with the search and process for a permanent site for the office in anticipation of the sale/closure of the State Office Building in 1991.



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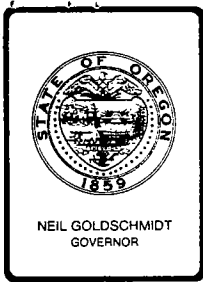
I realize you're busy with many other matters, but hope you will see fit to join with us on this very important matter and adjunct to serving both the needs of poor Oregonians and the needs and interests of the SW section of Portland.

Yours truly,

Kevin W. Concannon  
Director

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Enclosure

P. S. If you are able to serve, I would appreciate your filling out and returning the enclosed. If unable to do so, we would appreciate your dropping us a note to that effect.



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M E M O R A N D U M

January 11, 1990

TO: Governor Neil Goldschmidt

FROM: Kevin W. Concannon *Kevin*  
Director

SUBJECT: Fairview Training Center

We are expecting the visitation of a team of federal surveyors at the Fairview Training Center this month, and while these surveys are unannounced, our detective work suggests that a large team of surveyors will be here next week and are expected to be on site at Fairview for up to a two-week period.

This survey is being held to review the status of the state's plan of compliance at Fairview measuring two fundamental axis: 1) Has Fairview kept pace with the proposed plan of reduction of residents of Fairview Training Center? Answer: Yes. 2) Is Fairview meeting the HCFA standards for the Medicaid Program? Answer: Fairview has invested considerable time, attention, talent, and can demonstrate substantial on-going improvements from the spring of 1987. We will be monitoring the situation and keep your office apprised.

This is the second of a set of major site visits by experts to Fairview assessing a plan of compliance. In December, the U. S. Department of Justice experts, along with the panel of national experts required by the Consent Decree to review and monitor compliance at Fairview, spent a week at the Center as well as considerable time prior to the visits reviewing documents. That national panel gave the Center high marks and very positive commendations on progress underway.

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cc: Janice Yaden

NEIL GOLDSCHMIDT  
GOVERNOR



OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR  
STATE CAPITOL  
SALEM, OREGON 97310-1347

September 13, 1988

The Inaugural Committee  
Office of Public Affairs  
Reed College  
Portland, OR 97202

Dear Committee Members:

I am sorry my schedule does not allow me to attend the inauguration of James L. Powell as the twelfth President of Reed College on October 8 and the preceding dance on October 7.

It would have been a great treat to hear Cornell University President Rhodes' address and to share this great occasion with Dr. Powell.

Reed College is to be commended for enriching the lives of its students through excellent education and, in turn, benefitting Oregonians through its leadership in the academic community. I am confident Dr. Powell will continue this same kind of leadership practiced by Dr. Bragdon.

It has been said that "Some men succeed by what they know; some by what they do; and a few by what they are." Knowledge, energy and identity. Dr. Powell has all three. It is a pleasure to welcome him to his new post for his knowledge, for his accomplishments thus far and for himself as a person.

Please extend my regrets to the Board of Trustees and to Dr. Powell that I can't be there in person to deliver my best wishes for a successful inauguration and presidency.

Sincerely,

Neil Goldschmidt  
Governor

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NEIL GOLDSCHMIDT  
GOVERNOR



OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR  
STATE CAPITOL  
SALEM, OREGON 97310-1347

March 16, 1988

Jody Powell  
Ogilvy & Mather  
1901 L Street NW  
Suite 320  
Washington, D.C. 20036

Dear Jody:

Your name turned up recently in The Oregonian coverage of the effort to convert WNP-1 to a new production reactor at Hanford.

For my part, I only wish I could convince you to bring your consummate skills to bear on the ugly legacy that plutonium production at Hanford has left us: 45 years' accumulation of highly radioactive and dangerous nuclear weapons wastes in temporary storage.

Hanford's nuclear weapons wastes threaten both our people and our environment. The Columbia River flows within a few miles of Hanford. It thence flows west 300 miles between Oregon and Washington -- and past major population centers. Radioactive wastes already have leaked from aged storage facilities. It has reached the local groundwater and the river.

So far, US DOE and Congress have mustered only tepid support for an aggressive, adequately-funded cleanup at Hanford. Too many see the cleanup issue as a "Northwest problem," conveniently forgetting that the nuclear weapons material produced at Hanford are for the national defense. Cleanup is a national responsibility.

I think I can predict with confidence that any attempt to put a new production reactor at Hanford -- without first addressing old nuclear weapons wastes and wastes yet to be created -- will be met by a firestorm of public protest. And, under those circumstances, I will be in the vanguard.

If you plan to visit our neighborhood again, please let me know. I'd be happy to sit down with you and discuss Oregon's point of view on the issue of nuclear weapons waste cleanup at Hanford.

Sincerely,

Neil Goldschmidt  
Governor

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*Hope all's well with you.*

*Powell*  
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NEIL GOLDSCHMIDT  
Governor



OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

Dear Lou,  
You will be missed!  
How can I keep you  
involved? (As in run for  
the legislature, serve on  
a Board? etc) Please call  
us well with you. Love

*Prante*

December 27, 1988

Lois Bristow Prante, Chairperson  
Deschutes County Commission  
Deschutes County Courthouse  
1164 N.W. Bond  
Bend, Oregon 97701

Dear Lois:

Your leadership in developing a strategic plan on State and Local Partnerships has helped me focus on key opportunities for Oregon. We will be incorporating your work in the state's strategic plan, and we will want your further comments as that document is developed.

Your insights on infrastructure and the need to finance infrastructure improvements was an important contribution to this effort. I am also excited about the potential for the partnership program to help enhance the capacity of local government to grow.

Thank you for your insightful report.

Sincerely,

Neil Goldschmidt  
Governor

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OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR  
STATE CAPITOL  
SALEM, OREGON 97310-0370  
TELEPHONE: 378-3111

May 9, 1989

Shane Pratt  
33874 Market Road  
Creswell, OR 97426

Dear Shane:

I've heard recently that you won a Silver Medal from the Oregon Congressional Award Council, and I am delighted to have this opportunity to add my congratulations to those you've already received.

Your award, based upon your community service and your personal development, is very encouraging and heartwarming. You volunteer your time and skills to help others in your community, which is a part of the neighborliness that has been an Oregon tradition since our pioneer days. It's more than just an Oregon tradition; Alexis de Tocqueville defined voluntarism as "habits of the heart" when he wrote about America more than 150 years ago. I'm proud to see that acting from the heart is so evident in young Oregonians.

I am even more encouraged that you are a role model not only for your peers but for all members of our society. You are the greatest natural resource for our future, and your guidance and leadership will allow our bright hopes to become realities. On behalf of the many who benefit from your efforts, I extend our gratitude.

Again, Shane, congratulations, and my warmest wishes for your continuing success. You make Oregon special, and I'm proud of you.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, which appears to read "Neil Goldschmidt".

Neil Goldschmidt  
Governor

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NEIL GOLDSCHMIDT  
GOVERNOR



OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR  
STATE CAPITOL  
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September 6, 1988

Hope Hughes Pressman  
Director, Special Programs  
University of Oregon Foundation  
P.O. Box 3346  
Johnson Hall  
Eugene, Oregon 97403

Dear Hope:

Your willingness to assist Baker County in the selection process for the Flagstaff Hill National Monument position is appreciated. It is expansive public employees like you who make economic recovery for all of Oregon possible.

I am convinced the expertise you lend Baker County will strengthen the Oregon Trail project. I thank you for your commitment to the overall health of the state. Working together, our opportunities are unlimited.

Sincerely,

Neil Goldschmidt

Pressman



5/26/88

GARY PRICE  
FRIBERG ELECTRICAL CO.  
4636 N. WILLIAMS  
PORTLAND, OR

NEIL GOLDSCHMIDT  
GOVERNOR



OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR  
STATE CAPITOL  
SALEM, OREGON 97310-1347

Dear Gary,  
Great to see you  
Saturday mite. Thank  
you for your help on  
our recent trip. I  
hope we can do the  
Haw Snow flight,  
too.

See you soon,  
Gene

NEIL GOLDSCHMIDT  
GOVERNOR



OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR  
STATE CAPITOL  
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April 21, 1988

~~PRITZKER~~  
Dr.

Dr. Gordon Gilkey  
Dan Monroe  
Fred D. Miller

Jean-FYE

I sent a  
copy to  
Gonzalez

~~P. Pritzker~~

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Pritzker  
209 Lake Shore Drive  
Chicago, IL 60611

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Pritzker  
155 N. Astor  
Chicago, IL 60610

Dear Pritzker Families:

I was fortunate to meet your father, Abram, during my mayoral years in Portland and hope to entice all of you to Oregon this summer.

From July 5 to August 21, 1988, an exhibition of paintings and drawings made during the past 20 years by your cousin, Joyce Treiman, will be shown as a major installation at the Portland Art Museum and the Oregon Art Institute.

Dr. Gordon Gilkey, Dean Emeritus of Oregon State University, now curator at the Portland Art Museum, will fill an additional gallery with Treiman original prints from the permanent collection of the Museum. Dr. Gilkey was once Joyce's faculty advisor and he became one of her biggest fans for the last 35 years or more.

You are all cordially invited to attend a special reception for Joyce on the evening of July 12 given by the Oregon Art Institute. We would hope to keep your attendance as a happy surprise for Joyce on this special night.

Dan Monroe, President of the Oregon Art Institute, 1219 SW Park Avenue, Portland, OR 97205 (telephone 503 226-2881) will be pleased to provide additional information about the reception.

Mr. Robert Ames, now President of the First Interstate Bank of Oregon and Chairman of the Museum Committee, joins me in this invitation to make this a most memorable evening for your cousin, Joyce Treiman. We hope the opportunity to share in this tribute to Joyce and see the beauty of Oregon in July will be irresistible to the Pritzkers.

Sincerely,

Neil Goldschmidt  
Governor

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bc: Dr. Gordon Gilkey  
Dan Monroe  
Fred D. Miller

*Pritzker* *Rice*

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Mr. Robert Ames, now President of the First Interstate Bank of Oregon and Chairman of the Museum Committee, joins me in this invitation to make this a most memorable evening for your cousin, Joyce Treiman. We hope the opportunity to share in this tribute to Joyce and see the beauty of Oregon in July will be irresistible to the Pritzkers.

Sincerely,

Neil Goldschmidt  
Governor

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Proffitt

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OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

Dear Sue,  
Good work at  
Rowena — great  
results. Congratulations  
for you & for Oregon.  
With my regards,  
Bill

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## Editor's notebook

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by austin abrams, managing editor



### Patience and persistence pays off

Seven years ago Wasco County commissioners and others directed their attention to the railroad crossings in Rowena considered to be a traffic hazard because they are unprotected.

Most people thought they were private crossings since most of the roadway in the area is private. At the time, the windsurfing interest had not developed here.

Then the windsurfers discovered one of the hottest spots on the Columbia River was just east of Rowena with limited access to the beach. A private road in the area led to the beach and there is an unimproved section of Mayer State Park to the east of the end of the private road.

The attraction of the challenging surfing spot on the river increased traffic sharply.

Efforts began to provide access. The Union Pacific Railroad, the county, highway division, landowners, windsurfers, the state parks division all wanted to eliminate the crossing hazards and provide safe access for the Rowena residents and surfers.

But the cost became a factor.

The Oregon Public Utilities Commissions administers state money which can be used for improving the safety of public crossings, but it cannot spend the money for private crossings.

The cost of the work exceeds what the county and railroad wanted to spend.

Neil - a nice hand note to Sue Jones  
would be appreciated, I'm sure.  
she really kept everyone on task.  
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Work plodded along with hearings, inspections, records searches and quite a bit of public attention on the problem.

Wasco County roadmaster and surveyor Denny Kramer and county planning director Dan Durow examined the situation. Durow and Kramer discovered in fact that when Rowena was platted the road along the railroad had been given public thoroughfare status, but there still was the matter of classifying the crossings public.

Durow found a resident of the area, John Martin, who testified that the crossings had been considered public from the beginning. There were also markings on the original plat of the community attesting to the public nature of the crossings.

The governor's office got involved with the other agencies and assigned the task to Sue Proffitt, former Wasco County Clerk who is now on the governor's staff for community development work.

Durow persisted on the question about the crossings and the attorney general ruled that in fact they were public and therefore the PUC could release the money to improve them.

All of that happened since last October.

On Friday, the state, county and railroad announced that a partnership involving all parties had been worked out. Rowena will get electronic signals for the west crossing, the east crossing will be closed and the county will improve the access road.

On Monday night, the county planning commission granted the state parks division a conditional use permit to improve the east side of Mayer Park, although the parks division has no money in its present budget for that work.

All involved are to be commended for sticking with a frustrating task and turning it into a beneficial project. 5019

Giff Powell

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Dear Neil:

Even though I recently sold my plant in Junction City, Clark & Powell Lbr. Co. is still alive to conduct other business, and I have the pleasure of filling out my term as president of the West Coast Lumber Inspection Bureau.

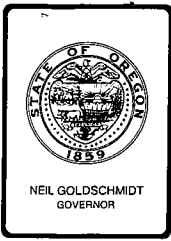
Next annual meeting for WCLIB (when my term ends) is April 14, 1989 at the Red Lion, Lloyd Center in Portland. The Bureau, and I in particular, would be very happy if you would accept this invitation to be our guest speaker at lunch on April 14, 1989.

The Bureau, at my request, will be sending a cover letter to Joan Smith.

Even though our membership covers the entire United States, we would be interested in hearing your view of the lumber industry's future in the State of Oregon.

Sincerely,  
Giff

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*Department of Energy*

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March 14, 1988

Neil,

Jody Powell has been hired to do some PR work on conversion of WNP-1. The attached is to let him know our priorities.

Dave

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Date 10-4-89

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as requested	investigate	per conversation
approval	justify	prepare reply
comment	necessary action	return with more detail
confer	initial and return	review and circulate
for your information	note and file	signature

Here is the draft letter to the Lottery  
Commission that we discussed.

FROM: Jim Davey	Phone No.
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