



Committee for the march, co-authored the homelessness curriculum (mentioned elsewhere in this newsletter), and was a panelist at the October 6 "Strategies for Change" briefing session held at the Dirksen Building auditorium.

He and we also will be involved in post-march follow-up planning and events.

□ PN INFO: We recently received a letter from a PN member who works at the Bergen County (NJ) Department of Planning and Economic Development, asking for 15 copies of our "Planners Network—What It Is" Intro sheet and "Call for Social Responsibility in the Planning and Building Professions," for distribution to co-workers. We'd like many more of you who work in agencies, or teach, or study, to do that.

□ FINANCIAL MINI-REPORT: We have received 21 contributions for \$622 since the August newsletter—the lowest participation and support so far this year. Hence, our earlier plea for help. Our special thanks to those who did contribute; we're deeply grateful for your support. Our year-to-date totals (with only the December issue remaining in 1989) now stand at 265 contributions, providing \$8,303.

## Passing the Word

□ HOMELESSNESS CURRICULUM: A Housing Now! teaching guide, "Housing and Homelessness: A Teaching Guide," was completed in record time, and distributed (with National Education Association help) all over the country. Ten thousand copies were gobbled up in the weeks before the October 7 march.

Others interested in obtaining a copy might try Mary Ellen Hombs at the National Coalition for the Homeless, 1439 Rhode Island Ave. N.W., Wash. DC 20006. PN has only a single copy (which in a pinch we'll loan you).

In response to our call for materials (PN #76, p. 2), we got from Letty Shapiro (801 E. Capitol St. S.E., Wash. DC 20003) an elementary school curriculum prepared for the DC public schools in 1987; an illustrated story on homelessness designed for young children (K-3), written by Marc and Marilyn Weiss (Real Estate Program, Columbia Univ., Avery Hall, New York, NY 10027); and a call from a Boston woman who indicated she had some material to send, but I don't think we ever received it (she was not a PN member, but saw a colleague's copy of the newsletter. I believe she worked at the Metropolitan Area Planning Council. Perhaps if she or her colleague see this item, she'll submit the materials she mentioned).

PNers interested in following up on this kind of valuable work should get in contact with each other.

□ PROUT PUBLICATIONS: Proutist Universal, a global organization of concerned people dedicated to building a truly just human society, has a 16-page publications catalogue on resources about PROUT, progressive utilization theory. Contact: Proutist Universal Publications, 7111 Sunrise Rd., Chapel Hill, NC 27514, 919/493-3027.

□ LINKAGE STRATEGIES: *Linking Development Benefits to Neighborhoods: A Manual of Community-Based Strategies* is a 56-page guide to approaches and techniques for linking neighborhood benefits to for-profit development. Copies are \$22.50, from Community Information Exchange, 1029 Vermont Ave. N.W. #710, Wash. DC 20005; 202/628-2981.

□ NYC DEVELOPMENT GROUPS: *The Activities and Accomplishments of New York City's Community Development Organizations* is an 88-page survey report on 70 community development organizations active in housing, industrial/commercial development, and business enterprises. Copies: New Ventures, 24 W. 40th St. 7th Flr., New York, NY 10018, 212/768-1188.

□ COMBATTING HOMELESSNESS is a 300-page report which concludes that lack of affordable housing is "probably the major cause of homelessness in America." Copies are \$10 from: American Affordable Housing Institute, Box 118, New Brunswick, NJ 08903.

□ CITIZENS' AGENDA: *A Safer and More Democratic America in the 1990s* is a 50-page guide to a range of issues involving health and safety regulation, environmental regulation, open and democratic government, and corporate accountability. Included is a four-page section on banks and banking, highlighting the savings and loan bailout and mortgage redlining, among other issues. Copies are \$11.50, from: Public Citizen, 2000 P St. N.W. #300, Wash. DC 20036.

□ AFFORDABLE HOUSING: *The Years Ahead* is a 51-page program paper of the Ford Foundation which looks at America's housing situation. Its recommendations include widening the national policy debate, assisting nonprofit housing developers, and linking emergency shelter and permanent housing. Contact: Office of Communications, Ford Foundation, 320 E. 43rd St., New York, NY 10017.

□ MCKINNEY ACT: *The McKinney Act—A Program Guide and Non-McKinney Federal Programs Available to Help the Homeless* are two publications available from the Interagency Council on the Homeless, 451 Seventh St. S.W. #7274, Wash. DC 20410.

□ SHELTERS' SURVEY: *A Report on the 1988 National Survey of Shelters for the Homeless* documents operational, funding, and staffing information about shelters in the United States. Cost: \$3.00. Contact: HUD User, Box 6091, Rockville, MD 20850; 301/251-5154.

□ DEVELOPMENT FINANCING: The Community Information Exchange (1029 Vermont Ave. N.W. #710, Wash. DC 20005, 202/628-2981) is offering a computer-based news service, *Funding News*, on funding and financing available from private sources for community development and neighborhood self-help.

□ LEADERSHIP AWARDS: The MidAmerica Leadership Foundation (122 S. Michigan Ave. #1220, Chicago, IL 60603, 312/427-2017) has announced three 1989 Leadership Award winners from Chicago neighborhoods in recognition of religiously motivated community leadership by everyday people. Each award includes a \$1,000 stipend and a commemorative plaque.

□ POLITICAL POSTERS: The World Political Parties and Groups Institute (Box K, New York, NY 10028, 212/879-5794) is seeking political posters and other political graphics for the period 1950-89 for its permanent research collection, which also is used in exhibits and publications.

## PN Special Feature

### C'mon, folks!

Well, here's this month's PN Special Feature. After more than three years of consecutive issues with a think piece, we've come up short this time.

C'mon, folks, you must be doing or thinking something interesting that you can write up for your fellow Networkers.

Get in touch with Special Feature Editor Bob Beauregard, Department of Urban Planning, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ 08903, 201/932-4053. Please.

We want this feature to continue.

- HOMELESS/GOVERNMENTS:** The Advisory Commission on Intergovernmental Relations (Wash. DC 20575, 202/653-5538) has released a nationwide survey which showed a statistical tie among federal, state, and local governments as having the respondents' greatest trust and confidence to handle helping the homeless most effectively. The results were federal, 28%; local, 27%; and state, 26%.
- HOSPITAL WORKERS:** *Take Care* is a 28-minute color video of an acclaimed musical revue based on the experiences of New York City hospital workers, which celebrates the joys, heartaches, and concerns of health care workers. It is available in 1/2" VHS for sale (\$150) or rent (\$40), from: Bread and Roses Cultural Project Film Library, 415 W. Main St., Wyckoff, NJ 07481, 201/891-8240.
- ENVIRONMENTAL STATEMENT:** The 1,200-participant Fourth Biennial Congress on the Fate and the Hope of the Earth, which met June 5-9 in Nicaragua, has issued a six-page Managua Declaration on global environmentalism from a Third World perspective. Copies: Earth Island Institute, 300 Broadway #28, San Francisco, CA 94133, 415/788-3666.
- INSTITUTE REPORT:** The Institute for Public Policy and Citizenship Studies at Florida International University (Miami, FL 33199) has issued a 12-page 1988-89 annual report on its four-year-old programs to offer students, faculty, and the community alternative learning opportunities in public policy and citizenship development.
- ENVIRONMENTAL AWARDS:** Renew America (1400 16th St. N.W. #710, Wash. DC 20036, 202/232-2252) is seeking nominations for 1990 National Environmental Achievement Awards. Applications will be evaluated for program effectiveness, replicability, economic feasibility and sustainability, and meeting community needs. Application deadline is January 15.
- JOURNALISM AWARDS:** The National Association of Real Estate Editors is announcing the 1989 Real Estate Journalism Award competition, which considers entries in seven different categories. Details: Robin Hepler, ProForma Communications, 106 Short St. #205, Gahanna, OH 43230, 614/475-6766.
- HOUSING IN AMERICA: 1985-86** (Current Housing Report, H-121, No. 19) is a 68-page profile of housing from the mid-1970s to 1985, with three perspectives: physical characteristics, housing market and finances; and social and economic characteristics. Copies are \$3, from: Customer Service, Bureau of the Census, Wash. DC 20233; 301/763-4100.
- HOUSING SURVEY:** *American Housing Survey for the United States* in 1985 (H-150-85) is a 568-page report on housing and household characteristics throughout the United States. Copies are \$28, from: Government Printing Office (Stock #003-2406872-9), Wash. DC 20402, 202/783-3238.
- FEDERAL REGISTER NEWS:** CD Publications (8555 16th St. #100, Silver Spring, MD 20910, 301/588-6380) publishes *CD-Housing Register*, which provides monthly updates on housing and community development notices in the daily *Federal Register*. Subscriptions are \$279.
- SCANDINAVIAN JOURNAL:** *Scandinavian Housing and Planning Research* is an English-language quarterly interdisciplinary journal with articles on physical, economic, social, and political aspects of housing and planning. Subscriptions are \$81(US), to: Almqvist & Wiksell Periodical Co., Box 638, S 101 28 Stockholm, Sweden.
- PNers/SAN FRANCISCO:** The San Francisco Redevelopment Agency now has two PN members among its seven commissioners, Buck Bagot (Vice President) and newly appointed member Gary Kitahata. The Agency also seems about to embark on a new mission for it—and hopefully for other redevelopment authorities: placing affordable housing as its central mission. Write Buck (Northern California Association for Nonprofit Housing, 82 Second St. #204, San Francisco, CA 94105) for further information.
- DECISION-MAKING:** From PNER Andriana Abariotes (Macalester College, 1600 Grand Ave., St. Paul, MN 55105): I'm researching new and innovative methods and tools for decision making within community economic development (more specifically, community organizations). Suggestions for models, theories, tools, etc. would be greatly appreciated.
- CORPORATE GIVING:** *Corporate 500: Directory of Corporate Philanthropy 1989-90* is a 1,200-page reference which profiles more than 575 corporations which give to nonprofits. Copies are \$312.50, from: Public Management Institute, 358 Brannan St., San Francisco, CA 94107, 415/896-1900.

□ HOUSING/NYC: *Missing the Mark: Subsidizing Housing for the Privileged, Displacing the Poor* is a 152-page report on New York City's 10-Year Housing Plan, from the Association for Neighborhood and Housing Development Inc. and the Housing Justice Campaign (236 W. 27th St., New York, NY 10001, 212/463-9600. Copies are \$10.

□ PNER REQUEST: From Networker Joe Feagin (Dept. of Sociology, Univ. of Texas, Austin, TX 78712, 512/471-1122): I am working on a research project that involves interviewing Black middle-class professionals and managers (and other "white-collar" workers) on the discrimination they face in jobs, housing, politics, and interpersonal relations. My small research grant only covers interviews in Southwestern cities, so I would welcome assistance from anyone outside the Southwest who would be willing to help secure a few interviews with Black middle-class people in your area. My first interviews indicate that the Black middle-class faces massive discrimination in the United States, media and academic arguments about the "declining significance of race" notwithstanding.

□ FANNIE MAE AWARDS: Fannie Mae (3900 Wisconsin Ave. N.W., Wash. DC 20016) has announced competition for its 1989 Awards of Excellence for the Production of Low-Income Housing, which will make grants of \$25,000 each to six nonprofit groups. Winners will be announced in April 1990.

□ NYC POLITICAL ATLAS: *The Wagner Atlas: New York City Politics 1989*, by PNER John H. Mollenkopf, is a 32-page political atlas of social, economic, and political conditions, concentrating on trends relevant to the 1989 Mayoral elections. Copies are \$8.95, from: The Roger F. Wagner Sr. Institute of Urban Public Policy, 33 W. 42nd St. #909, New York, NY 10036, 212/642-2362.

□ PN/SIGN-ON LETTERS: Two "sign-on" letters to Congress PN recently added its name to opposed (unsuccessfully) the capital gains tax cut in the House budget reconciliation bill (organized by the Coalition on Human Needs, 1000 Wisconsin Ave. N.W., Wash. DC 20007); and supported full funding for the McKinney Homeless Assistance Act (organized by the National Coalition for the Homeless, 1439 Rhode Island Ave. N.W., Wash. DC 20005). If your organization would like to get on a list to receive sign-on letters that PN is asked to join, let us know; and we'll pass your name on to the various circulators/organizers of these projects.

□ HOUSING v. DEFENSE/BOSTON: The Boston Redevelopment Authority has released a report, *From a Military to a Housing Build-Up*, which shows a six-percent shift from federal military spending to housing would generate an additional \$153 million a year in housing funds for the city. Copies: PNER and co-author Peter Dreier, Director of Housing, BRA, City Hall #912, Boston, MA 02201.

□ HOUSING ARTICLES: Two recently-published articles by PN members Peter Dreier and John Atlas are available from the National Housing Institute, 439 Main St., Orange, NJ 07050. In "Lessons of the HUD Scandal: Communities, Not Carpetbaggers," Dreier in the August 21 *Nation* describes the HUD scandal as a product of the huge profits available from federal housing programs, calls for a new direction in federal housing policy and examines the success of Canada's system of nonprofit housing. In "Grassroots Strategies for the Housing Crisis: A

National Agenda," Dreier and Atlas in a recent *Social Policy* examine the state of grassroots organizing on the housing issue, and propose new strategies.

□ HOUSING PAMPHLET: "The Politics of the Housing Crisis," an analysis by PN member Peter Dreier, was recently published as a pamphlet by Democratic Socialists of America, 15 Dutch St. #500, New York, NY 10038. Copies are free.

□ PNER HONORED (AGAIN): PN Member Frank J. Popper (Urban Studies Dept., Rutgers Univ., New Brunswick, NJ 08903) has won the Society of National Association Publications' second prize for the best feature article in a scholarly journal in 1988. The article, "Understanding American Land Use Regulation since 1970," which appeared in the Summer 1988 *Journal of the American Planning Association*, had previously (PN #76, p. 5) won the *Journal's* award as the best article of the year.

□ PHILANTHROPY REPORT: *Giving USA*, edited by PNER Nathan Weber, is a 156-page annual report on philanthropy in 1988, compiled by the AAFRC Trust for Philanthropy (25 W. 43rd St., New York, NY 10036, 212/354-5799. It includes fundraising information on progressive change groups as well as on traditional charities. Copies are \$40.

□ HOMELESSNESS ADVOCACY: Maria Foscarinis, formerly Director of the Washington, DC, office of the National Coalition for the Homeless, has become Director of the National Law Center on Homelessness and Poverty (1575 Eye St. N.W., Wash. DC 20005, 202/289-1680), which focuses on legal means to redress both homelessness and poverty.

□ NONPROFIT MANAGEMENT: The Support Center of Washington (1410 Que St. N.W., Wash. DC 20009, 202/232-1234) has issued its catalogue of Fall management workshops for nonprofit organizations. Other Support Center offices are located around the country; you may wish to check for a convenient location near you.

□ SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT: The Center for Human Settlements at the Univ. of British Columbia has two new publications on sustainable development: a research bulletin, "Defining Sustainable Development" by Bill Rees (\$3), and a 145-page book, *Planning for Sustainable Development: A Resource Book*, edited by Bill Rees (\$15). Order from: Publication Office, Center for Human Settlements, Univ. of British Columbia, 2206 East Mall, Vancouver, B.C. V6T 1W5, Canada, 604/228-5254.

## Upcoming Conferences

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□ **INTERNATIONAL ADPSR:** Members of Architects/Designers/Planners for Social Responsibility are being invited to participate in an international assembly November 7-10 in Prague on connections among global armaments, global ecology, and global social problems. Contact: ADPSR, 212/431-3756.

□ **LOW-INCOME HOUSING:** The National Low-Income Housing Coalition (1012 14th St. N.W. #1500, Wash. DC 20005, 202/662-1530) will hold its annual membership and board meeting October 30 in Washington.

□ **PUERTO RICAN COALITION:** The National Puerto Rican Coalition (1700 K St. N.W. #500, Wash. DC 20006) will hold its annual conference November 2-3 in Boston on the theme, "Breaking Out of the Cycle of Poverty." Registration is \$85 for NPRC members, \$110 for others.

## Jobs

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□ **PN REMINDER:** Some of the jobs we list may have application deadlines earlier than when you receive the newsletter. But deadlines can be adjusted sometimes. So we urge you to phone first, if a number is listed, and check on the deadline schedule.

□ **RUTGERS/PLANNING:** The Department of Urban Planning and Policy Development at Rutgers Univ. (New Brunswick, NJ 08903, 201/932-3822) is seeking to fill a tenure-track position at the Assistant Professor level. Special interest will be shown for candidates in environmental planning and economic development policy. Contact: PNER Hooshang Amirahmadi, Search Committee Chair.

□ **NEW MEXICO/ARCHITECTURE:** The School of Architecture and Planning at the Univ. of New Mexico (Albuquerque, NM 87131, 505/277-2903) has three tenure-track openings: an Associate Professor position to teach graduate and undergraduate Design Studio and Theory; an Assistant/Associate Professor position to teach required and elective structures courses, and consult in design studios; an Assistant/Associate Professor position to teach Basic Design, Beginning Architectural Design and Graphics. Contact: Faculty Search Committee.

□ **HOMELESSNESS:** The Homelessness Information Exchange (1830 Connecticut Ave. N.W. 4th Flr., Wash. DC 20009, 202/462-7551) is seeking an experienced Director of Information and Technical Assistance, to expand databases on housing and human services, offer technical assistance, and assist with newsletters and publications. Salary is based on experience.

□ **DEVELOPMENT PLANNER:** The Center for Urban and Economic Development (Univ. of Illinois, Box 4358, Chicago, IL 60680, 312/996-2225) is seeking a Planner for community economic development, experienced working with community groups and other agencies, and in providing technical assistance. Salary is \$20,000-\$30,000.

□ **ADVOCACY PLANNING:** The Bay Area Council (847 Sansome St., San Francisco, CA 94111, 415/981-6600) has two openings in advocacy planning for housing and land use. One is for a Project Director (\$2,700-\$2,900/month) on a local housing element assistance project; the other is for a Policy Analyst (\$29,000) for a Bay Area housing and growth program.

□ **DEPUTY DIRECTOR:** The Center on Budget and Policy Priorities (236 Massachusetts Ave. N.E. #305, Wash. DC 20002, 202/544-0591) is seeking a Deputy Director, to function as the chief management and administrative officer. Candidates should be familiar with communications, publications production, research, fundraising, or work with government social welfare programs. Salary is mid-\$40s to lower-\$50s.

□ **DEVELOPMENT SPECIALIST:** The McAuley Institute (1320 Fenwick Ln. #600, Silver Spring, MD 20910, 301/588-8110) is seeking a Development Specialist to work with its loan fund on fundraising and income-producing strategies. Contact: JoAnne Kane.

□ **CAPACITY-BUILDING:** The Center for Community Change (1000 Wisconsin Ave. N.W., Wash. DC 20007, 202/342-0594)

has an opening for a Community Development Resource Specialist, to provide technical assistance to community-based development organizations, to help develop financing policy, and to coordinate workshops. Extensive travel required. Contact: Andy Mott.

**RESEARCH ADMINISTRATOR:** The American Affordable Housing Institute (Rutgers Univ., Piscataway, NJ 08855) is seeking an Assistant Research Director to provide technical assistance, supervise research coordinators, and prepare and administer budgets. Salary is \$33,907.

**EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR:** Neighbor to Neighbor Inc. of Dayton, OH, is seeking its initial Executive Director, to develop a program of technical assistance to neighborhood development corporations involved primarily in housing. Salary is \$25,000-\$30,000. Contact: Deborah Williams-Bentley, c/o Dayton Foundation, 1895 Kettering Tower, Dayton, OH 45423, 513/222-0410.

## Ex Conferences

**LISC ANNIVERSARY:** The Local Initiatives Support Corp. (666 Third Ave., New York, NY 10017, 212/949-8562) held a conference October 19-20 in New York celebrating its 10th anniversary. Details: Lisa Belsky.

**PRESERVATION CONFERENCE:** The National Trust for Historic Preservation (1785 Massachusetts Ave. N.W., Wash. DC 20036) held its 43rd annual national preservation conference October 11-15 in Philadelphia. The conference included a series of special sessions on "Affordable Housing in Older Neighborhoods: Multiple Strategies."

## Etcetera

**DECEMBER PN DEADLINE:** The arrival deadline for copy for the December *Planners Network* is Monday, December 4. We look forward to hearing from as many Networkers as possible. As always, our thanks to those who type their notes. It's a great help in production, and it reduces our chances of misreading what you write.

**Arrival deadline for PN #79 copy: Monday, December 4.**

**TALK UP PN:** Please don't be shy about sharing news of the Planners Network with others. Let them know about us. Probably the best outreach we have is when you educate and recruit your friends, co-workers, acquaintances, and others. We have a good, one-page introductory sheet, "The Planners Network—What It Is," which we can send you in any quantity you wish. "What It Is" includes a statement of our principles, a brief organizational history, a list of Steering Committee members (who also double as regional contacts) and the method of calculating contributions. If you wish, you can also send us a list of prospective Networkers, and we will contact them for you.

**MOVING? TELL PN:** When you move, please let us know directly. If our (non-forwardable) Third Class newsletter is returned to us, with your new address, which is the way we usually learn of PNers' moves (we mark the newsletter "Return & Forwarding Postage Guaranteed"), it costs us 69¢ per; a thoughtful change-of-address card to us on the other hand will cost you just 15¢.

**PERSONAL UPDATES:** There are a number of short communications in this issue from Network members, letting us know about new jobs, projects, what's happening in their lives, etc. We encourage this. Sharing this kind of "where-I'm-at" information helps create a sense of community, provide contact, generate support, and generally act like the network we strive to be.

**ADDRESS CHANGES:** Many Networkers seem to move around a lot. When you do, please let us have your old address and zip code as well as your new ones. Names (like luggage) sometimes are identical, and we want to be sure we change the right address card. Moreover, our cards are maintained in zip code order (because that's the way the Post Office wants the mail); so if we don't have your old zip code, we can't find your old card; and we wind up paying postage for phantom recipients. So please help out and send both old and new addresses.

**"CALL" STATEMENT:** We have a one-page, broadside version of the "Call for Social Responsibility in the Planning and Building Profession," which appeared in PN #49. Copies are available on request. It makes a good addition to "The Planners Network—What It Is" in recruiting members.



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