

OUTLINE OF 100-DAY SPEECH

One important concept embodied in the 100-day program is accountability, that is, to set clear objectives and priorities; to identify groups of tasks within those priorities that can be completed within a period and to start over again upon completion. That is what the 100-day program was all about and that is the way we will be operating in the future.

TEN-POINT PROGRAM

I. DRUG TRAFFIC

- (a) Reorganization of Police Department to see that information and resources of Narcotics Section are used throughout the department.
- (b) Police Narcotics Section and Youth Section Bureau and public school people are working closer together.
- (c) Have written Chief Justice Kavanagh asking him to help us get a one-man grand jury in Detroit.

II. POLICE DEPARTMENT ACCOUNTABILITY

- (a) As part of the Police Department reorganization plan, for the first time inspectors in the precinct will be responsible for all police actions within their jurisdiction.

III. THE PEOPLE AND THE POLICE WILL WORK TOGETHER

- (a) STRESS has been terminated.
- (b) Mini-stations will be opened -- three this week -- ten within a month -- 55 in total.

IV. GUN CONTROL

- (a) Met with Recorder's Court Judges. First time a Mayor has ever met with the judges of this court.

V. URBAN ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY

- (a) A bill has passed the Senate and is before the House. The bill must have some amendments to insure greater community input and a better deal for the people relocated.

VI. DOWNTOWN DETROIT

- (a) A whole list of things have been done to encourage and develop downtown Detroit.
1. Free night and weekend parking in downtown Detroit.
 2. 200 new on-street parking places.
 3. Jefferson-Randolph and Cadillac Square parking garages are moving.
 4. Park-and-ride west of Cobo Hall, with free mini-bus transportation to be open very shortly.
 5. Consumer Information Center will be open by July 1.
 6. Downtown Coordinating Council is already operating to coordinate and promote activities in the CBDA.
 7. Mini-stations will be opened downtown.
 8. Environmental improvements, including flowers, new lighting, increased.
 9. Civic Center Plaza Corporation date moved forward.

VII. COMMUNITY BUSINESS SYSTEMS

- (a) The staff at the Small and Minority Business Development Section of CDC increased.
- (b) Bonding requirements for contractors doing business for the City of Detroit have been decreased: Up to 25% for contractors under \$50,000; 50% for contractors from \$50,000 to \$1,000,000; and 100% for all contracts over \$1,000,000.
- (c) We have increased the apprenticeship program designed to bring minority groups into the skilled trades.

VIII. HOUSING

- (a) As a result of pressures we put on HUD, they have offered us 2,000 homes in Detroit -- more than half of the vacant homes offered to local governments nationally. We should have the details on what homes and the nature of the program we will be offering completed in a few weeks.

IX. SENIOR CITIZENS

- (a) By the end of the month, the DSR Commission will have approved free fares for senior citizens outside of peak traffic hours.
- (b) Mini-police stations will be located in areas near senior citizen housing.

- (c) Appointed a special staff assistant, Evelyn Carsman, to oversee senior citizen programs.

X. TRANSPORTATION

- (a) The new Transportation Department will have total responsibility for all types of transportation planning.
- (b) The DSR Commission will approve a reduced fare for inbound buses inside the Grand Boulevard ring -- from 40 cents to 25 cents.
- (c) We prepared a plan for express bus lanes on certain key routes in Detroit but there is a Michigan statute which prohibits express bus lanes. Called for repeal of that statute.

Generally, we have indicated that we will use the most effective management techniques possible to use city resources in a rational manner. In addition, we have completed the Executive Organization Plan and the new budget. The new budget will be designed to fund the city government as it will be organized under the Executive Organization Plan. This is something many people said we could not do as we would not have time to get both the plan and budget done.