



TO: Governor

DATE: October 3, 1981

FROM: Gerry Thompson

SUBJECT: Daily Report

Stub Stewart stopped by. Expressed concern that Weaver can get front page spreads with pictures and the Governor cannot. He feels somebody should visit with George Bell and Al McCready, editor of the Oregonian, and suspects that Governor's staff is not doing their job in getting better press for the Governor.

Stub feels the timber strategy panel is excellent, receiving good publicity and wants you to know that Ken Self is an excellent chairman.

Distict court judge for Lane County -- Stub says absolutely no on Laurie Smith, but an absolute yes on Laura Parrish if you are leaning toward a woman.

Stub says it is also a must that you go with him to Hart Mountain July 1982.

Bob Oliver had a conversation with Hartzell Cox. Feels a warning should be passed on to you that we are still hearing from the Jean Smith AM Northwest appearance. Representatives from ONA and the NHA may be asking to meet with you. Bob and I had a meeting with Jean Smith this morning. Made her aware of problems she is creating for the office as well as state agency heads. Made it clear to her what her responsibilities are and asked for her immediate cooperation in dealing with her peers in a more cooperative manner. I will be meeting with Jean on at least an every-other-week basis and both Bob and I will be closely monitoring her activities. She is responsive to this and indicated she would work toward better relationships.

A fews days ago Ed Devine from Governor Spellman's office called asking that we join with them in a cooperative effort to lobby further financial cuts in the refugee program. I have visited at length over the last few days with Leo and his staff. Although we are not sure precisely what Washington's concerns are, we can only gather that they have not budgeted for the 50 percent cut in funds. It is both my position and Leo's that Oregon should stay out of it for various reasons, the least of which would be your taking a contrary position to precedents set by you. If you wish to discuss further, let me know.

Bill Rutherford called and wanted to know if you had heard anything from Senator Hatfield. I told him I would check with you and get back to him on Wednesday.