TO:

Governor

FROM:

Gerry

SUBJECT:

Internal Staff Meeting

Friday, December 16, 1983

## I. Your schedule.

- A. The need for tightly organized monthly regional trips.
  - 1. Glenna develop logical regional schedule for next 12 months for distribution to key staff as an early warning system.
  - 2. Each trip should be systematically designed to include local government, local volunteers, local Republicans (legislators and committee members, listening post representatives, state agencies, business, labor, etc.).
  - 3. Monthly trip does not preclude other out-trips.
- B. Better communication among staff members of Governor's schedule. The weekly printed schedule is helpful, but staff is seldom aware of the many fill-ins that occur. Often staff has helpful information that could be useful.
- C. The "age-old" discussion of the Governor's "jammed" schedule.
- II. Update of the agency head meeting.
  - A. We will work to incorporate your additional points.
  - B. Schedule a meeting for you with staff to finalize and activate the plan.
- III. Update on State of State address, January 11, 1984.
  - A. Suggested, at least, some of staff members should attend.
  - B. Asked that those interested in attending let me know.
- IV. Open Houses which have become poorly managed and in some cases actually chaotic.
  - A. Suggested better coordination between Glenna and Dodie.
  - B. Suggested a member of Citizens' Rep office always be in attendance so that when necessary you can refer difficult people or people's problems.
  - C. Generally, set up a system that does <u>not</u> discourage people attending but is better organized and, perhaps, easier for you.



- V. Discussed office physical improvements.
  - A. Better pooling of information and resources.
  - B. Better use of existing computer terminal.
  - C. Explore equipment needs (computer and otherwise) for the office.
- VI. Broad, general conversation about upcoming budget and legislative concepts cycle.
- VII. Update on vacant key positions: Revenue, DEQ, PUC, Power Council, Citizen Rep, Special Projects.
- VIII. General report of this week's activities and expectations for coming week.
- IX. Office inventory control through Betty Maudlin.

We will continue to meet every Friday at noon with a general purpose of communication and day-to-day planning.