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USSC TASK ASSIGNMENTS

July 11, 1995

All Members

- Get comments on USSC brochure to Gary Christenson or Judy Watanabe by **July 31**.

Lorayne Frank, Lee Allison, Walter Arabasz, Suzanne Winters, James Bailey (Standing Committee chairs)

- Send list of committee members to Gary Christenson by **September 1** for approval by Les and circulation to all USSC members.

Suzanne Winters

- Try to reschedule meeting with the Governor when Senator Peterson can attend.

Lee Allison, Lorayne Frank

- Check with department directors to gauge support for requesting a USSC staff person in UGS or CEM.

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- Contact Ken Bullock to encourage ULCT participation in the USSC.

Walter Arabasz

- Summarize proceedings at meeting with Governor Leavitt and submit to staff for mailing to all members.

Les Youd

- Send EERI membership information and application forms to staff for mailing to all USSC members.

Staff

- Place annual report and conference on agenda for next meeting.
- Send letter to congressional delegation in support of USGS NEHRP external program.
- Circulate list of committee members.
- Finalize brochure and determine circulation.
- Outline contents for annual report.
- Contact NEHRP Coalition regarding USSC participation.





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ITEMS FOR FURTHER CONSIDERATION/ACTION

(items in bold are new from July 11, 1995 meeting)

- 1) **Hold a spring 1996 earthquake conference.**
- 2) **Prepare a 1995-1996 annual report in June 1996.**
- 3) **Hold a meeting with all committee members (possibly the 10/27/95 meeting).**
- 4) **Assess need for 1996 legislation after meeting with Governor Leavitt.**
- 5) Inventory response, mitigation, and recovery plans in Utah and provide/publicize state assistance.
- 6) Identify companies, local governments, and citizens trying to move forward, and find out what they need from the state.
- 7) Investigate available federal assistance.
- 8) Inventory buildings to determine the extent of the risk in Utah; improve trigger for URM retrofit.
- 9) Promote education and training for building professionals (inspectors, contractors, engineers, architects).
- 10) Support plan reviews and license reviewers.
- 11) Inventory and publicize Utah's "successes" in earthquake loss reduction.

