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DOMESTIC COUNCIL

FROM:

BOB ANAZAGASTI

SUBJECT:

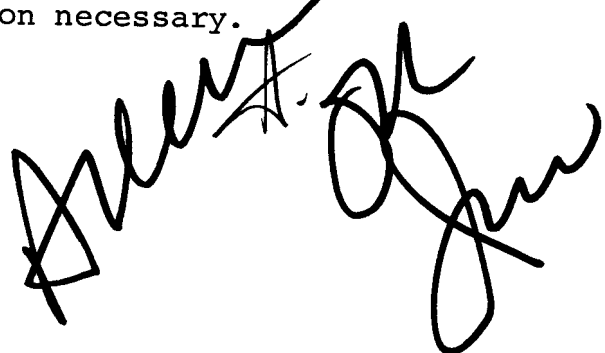
CC of letter to Sen. Javits from DoL re:
East Harlem Community Corp.'s search for
manpower training funds.

----- Date: 11/4/76 -----

COMMENTS:

Letter indicates that some new funds have
become available to New York City, so the
proposal can be considered. It also indicates
that all funding decisions are made by local
CETA "prime sponsors" not by DoL Regional
or national offices.

No action necessary.



ACTION:

Date:

East Harlem Community Corporation

105 East 106th Street
New York, N. Y. 10029

Tel. 427-0500

FROM The office of: From: Office of Executive Director
TO: James Cannon, Dir. Dom. Council
DATE: November 4, 1976

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NOTE: Please add to your file on the East Harlem
OJT - CETA Training Program

Bib
11/4

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR
EMPLOYMENT AND TRAINING ADMINISTRATION

1515 BROADWAY

Problems.

Reply to Attn. of: II-TGS-3

REGION II

NEW YORK, NEW YORK 10036

OCT 27 1976



Honorable Jacob K. Javits
United States Senate
Attn: Mr. Richard Berman
110 East 45th Street
New York, New York 10017

Dear Senator Javits:

This is in reply to your letter of October 15, 1976 regarding issues raised by Mr. Roberto C. Anazagasti in his letter to the Regional Office of October 12, 1976.

We have reviewed this matter. The information furnished by Mr. Anazagasti is substantially correct. However, we are advised that the New York City Prime Sponsor was unable to give consideration to new proposals at the time Mr. Anazagasti's was submitted because of limited funds.

An additional Title I allocation has recently been given to New York City. Mr. Anazagasti should now expect the consideration of his proposal promised in the City's letter to him on September 20, 1976.

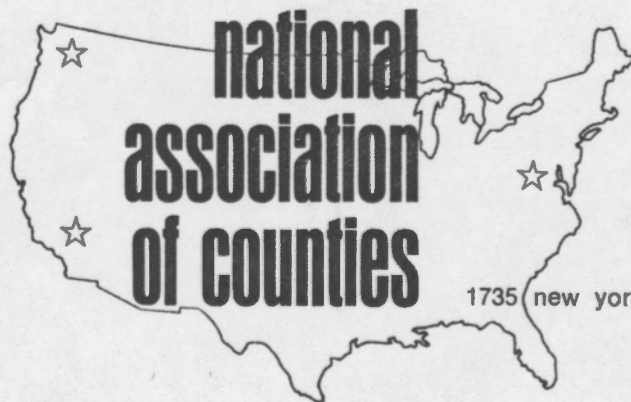
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Sincerely,

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for LAWRENCE W. ROGERS
Regional Administrator





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1735 new york avenue, n.w., washington, d.c. 20006

(202) 785-9577

November 12, 1976

The Honorable William J. Usery, Jr.
 Secretary of Labor
 200 Constitution Avenue, N.W.
 Washington, D.C. 20210



Dear Mr. Secretary:

We continue to be distressed about DOL's failure to allocate CETA Title II and VI funds as outlined in our letter to you of November 2nd.

We are concerned with the glaring inability of BLS to provide error-free data in a timely fashion. With President Ford's commitment to a smooth transition, we feel that the next order of business for BLS, once the data for CETA Titles II and VI and countercyclical assistance becomes available, is to insure that error-free unemployment data is ready for the period of January to December 1976 so that a public service jobs' supplemental appropriation can be allocated as soon as the 95th Congress appropriates funds (probably by the end of March 1977).

We stand ready to do anything within our power to expedite the allocation of these job creation funds.

Sincerely,

Bernard F. Hillenbrand
 Executive Director

cc: Mr. James A. Cannon ✓
 Mr. James T. Lynn
 Mr. Paul O'Neill
 Mr. William Kolberg
 Mr. Julius Shiskin

Date: November 17, 1976

Time:

FOR ACTION:

Phil Buchen

Bill Seidman

Jim Cannon

Alan Greenspan

Max Friedersdorf

Jack Marsh

FROM THE STAFF SECRETARY

cc (for information):

576 104 11 9 56

DUE: Date: Thursday, November 18, 1976 Time: 3:00 P.M.

SUBJECT: James T. Lynn memo, 11/16/76 re
Public Service Jobs Funding.

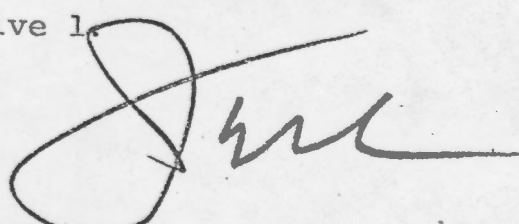
ACTION REQUESTED:

☐ For Necessary Action☒ For Your Recommendations☐ Prepare Agenda and Brief☐ Draft Reply☒ For Your Comments☐ Draft Remarks

REMARKS:

Since the Secretary of Labor, with the President's approval, indicated that the Administration supported a full year extension of Title VI, it would seem that the Budget should reflect full year funding of the program.

Therefore I support Alternative 1.



PLEASE ATTACH THIS COPY TO MATERIAL SUBMITTED.

If you have any questions or if you anticipate a delay in submitting the required material, please telephone the Staff Secretary immediately.

Jim Connor

For the President

DOMESTIC COUNCIL

FROM:

Lissy

SUBJECT: OMB memo to the President re: CETA funding

----- Date: 11/18 -----

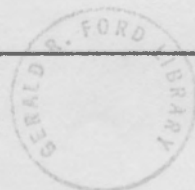
COMMENTS:

Lissy indicates that in discussions with OMB, they have expressed qualified support for his position (which is basically a hybrid of the DOL alternative and the OMB alternative)

A.

ACTION:

Date:



THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

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November 18, 1976



MEMORANDUM FOR: JIM CANNON
FROM: DAVID LISSY *my*
SUBJECT: JIM LYNN MEMO ON PUBLIC SERVICE JOBS
FUNDING--PRESIDENTIAL DECISION NEEDED

There are two issues here and I think the memo is easier to understand if the issues are stated at the outside.

One question is whether we commit ourselves now to a full year of funding for Title VI of CETA or whether we seek only enough now to carry the program at its current level through March 31, 1977.

A second issue relates to what formula would be used to allocate Title VI funds-with the DOL preferred approach requiring perhaps \$350 million more on a full year basis than would the OMB approach.

The second issue is highly technical and I cannot make any fully informed recommendation. I would defer to OMB on this issue.

The first issue raises core policy questions. On this one I would recommend the DOL position. Even if we had won it is a sure bet in my judgment that Title VI would have continued to the end of 1977. As OMB points out near the beginning of its memo, the President has already indicated he would support a continuation of Title VI (with provisos). At this stage of the game I suspect explanations as to the legal basis for preferring a commitment to 3 month as opposed to full year funding will be totally lost and not reported. The message will be perceived as opposition to public service jobs and as potentially inconsistent with the position the President took when the authorization bill was being considered.

I recommend you support DOL on the full year commitment and OMB on the use of the sponsor rather than the formula approach.

Although such a split-decision is not listed in the OMB memo as an option with a number it is an option held open by the last sentence of the OMB recommendation section.

cc: Art Quern
Bill Diefenderfer

DOMESTIC COUNCIL

FROM:

EDWARD VETTER (Acting Secretary of Commerce)

SUBJECT:

Response to Gov. Rhodes letter re: State
allocation formula under Title I of Public
Works Employment Act of 1976.

Date: 11/24/76

COMMENTS:

Gov. Rhodes had written seeking a change in
the allocation formula (copy sent to you).
The Vetter letter to Rhodes lays out an ex-
planation of the rationale for the Commerce
formula -- citing the need to balance consid-
erations of the size of the unemployment
problem (i.e. absolute number of unemployed)
with the rate of unemployment in an area.

No action necessary.



ACTION:

Date:

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

12/1/76

SECRETARY OF COMMERCE
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20230

Rowles

Jim Carver -
I believe
you are
familiar
with this
in

NOV 24 1976

Address of
Location
Employment
Phone

He wrote
subject.
Explains our
letter for

Additional

Vetter
Secretary of Commerce



DOMESTIC COUNCIL

FROM:

DAVID LISSY

SUBJECT:

Bob Anazasti's (East Harlem Community Corporation) efforts to receive CETA funds for a manpower development project.

----- Date: 11/24/76 -----

COMMENTS:

Lissy sends a memo FYI re: a meeting held, at our request, between the NY regional office, the NYC CETA prime sponsor, and Anazasti.

No action necessary.

A.
Sh.

ACTION:

Date:



THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

Date 11-24

TO: *Allen Wood*

FROM: DAVID LISSY

✓
FYI

For Appropriate Action

COMMENTS

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR
Office of the Assistant Secretary for Employment and Training
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20210



Pete Liles

NOV 22 1976

MEMORANDUM FOR: HONORABLE DAVID H. LISSY
Associate Director
Domestic Council

FROM: ESTHER I. FRIEDMAN *Esther I. Friedman*
Executive Assistant to the
Assistant Secretary for
Employment and Training

SUBJECT: Meeting with East Harlem Community
Corporation

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

DATE:

11/11

TO:

David L.

FROM:

ALLEN MOORE

SUBJECT:

ACTION:

FYI:

East Harlem Community Corporation

105 East 106th Street
New York, N. Y. 10029

Tel. 427-0500

FROM The office of: From: Office of Executive Director
TO: James Cannon, Dir. Dom. Council
DATE: November 4, 1976

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OJT - CETA Training Program

THANK YOU

(PLEASE SEE REVERSE SIDE)



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EMPLOYMENT AND TRAINING ADMINISTRATION
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OCT 27 1976



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for LAWRENCE W. ROGERS
Regional Administrator



THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

Date 11-29

TO: Allen Moore

FROM: DAVID LISSY

On card you need it,
this goes with the material
I believe I sent you the
other day.

DL



THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

DATE:

TO:

FROM:

11/1
David L. L...
ALLEN MOORE

SUBJECT:

ACTION:

FYI:

*Lissy*DOMESTIC COUNCIL

FROM:

ROBERTO ANAZAGASTI

SUBJECT:

Request for help in finding manpower training funds.

----- Date: 10/28/76 -----

COMMENTS:

Last week a letter from this man was forwarded to you by Dick Rosenbaum asking if you could help set up a meeting with a regional Labor Department official.

You asked that it be done -- so Lissy is trying to set it up. Do you want an acknowledgement to go from David once we know the status of a meeting?

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ACTION:Date:



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revolution and crime."
Aristotle - 384 B.C.

East Harlem Community Corporation

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New York, N. Y. 10029

Tel. 427-0500

Rafael A. Corn
Chairman

Roberto Anazagasti
Executive Director

October 28, 1976

Mr. James M. Cannon
Director
President's Domestic Council
White House
1600 Pennsylvania Avenue
Washington, D.C. 20213

Dear Mr. Cannon:

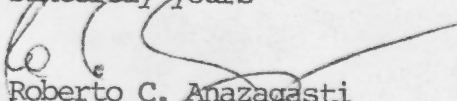
Last year Mr. Louis Gonzalez and myself met with you to discuss problems and achievements within the Hispanic community in our country. I remember making the point that Hispanics are at the "bottom of the heap" economically and now note that the U.S. Civil Rights Commission has documented that fact in a recent report.

At our meeting you asked that if we were confronted by any serious problem to please contact the council to see what could be done. I would like to ask you at this time to help us in getting a job training program for some of our people in Spanish Harlem. We feel that this program is desperately needed as our community's unemployment rate is 16.8%, it is the third highest in the city and jobs are available in the fields of housing management and maintenance and food management. We have to demonstrate that a community can train and deliver a workforce for private industry located within the community itself.

We cannot be considered a community development program unless we can develop our people into a workforce that is skilled in areas that can lead to self and community economic advancement.

Can you help us locate a funding source and contracts in the Federal Government? I would also like to ask you to push for the funding of our program once these sources are identified. I can send you a copy of what we are proposing or meet with you in person if you desire.

Sincerely yours


Roberto C. Anazagasti
Executive Director

RCA:SR





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Rafael A. Cora
Chairman

Roberto Anazagasti
Executive Director

October 26, 1976

Mr. Robert McConnen
Director, National Programs
United States Department of Labor
601 D Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20213

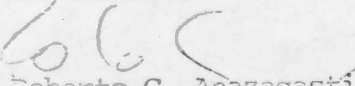
Dear Mr. McConnen:

We would like to reiterate some of the problems and needs that our community has in terms of job training that we talked about on Wednesday, October 20, 1976. We have identified OJT training in the fields of housing management, maintenance, repairs, and food management as the prime need of the underemployed and unemployed of the Hispanic and Black, community of East Harlem. East Harlem has the third highest rate of unemployment of any community in New York, 16.8% or 7400 persons. We submitted a proposal for CETA funds to the City's Department of Employment and did not even receive a letter of acknowledgement. After seven (7) months of unanswered calls, we were notified that we were rejected because of lack of funds. We doubt that statement.

I am sure that you are well aware of the just-released study of income and employment among Puerto Ricans by the U.S. Commission on Civil Rights that shows us at the bottom of the heap, ignored by programs and local governments that could lend assistance. We don't want to be ignored any more and will keep pushing to get our people jobs and training.

We ask you to find a way to fund an OJT CETA Program for our community in the fields of housing and food management and for you to call upon the city to find out why we should not be funded. Will you do this?

Sinceramente


Roberto C. Anazagasti
Executive Director

CC: Thomas Hill, Assistant Regional Administration
Lucille Rose, Commissioner Department of Labor
Vice President Nelson Rockefeller
James M. Cannon, Director Domestic Council
James H. Cavanaugh, Deputy Director Domestic Council



THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

DATE: 10/28

TO: Art Q

FROM: ALLEN MOORE

SUBJECT:

ACTION:

FYI:

This looks like
one for your delicate
touch (or Lissy's)

DOMESTIC COUNCIL

FROM:

Richard Rosenbaum

SUBJECT:

Request for appointment between a Rosenbaum friend and DOL regional official re: funding for a manpower training project.

Date: 10/21

COMMENTS:

Rosenbaum includes correspondence between the East Harlem Community Corporation (Exec. Director Roberto Anazagasti) and Federal and City officials.

Anazagasti since May has sought funding for a manpower training project. He received no response for a long period, and finally was turned down.

One enclosed letter is a request to the Regional DOL Administrator requesting a meeting. Rosenbaum asks your help in setting up such a meeting.

Do you want David to try to do this thru DOL?

*A. Allen
Yes set up appointment,
if possible
Jue*

ACTION:

Date:

New York Republican State Committee

RICHARD M. ROSENBAUM
Chairman



1776 - 1976

EUNICE B. WHITTLESEY
Vice Chairman - Party Organization

PHYLLIS M. KELLY
Vice Chairman - Federation Activities

(518) 462-2601

315 State Street, Albany, New York 12210

October 21, 1976

Mr. James Cannon
Chairman Domestic Council
White House
Washington, D. C.

Dear Jim:

Apparently, what Bob Anazagasti wants and needs is an appointment with Tom Hill. I would be grateful if you could arrange such an appointment.

Best as always,

Sincerely,

Richard M. Rosenbaum
Chairman

RMR:crk



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105 East 106th Street
New York, N. Y. 10029

Tel. 427-0500

From: Office of Executive Director

FROM The office of: _____

TO: DICK

DATE: 10/12/76

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AND ROUTE TO:

NOTE:

we need your help

Bob
/pr

OCT 15 1976

(PLEASE SEE REVERSE SIDE)

THANK YOU



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October 12, 1976

Mr. Thomas Hill
Assistant Regional Administration
U.S. Department of Labor
Employment and Training Administration
1515 Broadway
New York City, New York 10036

Dear Mr. Hill:

We have developed a proposal for the OJT training of 150 persons in the fields of housing maintenance services and food management. The preliminary proposal was sent to the city's Department of Employment, MCDA on May 3, 1976. We received no word from them and our calls went unanswered.

We then revised the proposal on our own initiative, based on talks with other CETA sponsors and came up with a package that meets all the requirements of the city, and submitted this package to Commissioner Lucille Rose at the Department of Employment on June 10, 1976. Once again, we never heard from them. We didn't even get a letter acknowledging the fact that we had sent it. Last August we learned that they had indeed received the package and were reviewing it. We found out through a very unofficial "friend of a friend" situation. Soon thereafter, we received a letter from the city stating that they had received our package and were reviewing it, what questions they had concerning it, if it did meet all the specifications, etc., as there was no follow up on that first bit of correspondence from them.

Just last week we received a letter from Mr. Hamer stating that MCDA was unable to fund our program as there was a lack of funds for new projects under CETA Title I.

We were under the perhaps naive understanding that DOE/MCDA was supposed to notify us as the receipt of the package, review it, tell us of any changes or additions that must be made for it to be officially reviewed and approved or rejected, and lend technical assistance.



Mr. Thomas Hill
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October 12, 1976

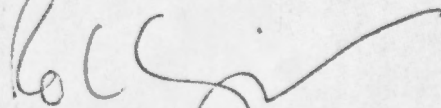
Were we wrong to think this?.

I don't want to bore you with details, so I'll come to the point: There is a tremendous need for an OJT CETA Program in our community centered on the trades involved in the maintenance, management and rehabilitation of housing in this community and others. We are prepared to back this up with jobs for our trainees. What can we do to get this project reconsidered or funded through alternative means?.

Would it be possible for me to meet with you to discuss what we hope to accomplish?.

I look forward to your response.

Sincerely yours,



Roberto C. Anazagasti
Executive Director
East Harlem Community Corporation

ENC:

RCA:sr

CC: Mr. Richard Rosenbaum
Honorable Herman Badillo
Honorable Charles Rangel
Honorable Jacob Javits

May 3, 1976

Ms. Lucille Rose
Commissioner
Manpower and Career Development Agency
Department of Employment
220 Church Street
New York City, New York 10013

Dear Commissioner Rose;

We are currently finalizing a proposal, for submission to your office, of a C.E.T.A. Grant in the amount of approximately \$109,000 the money will be used to train 150 persons on-the-job, as follows:

Building Porter/Handy Person	30
Boiler Maintenance/Repair	30
Real Estate Accounting Clerk	30
Housing Management Trainee	30
Food Management Trainee	30

Total: 150 Slots

All of the above positions are in demand in the East Harlem Community and we are prepared to guarantee continued employment for enrollees, as per CETA Guidelines.



Commissioner Rose

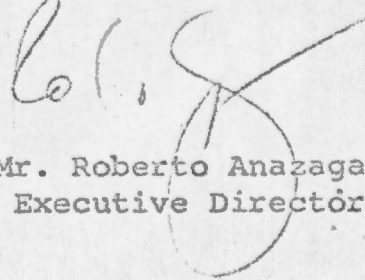
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May 3, 1976

I would like to sit down with you to discuss the detailed aspects of our proposal as well as to discuss funding possibilities during the week of May 17th-21st. I will be calling you to set up an appointment.

I have enclosed a copy of our proposal for your convenience. Thanks for your help. .

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'Roberto', with a large, stylized flourish or loop extending from the end of the name.

Mr. Roberto Anazagasti
Executive Director

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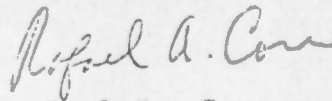
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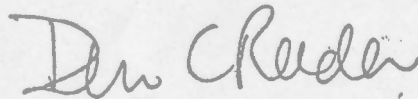
We are hereby formally submitting the enclosed proposal for
an East Harlem C.E.T.A. training program to your office for
review and funding.

All of us here at the Community Corporation look forward to
working with you and your staff on this sorely needed program.

Sincerely yours,



Rafael A. Cora
Chairman of the Board EHCC



Dennis C. Reeder, Associate Director
Program Planning/Research and Development

cc: Hon. Louis Gigante
Hon. Angelo Del Toro

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Agency
Department of Employment
220 Church Street
New York, New York 10013

Dear Ms. Rose:

On May 3rd, of this year we sent you a copy of a proposal for an on-the-job training program for 150 people. Since that time we have been trying to set up a meeting with you to discuss the possibility of its being funded but our phone calls have gone unanswered.

Would you please have one of your staff contact either Roberto Anzagasti, or myself, concerning the fate of the proposal?
Thanks.

Sincerely yours,

Dennis C. Reeder, Associate Director
Program Planning/Research and Development

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WASHINGTON, D.C. 20515
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Congress of the United States
House of Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515

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June 28, 1976

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Commissioner Lucille Rose
Manpower and Career Development
Agency
220 Church Street
New York, New York 10013

Dear Lucille:

You have already received a proposal from the East Harlem Community Corporation for an on the job training program for 150 people.

I have discussed the substance of the goals and ambitions of Bob Anazagasti and those who pulled it together and sincerely believe that it has substantial merit and at a very low cost. The opportunities for people in our communities in the management maintenance and food maintenance areas are ever increasing and you know as well as I that many times the opportunity is there and not the skills.

I intend to be working very closely with this program and I hope that your budget sees fit to give it priority.

Very truly yours,

CHARLES B. RANGEL
Member of Congress

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cc: ☒ Mr. Robert Anazagasti

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August 13, 1976

Hon. Charles B. Rangel
107 Cannon House Office Building
Washington D.C. 20515

Dear Charlie,

Thank you for contacting Lucille Rose in reference to our CETA proposal. We understand that they are reviewing it. I'll let you know how it works out.

Thanks again.

Sincerely,

Roberto Anazagasti
Executive Director

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HUMAN RESOURCES ADMINISTRATION
DEPARTMENT OF EMPLOYMENT/M.C.D.A.
220 CHURCH STREET, NEW YORK, N.Y. 10013

LUCILLE ROSE
Commissioner/Deputy Administrator

September 20, 1976

East Harlem Community Corp.
105 East 106th Street
New York, New York 10029

Dear Mr. Anazagasti:

We have on file a proposal submitted by your organization, entitled East Harlem C.E.T.A. Training Program, for funding under the Comprehensive Employment and Training Act, Title I.

At the present time, no funds are available for new projects under the CETA Title I Grant. The prospects for further expansion appear unlikely, given the reduction in the allocation of funds to New York City for the coming year.

Be assured that your proposal will remain in our files for consideration should any funds become available. If you have any questions concerning your proposal, please contact Ms. Silvana Marshall, of my staff, at 433-3142.

Sincerely,

Donald Hamer
Assistant Commissioner

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WASHINGTON

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MEMORANDUM FOR:

JAMES M. CANNON

FROM:

JAMES E. CONNOR *etc*

SUBJECT:

Public Works Employment Act:
Prison Construction and Renovation

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"Timing bad - almost too late. However, if there is any discretion - one project over another - I would want Secretary of Commerce to favor Attorney General's suggestion."

Please follow-up with appropriate action.

cc: Dick Cheney



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December 13, 1976

MEMORANDUM FOR: JIM CANNON
FROM: DICK PARSONS *D.*
SUBJECT: Public Works Employment Act: Prison
Construction and Renovation

The attached materials are self-explanatory. I believe they constitute appropriate follow-up.

If you have any problem with this, let me know.

*Don -
Excellent work*

Jan



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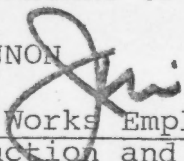
THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

December 13, 1976

MEMORANDUM FOR THE SECRETARY OF COMMERCE

FROM:

JIM CANNON 

SUBJECT:

Public Works Employment Act: Prison
Construction and Rehabilitation

As you know, the Attorney General has recommended to the President that a substantial portion of the construction and renovation funds available under Title I of the Public Works Employment Act be allocated for local penal facilities. The President has declined to approve the Attorney General's recommendation. In so doing, however, he asked me to inform you that, to the extent there is discretion to select one project over another, he would want you to favor the Attorney General's suggestion.

I have attached a copy of a memorandum prepared by the Department of Justice concerning this matter for your information and guidance.

cc: The Attorney General




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WASHINGTON

December 13, 1976

MEMORANDUM FOR THE ATTORNEY GENERAL

FROM: JIM CANNON 
SUBJECT: Public Works Employment Act: Prison
Construction and Renovation

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