

ARLINGTON HANDICAPPED STUDY GROUP

EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING

JANUARY 14, 1977; 11:30 a.m.

Pres. - Sam Provence
V.P. - Carolyn Massie
Sec. - Annette Shaver
(In Attendance)

- I. Carolyn - Washington Report, "Ban on Discrimination Against the Handicapped", preview of upcoming legislative changes through HEW (Health, Education, & Welfare) Sec. 504; will eliminate barriers and require adaptations to be made in order to employ the handicapped, if in federally funded program or contracting business.
- II. Annette - Investigate Mayor's Committee to Employ the Handicapped.
- III. Arlin - will check free LTV flights to possibly send Sam or Jean Riley to the Washington D.C. spring conference on handicapped.
- IV. Carolyn - Check with Mrs. Brandenburg about HUD codes & requirements to build a center.
(Housing & Urban Development)
- V. Sam - Write Dr. and ask respondents to serve on our Advisory Board. (Annette will do it.)
- VI. Sam - Constructed a letter to send to 50 responsive business persons. (Carolyn address envelopes, etc.)
- VII. Sam - Contacted group, 'Concerned Parents of Children with Birth Defects'.
- VIII. Annette - Write letters to all churches (56) asking for support in prayer and possibly sending 2 representative each to assist us. To be followed-up by phone calls and visits. Get our members to talk to pastors and classes.
- IX. Carolyn - reported the Mineral Wells Mitchells Dept. Store hired only handicapped persons.
- X. Carolyn - Investigate the possibility of opening an Employment Agency/ Answering Service. Also, suggested for fund raising was craft sales at the malls?

ADJOURNED