

To: Dennis
From: Andy
Re: Monthly Report November 1982

PROJECTS

Hi-Tech:

-The Cambridge Plan-Computers for Kids. Weekly meetings continue--see attached memo to Paul. I have set up a meeting on 3 December with Mayor Vellucci, Bill Lannon, Robin Schmidt (Harvard), Walter Milne (MIT) and reps from Bolt, Beranek and Newman to make sure that we remain on track and keep Paul's visibility high.

-Related to the above, I am developing a list of resources for computer education/literacy ranging from private firms to on-going classroom programs. One example is the Digital Educational Service Center, which Paul and I toured with Bruce Holbein and Del Lippert. DEC does a lot of training for high school teachers at their Bedford facility.

-Met recently with Phil Villers, BJ Rudman, Howard Foley, and Kevin Crain (asst. to David Knapp) on related issues.

Labor:

-Finally took care of Dan Kearney and the potential lay-off of 75 custodians at the McCormack PO bldg. Wrote a delegation letter signed by all but Conte and Early (with many thanks to Mary Anne). Kearney continues to stop by occasionally. The issue got little press coverage. Kearney wants to do a story in the AFGE newsletter.

-Visited Peter Teel (Business Agent) at the Lynn IUE. Kevin Mahar was supposed to be there but something came up. We spoke about the F-18 jets and Paul's support. I will be touring the Lynn GE plant on 13 December. Hope to meet Mahar then.

-Visited the UAW in Framingham and met with Chuck McDevott and Tom Berthiaume. The plant is closed and will not re-open until sales increase by 20%.

-Attended the Northeast Labor-Management Center's seminar with Paul. Met a few labor people. Ted Barrett is the VP of the Bd. Of Directors for the Center.

-Will visit the CWA's open house in Waltham and have spoken with Mike Grieco about a tour and meeting many of the local people. Toby and I are going on 9 December.

Other Issues:

-Gene O'Neill (Haverhill) would like to get together with Paul, Nick and Bill Ryan again.
-Faithfully attend the Step Up With Lynn meetings
-Visited Ft. Devens with Kay for the change of command ceremonies (Kattar to Corbin)
-Sat in for Steve in a meeting with Bob Spillane and Paul
-Briefed Terry Kahn (Boston Magazine) on our involvement in hi-tech issues before his interview with Paul.