

10/19/79

Memo to Paul Tsongas
From Missy Grealy
Subject: additional towns and townships eligible for UDAG

The Senate Banking Committee added a provision to the UDAG legislation which permits the Secretary of HUD to waive the "closely settled" test for UDAG eligibility if all other requirements are met. This will mean that additional Towns and Townships in Massachusetts are eligible to compete in the Small Cities UDAG program. Conferees on the HUD bill have agreed to the provision, and we can expect that the legislation will be signed into law in the near future. (Conferees will finish the bill on Tuesday, and both houses will pass next week).

In Massachusetts, the following new communities will now be eligible to compete for the UDAG program:

Population of 2,500 or more

- Ayer
- Bourne
- Dudley
- Great Barrington
- Lennox
- Merrimac
- Middleton
- Salisbury
- Shirley
- Warren
- West Bridgewater
- Wrentham

Population of 2,500 or less

- Buckland
- Clarksburg
- Hancock
- Hardwick
- Hawley
- Heath
- Huntington
- Leydon
- Millville
- N. Marlborough
- Petersham
- Painfiled
- Rowe
- Royalston
- Sandisfield
- Savoy
- Stockbridge
- Williamsburg
- Worthington

*Tuesday - Boryp Amendment
5 to 10 minutes*

Beth Johnson

8:30 - 9:30

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Small Nat. Press Club

Breakfasts

*Peter Holmes
347-3144*

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