

MIDWEST REGIONAL OFFICE

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### MEMORANDUM

TO: Chapter Presidents  
Redress Representatives

DATE: July 13, 1981

FROM: Bill Yoshino *Bill*

SUBJ: Redress Update

The commission members scheduled to appear at the Chicago hearing include Chair Joan Bernstein, Arthur Goldberg, William Marutani, and Hugh Mitchell. Others may attend depending on their schedules.

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Paul Bannai, Executive Director of the commission staff, will attend the EDC/MDC meeting in St. Louis. Bannai is scheduled to arrive in the early afternoon on July 31. He is scheduled to keynote the Saturday luncheon and take part in the redress workshop on Saturday afternoon.

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To date, 43 individuals have indicated a willingness to submit testimony at the Chicago hearing. Not all of these individuals, however, have agreed to testify orally. Our goal for the Chicago hearing remains at 50 individual testimonies per day, thus, we have a way to go. Please urge individuals in your community to, at least, submit written testimony.

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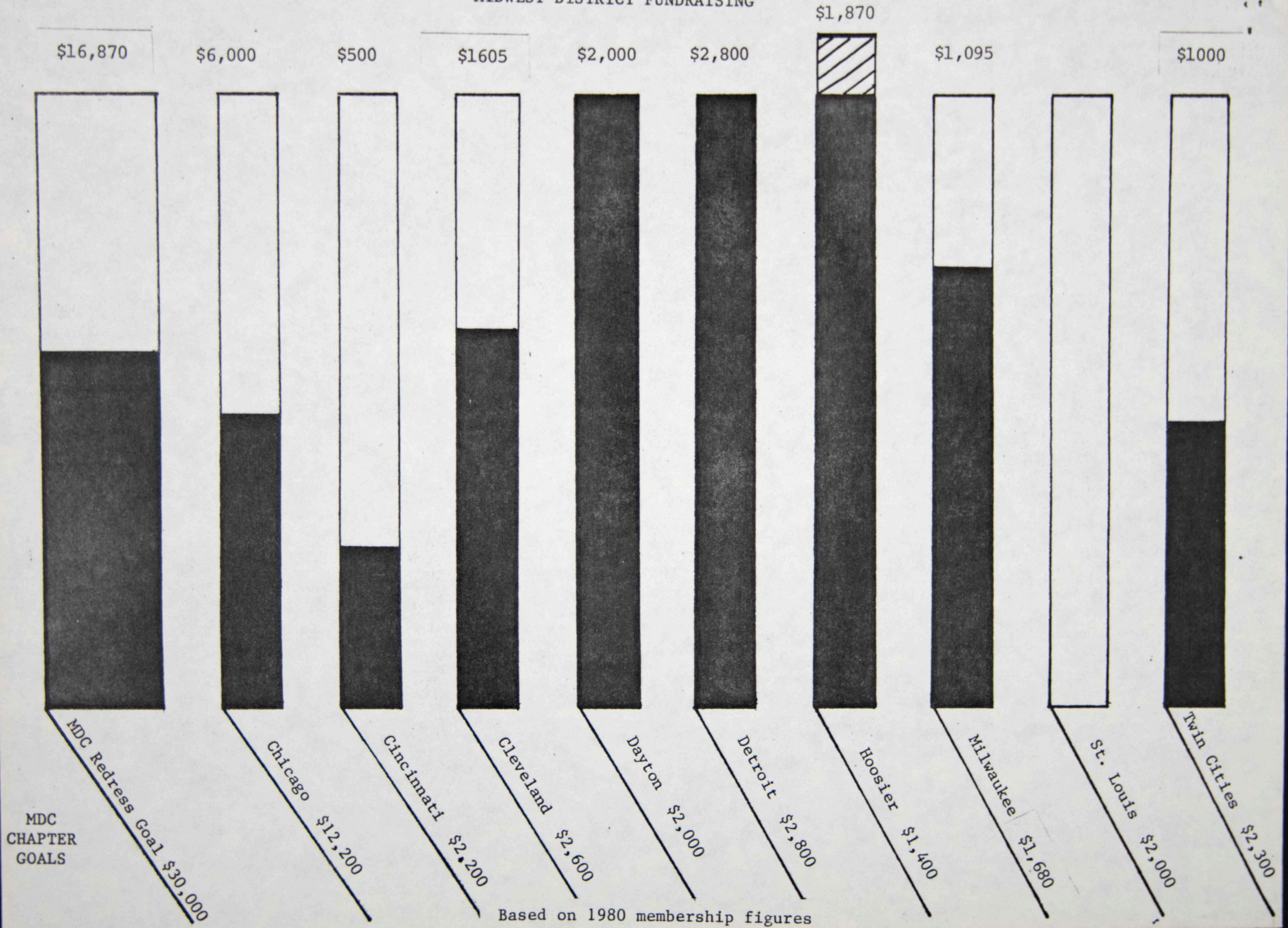
We are reviewing written testimonies for clarity and thoroughness prior to submission to the commission. If individuals in your community wish to avail themselves of this aid, please urge them to forward their testimony to me. As stated previously, we will not edit contextually or limit or restrict in any way what the individual wishes to say.

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Finally, enclosed is the latest update of fundraising in the district. I have received checks for the following chapters: Detroit, \$2800; Milwaukee, \$1070; Twin Cities, \$1000; Hoosier, \$1870; Cleveland, \$1605; Dayton, \$2000.

National Headquarters, San Francisco, California

MIDWEST DISTRICT FUNDRAISING



Based on 1980 membership figures

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