

COMMUNITY COUNCIL SPECIAL SESSION
CONFERENCE ROOM

DATE: January 10, 1944
TIME: 9:30 A.M.---11:45 A.M.

Attended: Mr. Glenn Rumley, Fire Protection Officer

Absentees: Messrs. Yokoi, Saito, Nakashima, and Ritchie.

Tardy: Messrs. Okazaki, Tokimasa

It was argued that the manpower reduction is the problem for the manpower commission. A letter to Mr. Guy Robertson, Project Director, was drafted by Mr. Sashihara inquiring a clarification of function of the manpower commission which is attached to the minutes. Motion was made on the floor to approve said letter, seconded and carried unanimously.

Labor Committee was advised to observe the general meeting of sectional delegates on the problems of manpower reduction which will be held tomorrow at the request of Mr. Nagumo. Mr. Nagumo was instructed by the Chairman to explain at said meeting that Mr. Macfarlane shall take initiative in setting up a fair labor practice board, therefore, the Council's stand in the matter is clearly severed in relation to the formation of said organization.

In the face of impending labor crisis Mr. Yonemura moved that discussion on relocation conference be postponed until such time as labor problems were clarified. Concurring to said motion which carried, the Council decided to withhold any discussion on relocation at block meetings until further notice and unless residents desired otherwise.

Mr. Glenn Rumley, Fire Protection Officer, submitted to the Council a Japanese translation of fire regulations requesting to have the Council committee check said translation and approve it. The Council appointed Messrs. Tokimasa and Kimoto of the Legal Committee to go through said translation and report their recommendation.

Mr. Yonemura in behalf of the Council congratulated Mr. Rumley's outstanding achievement in fire prevention program.

Mr. Nakaki reported that the evacuee physicians and surgeons ~~and~~ actually putting in an average of 72 hours a week and a 24 hour shift every four days whereas the appointed medical officers had never gone on a call and had not put in as much time as the evacuee medical officers. He charged that Mr. Dearing, as administrator of the hospital is too high pressured in his attitude toward evacuee personnel. It was Mr. Nakaki's proposal to see Mr. Dearing's intention in the matter of the manpower reduction for hospital workers. Mr. Yonemura pointed out that definite data and facts should be prepared before taking any action on the matter. The Health and Sanitation Committee was assigned to check up on the hospital as to the manpower reduction, etc.

Meeting was adjourned at 11:15 A. M. Next meeting was set for 9:30 A.M., Wednesday, January 12, 1944.

Respectfully submitted,

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Council