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AN OVERGROUND PUBLICATION OF THE UM ADMINISTRATION

11:30 a.m. Wednesday, March 27, 1974

COMMISSION ON POST-SECONDARY EDUCATION TO HOLD PUBLIC HEARING AT UM THURSDAY

Citizens of Western Montana, and University students and faculty members are invited to present their views on issues pertaining to post-secondary education during a public hearing of the State Commission on Post-Secondary Education at 7:30 p.m. Thursday (March 28) in the U Center Ballroom.

The public hearing at UM is ninth in a series of 11 public hearings scheduled by the commission.

Three Missoula members of the "blue-ribbon commission" and three staff members from the commission office in Helena will conduct the public hearing at UM. Missoula members participating are: Dale Moore, chairman of the board, Western Broadcasting Co., who will serve as chairman of the general hearing; William F. Crowley, UM law professor, and Garry South, ASUM president. Commission staff participants will include Patrick M. Callan, staff director; JoEllen Estenson, deputy director, and Carol Lea Hunt, clerical staff.

Opening remarks at the public hearing will be delivered by UM President Robert T. Pantzer and Gene Downey, director of the Missoula Technical Center.

Another hearing at UM by the commission staff is scheduled for 1:30 p.m. Thursday in UC rooms 360 C-D-E. This hearing, for UM students, faculty and staff members, is designed to enable additional inquiries and input by the campus community. Callan, Estenson and Hunt will participate in the afternoon session.

HEW OFFICIALS POSTPONE VISIT TO UNIVERSITY

Due to a backlog of work in the Higher Education Branch of Region VIII of the U.S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare, representatives of the Region VIII office, located in Denver, Colo., are unable to visit the University of Montana March 25-29 as planned. A review team from the Region VIII office was scheduled to visit with UM officials this week to clarify the University's responsibilities in meeting the requirements of the HEW Office of Civil Rights affirmative action programs, which involve equal opportunity employment practices. In a letter to President Pantzer, Gilbert D. Roman, director, Office of Civil Rights for the Region VIII HEW Office, said a HEW review team will reschedule the visit with UM officials at a later date.

PANTZER URGES COOPERATION IN PARKING SITUATION

President Pantzer urges cooperation from UM students, faculty and staff members in the parking situation brought about by construction of the mall area located between the U Center and the new UM Library. Pantzer requests that all University students and personnel "utilize the large parking areas west of the Field House to reduce the amount of vehicle parking on city streets adjacent to the University."

UM NURSERY SCHOOL HAS SPACE FOR PUPILS

Joan Christopherson, director of the UM Nursery School, said there is still room in the Nursery School for four-year-olds during spring quarter.



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'BLUE-RIBBON COMMISSION' MEETINGS TODAY

The State Commission on Post-Secondary Education will hold a public meeting at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, March 28, in the University Center Ballroom at UM to enable UM students and faculty members and other interested persons to present their views on issues pertaining to post-secondary education.

Another hearing at UM by the commission staff is scheduled for 1:30 p.m. Thursday in rooms 360 C-D-E of the UC. The afternoon session is designed to enable additional inquiries and input by the campus community, including UM students, faculty and staff members.

Two Missoula members of the "blue-ribbon commission," three out-of-town commission members and three staff members from the commission office in Helena will conduct the evening hearing. Missoula members participating are: William F. Crowley, UM law professor, and Garry South, ASUM president. Commission members from out-of-town participating in the evening meeting are: V. Edward Bates, Helena; Carl M. Davis, Dillon, and John L. Peterson, Butte. Commission staff participants will include Patrick M. Callan, staff director; JoEllen Estenson, deputy director, and Carol Lea Hunt, clerical staff. Callan, Estenson and Hunt will participate in the afternoon session.

UM President Robert T. Pantzer and Gene Downey, director of the Missoula Technical Center, will present opening remarks at the evening hearing.

The final two public hearings of the "blue-ribbon commission" will be Tuesday, April 2, in the Western Montana College Auditorium, Dillon, and April 9 in the College of Great Falls Theatre, Great Falls. Those hearings begin at 7:30 p.m.
