

## Anderson Tells Opposition to Palos Verdes Site

This is the text of Lt. Gov. Glenn Anderson's letter to the state college board of trustees, objecting to the Palos Verdes state college site, and urging Torrance as the location.

The trustees voted 13-3 Friday to put the college at Palos Verdes.

Because of the press of other State duties, I will not be able to be present at the meeting of the Board of Trustees Friday, July 12. I would appreciate it if you would extend

my greetings to the Trustees, Staff, and Faculty present at the meeting and make this letter a part of the record in connection with the discussion on the South Bay State College.

As the Trustees are aware, I have been opposed to the proposal to locate the South Bay State College on the Palos Verdes Hills. My reasons are chiefly that I feel the proposed location will not adequately serve the area intended to be served by

the campus.

The proposed location on the Palos Verdes Peninsula will require students in the South Bay area to drive substantially greater distances than if the campus were more centrally located. The cost to students of this additional transportation over a period of years will be many millions of dollars.

Secondly, I am doubtful whether the road network, existing and proposed, will adequately handle the amount of student and fa-

culty traffic generated by this campus.

Thirdly, I think we should consider the community in which we place the campus in terms of its support of the college and also in terms of what contribution the college can make to the non-student community. In both of these respects I think Torrance is a preferable site. The city has indicated by its strong desires for this campus that it would enthusiastically support the campus; and

likewise would benefit a great deal in terms of the college activities which we would provide for the adult community.

In this regard, we should be aware that Torrance is now the fourth largest city in population in Los Angeles County, and is also economically one of the strongest communities in Southern California.

Finally, I am concerned about the number of acres which we will have available for this campus. While we recognize the high cost of land in this area, I do feel the board's decision to modify its cri-

terion of 300 acres to now something less than 200 acres, is an extremely important decision. I would trust that this point has been given thorough consideration, so that we are confident that we can provide the functions for the student enrollment anticipated, on the proposed acreage.

I know the board will consider these points in making its final determination.

Very truly yours,  
Glenn M. Anderson  
Lieutenant Governor

CC: Governor Edmund G. Brown  
Mayor Albert Isen, Torrance  
Alan Starob Executive Secretary to Lt. Governor Glenn Anderson

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## Sea Barrier Job Savings Reported

Substantial savings in the contract for construction of 14 observation wells as part of the barrier program to halt sea water infiltration in the Coastal basin were reported today by Supervisor Burton W. Chace.

The water well contract has been awarded by the board of supervisors to Bowling Drilling, Bakersfield, on a low bid of \$52,172.50.

"This is nearly \$60,000 less than official estimates for important water conservation project," Chace said. Site of the observation wells will be in Prospect Avenue between Vincent Street and Torrance Boulevard in Redondo Beach.

Chace said two additional units of the barrier program are under construction. One is a 5.9-mile water supply pipeline and the other involves installation of 12 recharge wells.

The entire program is designed to forge an 11-mile fresh water barrier to prevent further ocean brine intrusion from Playa del Rey to Palos Verdes Hills.

Chace said drilling of the new wells will begin in two or three weeks and set for completion in about six months.

## WAVE Recruiter Will Talk to Prospects Here

WAVE Recruiter Frances Bright will be in the Torrance area on Aug. 23 to talk to interested young women on the opportunities available to them in the U.S. Navy.

A Yeoman First Class in the U.S. Navy, Mrs. Bright is presently assigned to the U.S. Navy Recruiting Office in Los Angeles. She enlisted in the Navy in Albuquerque, New Mexico in 1951 and has been assigned duties throughout the United States and at Pearl Harbor in the Hawaiian Islands.

Mrs. Bright explains that a young lady must be 18 years of age, a high school graduate and meet the mental, moral and physical requirements. They receive basic training at Bainbridge, Maryland. Among the many jobs available to young women are machine accountant, journalist, photography, air controlman and hospital corpsman.

Mrs. Bright may be contacted here on Aug. 23 by visiting the U.S. Navy Recruiting Office, 1520 Cravens Ave., Torrance, or by calling FA 0-3141 between the hours of 10 a.m. and 2:30 p.m.

## Daniel Moons Visit Michigan

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel E. Moon, C.L.U., of 21531 Meyer Ave., visited recently in Mackinac Island, Mich.

They were guests at the Grand Hotel, scene of a president's club conference, sponsored by Connecticut General Life Insurance Company. President's club is the company's top prestige organization composed of field representatives who meet standards of excellence in service to clients and in sales activity.

Moon is with the company's Los Angeles branch office.

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