

Landfill Project Fills Critical Peninsula Need

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Once again the flexibility of uses on a county landfill project has solved a critical need.

This time the need was on the Palos Verdes Peninsula, where there is an extreme shortage of multi-purpose baseball diamonds, and the answer was found at the Palos Verdes Landfill Project.

The landfill site is located generally between Crenshaw and Hawthorne boulevards, just north of Palos Verdes Drive North. The County Sanitation District uses it to dispose of refuse through

modern, scientific engineering methods.

RATHER THAN have an unsightly dump which serves no useful purpose when filled, a landfill project answers the present need for refuse disposal and offers a promise of valuable recreation land for the future.

Deep canyons are cut into the site, and refuse is placed in these chasms and covered

properly so there are none of the nuisances usually associated with less scientific disposal sites. When the site is filled—the Palos Verdes Project is about half full now—it is earmarked for recreation purposes.

This use is ideal since there always will be a pressing need for recreation and parks areas as long as this county's population continues to increase. Completed

landfill projects do not provide a solid enough foundation for full scale construction, so parks are ideal and practical land use.

AT THE Palos Verdes Project, there are two plots of land which will not be cut away but left, as is, to form a firm foundation for the recreation buildings necessary to serve the eventual park purpose.

Since development of the park is four years away, I successfully urged the county to allow these sites to be used for sorely needed baseball diamonds.

These diamonds will help solve the urgent need for such facilities until permanent baseball facilities can be developed upon completion of the landfill operation.

EVENTUALLY these two

solid-based sites will be used for a golf clubhouse, headquarters for a nine-hole golf course, and a community amphitheater, as well as other facilities to be determined later.

But, for the time being, the landfill project is providing temporary relief for recreation with a promise of full leisure-time use in the near future.

Recreation Commission To Hold Open Session

All Torrance residents are invited to attend the third in a series of Park and Recreation Commission meetings to be held today at 7:30 p.m. at the Newton School Cafeteria, 23751 Nancy Lane.

These meetings are being held at various sites throughout the city so that Torrance residents can assess the recreation needs of Torrance. Participants are urged to

voice their views on the facilities and programs they would like to see developed in their area.

Supervised recreational activities will be conducted for children 6 years and over while the meeting is taking place.

Newton school is located on Nancee Lane, just off Pacific Coast Highway, adjacent to South High School.



JOHN E. LEADBETTER

Aerospace Executive Resigns

John E. Leadbetter, long-time Southern California aerospace executive, has resigned as head of the Aero Science Division of CEIR, Inc., a Control Data Corp. subsidiary, to devote his time to personal management interests and to civic affairs.

Leadbetter was a founder and served as president of Associated Aero Science Laboratories from its inception in 1954 until its acquisition and establishment as the Aero Science division of CEIR last year. The company's activities have grown to include operations at Los Angeles, Hawthorne, Pasadena, and Ridgecrest, Cal., and at Huntsville, Ala.

Prior to founding Associated Aero, Leadbetter served in various management positions with Northrop Corp. and with Northrop Institute of Technology.

A past president of the board of trustees of the El Camino College District, he will continue to serve on the El Camino board. He is also a member of the board of the Centinela Valley YMCA, the Torrance Rotary Club, the Hawthorne Chamber of Commerce, the U. S. Navy League, the Branch Advisory Board of the Hawthorne Bank of America, and the Student Achievement Awards Panel, Southern California Chapter, of the Bank of America.

Leadbetter is a former member of the Economic Development Commission of Hawthorne and past president of the Hawthorne Rotary Club. He resides at 4374-F W. 132nd St., Hawthorne.

Improvements To Be Installed

Smith Electric Supply of Stanton has received a \$25,347 state contract to install and modify traffic signals, highway lighting, and channelization of Carson Street, which connects the cities of Lakewood and Long Beach. The work will be done between Nectar Avenue and Pioneer Boulevard.

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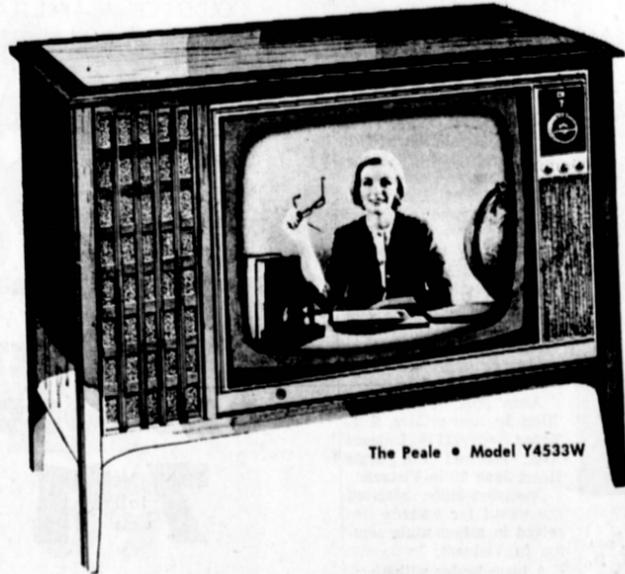
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