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Commissioner of Corrections Ken Schoen moves on to New York City. Governor Rudy Perpich moves out in favor of Governor-Elect Al Quie. Corrections Board Chairman Dick Mulcrone goes to the Federal Parole Board. It is true with our fast moving pace of the 70's that we are in an unstable situation. Change accelerates at an astronomical rate. It is up to us to be proactive, organized and ready to survive.

Ken Schoen has served as Commissioner since 1973. During his tenure he has become a national leader in the field of corrections and is recognized as a strong advocate for community corrections programming particularly through the implementation of Minnesota's Community Corrections Act. He is credited for the design of Minnesota's new high security facility which, when completed in 1980, will be one of the most unique correctional institutions in the world.

Schoen's efforts to encourage the development of local correctional programs for juveniles and the development of productive correctional industries in Minnesota's institutions are also recognized throughout the nation. In 1977 the National Council on Crime and Delinquency presented its Award of Merit to Schoen for "innovative measures" in corrections. Washington Monthly selected Schoen as the top corrections official in the nation in 1975. The National Association of Counties in 1978 presented its Distinguished Service Award to Minnesota for outstanding leadership in the area of community corrections.

Prior to his appointment as Commissioner, Schoen was named Assistant Commissioner of Corrections in 1972. He served as Executive Director of the Probation Offender Rehabilitation and Training Program (PORT) in Rochester, Minnesota from 1969 to 1972; Superintendent of the Minnesota Home School in Sauk Centre, Minnesota from 1960-1969; Superintendent of the Youth Vocational Center in Rochester, Minnesota from 1960-1964; and as a Field Parole Agent for the Minnesota Department of Corrections Youth Division from 1957 to 1960. Schoen serves on numerous advisory groups including a Presidential appointment to the National Advisory Committee on Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention. Recently Schoen has been named to the National Academy of Sciences Panel on Research and Rehabilitation Techniques. The panel will be studying a number of issues relating to offender treatment techniques in non-institutional settings and will consider strategies for behavior change which go beyond traditional corrections programs including: needs for early case detection, the value of more intensive family intervention, and legal limitations on rehabilitation.

Effective January 1, 1979, Ken will begin his work to revamp New York City's correctional system. He will be on the staff of the Edna McConnell Clark Foundation of New York. His challenge there is formidable.

He will be a hard act to follow. Whoever is appointed in his place will need all of our cooperation and energy. MCCA is truly indebted to Commissioner Schoen for his support, encouragement and leadership. We wish him well in his new endeavor and thank him for being one of us.

Program Happenings

VOLUNTEERS OF AMERICA has recently made application to the Commission on Accreditation for Corrections. The process takes 8 months to 1 year following application and a \$1000.00 fee. The Commission is a national accreditation program developed through the American Corrections Association. There is a manual of standards that must be met by a program seeking accreditation.

THE VETERANS INCARCERATED PROGRAMS staff wants to thank those MCCA members who attended the December 4th Open House of the University of Minnesota's Veterans Resource Center. For those members who may be interested in stopping by the new Resource Center or have veteran clients in need of assistance with employment, education, discharge review or general veterans benefits, call John Heubach at 376-5085.

ALPHA HOUSE is accepting referrals for their assaultive behavior group. They are accepting both misdemeanor and felony offenders, referred from the Department of Corrections, and any related county agencies. The group meets once a week on Wed. evenings. Referrals may be directed to Tim O'Brien at 823-5218.

OPERATION DE NOVO, which has been in operation since 1971 has had their 1979 budget approved for continued services to Hennepin County. They would like to encourage other agencies to refer first time, non-violent offenders, who will be going to court, to their program. Contact person for such referrals is Darla Frantz at 336-1731.

THE SELF CONCEPT IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM is no longer taking referrals. Due to a cutback in CETA funding and the inability of the State Department of Corrections to obtain additional personnel, Vic McCoy has decided to suspend the program for an indefinite period. McCoy states that should the manpower situation change at some future time, reinstatement of the program would be considered. In the meantime, he says he will be supervising an adult parole caseload out of the Bakery.

TEAM HOUSE is extending an Open Door Policy to those Probation Officers who have clients in chemical dependency halfway houses. Team House would like to know the concerns and communication problems that Probation Officers have with their clients and staff in the halfway houses. Team House has been very lucky to have the support of Probation Officers and see this as an important part of treatment. For more information call 291-2800.

WOMEN HELPING OFFENDERS has a new program to offer the community. It is the Family, Counseling and Support Program. They are presently working with approx. 20 families, in which at least one member is chemically dependent, and is or has been incarcerated. The program offers help in resolving old problems often neglected because of the chemical dependency and the incarceration, as well as learning new communications skills. The program also offers help in the area of parenting skills, help in dealing with spouses, ex-spouses and other relatives. The program is 16 weeks long and offers family problem solving groups in addition to the above. Individual and peer group counseling is provided when needed and the program refers persons to other resources for individual work, in order to avoid duplicating services. Any questions concerning further information or referrals may be answered by Betsy Wagschal or Arlene Benowitz at 824-0741.

ZION HOUSE is a new program located at 431 Church St., Box 98, New Market, MN 55054 (612-461-2122). The director is Don Tadich, a former probation officer from Hennepin County. Office hours are from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 P. M. Monday through Friday. The doors were officially opened on October 23, 1978. Zion House and its staff are looking forward to serving the people in southwest Minnesota. Specifically, the services offered at Zion House are spiritual counseling, prayer for inner healing, spiritual direction, chemical dependency diagnosis and referral services, and marriage counseling.

MCCA ELECTIONS/MEETING

January 31, 1979

MCCA ELECTIONS AND GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING ON INDUSTRIES, JANUARY 31, 1979

The annual MCCA Membership meeting will be held Wednesday, January 31, 1979, in the "Centrum Room" at 2414 Park, Minneapolis, from 1:00 to 4:00 PM.

The major topic for the meeting is "Industries Program 1979". With the cost of programming going up and the monies available for social service being challenged by Proposition 13 and a general tax revolt, community corrections advocates have to look seriously at reducing the cost of our service. One of the possible ways to attack this problem is to organize an industries program that a number of community-based facilities can plug into without increasing staff or taking on more headaches than we already have. An MCCA task force has been studying this issue and will be prepared to present some of its findings as well as receive ideas and feedback from the total membership. Bring your ideas to the meeting January 31st.

The first part of our meeting will be devoted to elections 1979. The following board members are up for re-election: Farris Bell, WOMEN HELPING OFFENDERS; James T. Brown, BREMER HOUSE; Richard Draves, INDIAN INSTITUTIONAL PROGRAMS; David Sonny Gainey, HOUSE OF ICARUS; Gail Johnson, FREEDOM HOUSE; Harry Kramer, RAMSEY COUNTY COMMUNITY CORRECTIONS; Tom Lawson, MINNESOTA DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS; Jim Martinson, CHAIRPERSON; Gary Meitz, THE BAKERY; Matt Smrekar, DRUG UNIT, DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS; Richard Williams, REENTRY SERVICES.

If you would like to run for election or would like to nominate someone please send the name to the MCCA office. You can submit names the day of the meeting. Before nominating anyone be sure to receive his/her permission to submit their name.

1979 membership renewals are necessary before one can receive a ballot. You can send renewals to the MCCA office now or pay the five dollar fee on the 31st. Money paid before January 1 is being matched dollar for dollar by the St. Paul Foundation. As the year ends remember MCCA is a tax exempt non-profit organization and your donation is tax deductible.

MCCA LIBRARY

Books are available for MCCA membership use from the Wharton School of Strategic Management in Corrections, University of Pennsylvania.

Beyond the Stable State - Donald A. Schon

The Future of Imprisonment - Norval Morris

Organizational Psychology - Edgar H. Schein

A Quiet Revolution - Robert L. Smith
Social Order and Disorder in the New Republic

The Discovery of the Asylum - David J. Rothman

The Systems Approach - C. West Churchmen

Team Building - William Dyer

Theory in Practice: Increasing Professional Effectiveness - Argyris and Schon

If you would like to take out a book from the MCCA library just call and stop by and check out the book of your choice.

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NANCY STEELE is now the Program Director for the new Sex Offender Program at the corrections facility at Lino Lakes. She is coming to the program from the Colorado Department of Corrections, where she worked for 7 years as a clinical psychologist. While working in Colorado she developed a speciality working with sex-offenders.

GLORIA VON DOEHREN terminated effective November 17, 1978 due to a cutback in CETA funding. She was with the Bloomington Ave. Parole Unit for 14 months during which time she developed and led, on her own, the SCIP Guilt and Anger Workshops. Our thanks to Gloria for her valuable service.

The MCCA wants to congratulate MIKE SMITH as the new director of Court Services of BLUE EARTH COUNTY as of August 14. He can be reached at: Dept. of Court Services, Blue Earth County Courthouse, 204 South 5th Street, Mankato, MN 56001. Phone: 507--625-3031.

LLEWELLYN LINDE is acting chairperson of the Minnesota Corrections Board.

TED JEFFERSON, director of Fairhaven Minneapolis has published a book called One Bad Dude. It sells for \$6.95. It will make good reading for your programs library. Call Ted at 522-4908.

We welcome the following new MCCA members:

Individual Members

- Kevin McCann - Veterans Incarcerated Programs
Dale K. Morris - Veterans Incarcerated Programs
Ron Fronk - Learning Programs of America
John Broady - Hennepin County and 1978 MCA President
Peg Ritchie - Centre, Fargo, North Dakota
Peggy McGinley - House by the Side of the Road
William Holden - Glen Lake Home School
Richard Harden - Midwest Challenge, Inc.

Sustaining Member

Correctional Service of Minnesota (Dick Ericson)

Sponsoring Member

Minnesota Department of Corrections

THE ASSOCIATION OF MINNESOTA COUNTIES and THE MINNESOTA COUNTIES RESEARCH ASSOCIATION have moved to 2305 Ford Pkwy, St. Paul, MN 55116. Phone: 698-4212.

Employment Happenings

OPERATION DE NOVO has a staff opening for the position of COUNSELING UNIT SUPERVISOR. Qualifications for this position are: A Masters Degree in Human Services and/or a 4 years direct counseling experience, and 1 to 2 years background in a supervisory capacity. Salary range is \$16,000 - 17,000 dependent upon qualifications. Submit resumes' no later than December 18th, 1978, to: Counseling Supervisor Position, Operation De Novo, 321 South Third Street, Minneapolis, Minnesota 55415.

PORTLAND HOUSE has a live-in residential counselor position available December 15. The position is 20 hrs./week, \$150 per month plus room and board. Contact Norb Gernes at 331-1087.

WOMENS ADVOCATE has a position open for a Juvenile Child Care Worker. The position is to start mid-January, 1979. Contact Lisbeth Levy at 227-9966.

GENESIS II for Women is looking for a counselor-case manager. Shared position (half-time) beginning January 1979. Minimum 2 years college - 1 year professional experience working in Criminal Justice or counseling field. Send resume to Genesis II for Women, 1035 East Franklin Ave., Minneapolis, MN 55404.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY - PLANNER II - Salary \$1272 - \$1724 per month. Wanted knowledge of and experience in community based programs. Contact Tai Shigaki at 296-0140, 266 Metro Square, St. Paul, Minnesota 55101

There is a Professional Liability Insurance Plan available for programs through the International Halfway House Association at a group rate. Write Professional Insurance Consultants, Suite #826, Joshua Green Building, Seattle, Washington 98101 for information.

Dear Community Corrections Co-workers:

1978 has been a very good year for community corrections. Twenty-five counties are now under the Community Corrections Act representing over 70% of the state's population. We anticipate that our new governor, Al Quie, will continue the progress we all have made in community corrections and choose a person as Commissioner of Corrections who will continue to lead us in progressive ways. We commend him on the selection process he has set up to help him choose the most qualified person.

MCCA wrote and called the Governor Elect's office requesting an interview for this issue of HAPPENINGS. His office asked that we wait until after the first of the year to give the Governor time to study the corrections picture more thoroughly.

MCCA and a number of training directors around the state are meeting on a regular basis to share ideas and resources. Don Perry from Anoka County has graciously hosted these meetings at Bunker Hill.

MCCA was co-sponsor for the Community Conference: Alternative Sentencing for the Minority Defendant in Hennepin County, November 16 - 17. A final report on this Conference is now being completed. MCCA also helped develop a resource directory for the Conference with plans to make it a state-wide resource directory.

MCCA is administering another series of Chemical Dependency/Criminal Justice Interface workshops in 1979 with Carlus Espejo and the Department of Public Welfare.

MCCA is planning a workshop in 1979 on child abuse as it relates to community-based adult programs. By law any information regarding child abuse given by a client in a program must be reported to the police.

Program members have been asked by T. Williams, the ombudsman, to develop a policy to handle property left behind at community-based facilities. Any program that has ideas on this matter call our office or send us your forms and procedure. We will try to develop a policy and include it in the state standards now being developed.

Our sympathy goes out to the family of Stan Wood who died recently in a camping accident. Stan was very active on the Minnesota Council for Ex-offender Employment. His smile, energy and commitment to helping others will be missed.

MCCA would like to thank Cheryl McDonough who served as our secretary through CETA for the past three months. We would also like to thank Stan Kano and H.I.R.E.D. for making this position possible.

We have plans to make 1979 another banner year for community corrections. We hope to see you at our January 31st General Membership and Annual Elections.

Have a nice Holiday Season!

Tom
Tom Christian
DIRECTOR, MCCA

Training/Conference Happenings

CORRECTIONAL SERVICE OF MINNESOTA recently received a contract from the Minnesota Department of Corrections to provide professional and technical assistance in two areas to the Department until June 30, 1979. The first area involves the creation of an information base for the Community Corrections Act personnel, training seminars and colloquia, organization and association meetings, and qualifications and availability of existing personnel within the Community Corrections Act counties to perform training functions. A periodic newsletter will be published describing the state of the above information, upcoming events, and items of related interest.

The second area of professional and technical assistance involves the development of a needs assessment and specific training program to meet the training needs of the Community Corrections Act Advisory Boards and related personnel. Community-based programs are also encouraged to use this resource for training ideas.

The contact person for Correctional Service of Minnesota is Lance Wilson at 339-7227.

THE UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA is offering a Master of Arts in Criminal Justice. Interested persons call the Criminal Justice Department at 373-9921.

WOMEN IN CRISIS: The first annual conference on women in crises will address the issues and needs of disadvantaged women caught up in the additional problems of alcohol, drugs, crime or mental health disability. May 17-19, 1979, New York City. For further information: Women in Crises, 444 Park Avenue South, New York, New York, 10016.

CASA, (Chemical Abuse Service Agency), would like to announce a series of free workshops dealing with Chemical Dependency - Intervention and Counseling of Chicanos, Latinos, and an ongoing series directed to correction staff. Contact Jose Barrera at 227-0831.

THE MINNEAPOLIS AREA CHAPTER OF THE AMERICAN RED CROSS is available to come to your program to talk about prevention and control of Venereal Disease. Contact LaVerne A. Levy, Coordinator Educational Program, at 871-7676.

TIME MANAGEMENT FOR SECRETARIES: January 8, 1979, Bemidji State University. Karen Grote will facilitate this 8 hour seminar. Send registration to: Debbie Tranter, DOC, 430 Metro Square, St. Paul, Minnesota 55101.

THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION of SOCIAL WORKERS will hold a Chapter Luncheon Seminar on Wednesday, December 20 at the Viking Village Smorgasbord, 501 Snelling Ave. North, St. Paul from 11:30 AM to 1:30 PM. The topic of the seminar will be: "What Every Social Worker Should Know About Lesbians as Clients and Lesbians as Professionals." The speaker will be Jackie Fendler, MSW, Clinic Coordinator for Gay Community Services.

MILLE LACS RESERVATION GROUP HOME is accepting clients and referrals from Courts, Welfare Agencies and probation systems throughout the state. The address is Star Route Box 248, Onamia MN 56359, phone 612-532-3157.

THE MCKNIGHT FOUNDATION has approved a \$50,000 grant for the support of our two Crime Victim Crisis Centers over the next two years.

In addition, the United Way of the Minneapolis Area just announced that they will provide \$32,000 in 1979 for the support of the Minneapolis Crime Victim Crisis Center.

Other funding for the two Centers is provided by the Northwest Area Foundation, the Minnesota Department of Corrections and, in Minneapolis, the Governor's Crime Control Planning Board (LEAA) through the Hennepin County Criminal Justice Coordinating Council.

In their first year of operation, the two Centers have served 2519 victims (as of November 30, 1978).

Committee Reports

NEWSLETTER COMMITTEE

CHAIRPERSON - DICK KAUFMAN
(339-1165)

We are proud to announce a new chairperson and editor of the HAPPENINGS, Karole Williams (560-4768) from the Retreat Asklepion Therapeutic Community, Lino Lakes. Dick Kaufman will continue on HAPPENINGS staff.

The newsletter committee requires more bodies for finding and reporting information concerning Community Corrections. Beyond this, HAPPENINGS is looking for creative, well-written articles, opinions, ideas and observations related to Community Correction programs, clients and staff.

The next issue of the HAPPENINGS will be out in mid-February, so please submit everything for publication by February 6, 1979.

TRAINING COMMITTEE

CHAIRPERSON - GARY MEITZ
(348-4166)

The Training Committee continues in its efforts to establish a full time technical assistant for training in community corrections. MCCA members recently put this item on the agenda of a state-wide meeting of corrections trainers at Bunker Hill in Anoka County. It appeared that MCCA and MACCAC both are concerned about this same issue. At that meeting it was agreed that the issue would again be put on the agenda of both MACCAC and MCCA board meetings and returned to the next state-wide training meeting at Bunker Hill.

Meanwhile the Training Committee is putting together a training proposal to be presented to the Hennepin County Corrections Advisory Board sub-committee on training. That proposal will address the issue of a technical assistant and monies to be allocated to train community corrections staff.

LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE

CHAIRPERSON - NORB GERNES
(331-1087)

The Legislative Committee met December 12, 1978. They are observing the Sentencing Guidelines Commission. They are developing a series of issues to discuss with legislator Don Moe on community based program areas. If you are interested in serving on this committee call Norb.

STANDARDS COMMITTEE

CHAIRPERSON - JIM BROWN
(222-4471)

The Standards Committee is waiting on the new Governor to take action on the Standards Task Force. Persons interested in this MCCA Committee call Jim.

CONTINUUM OF SERVICES

CHAIRPERSON - TOM LAWSON
(296-7019)

The Continuum of Services Committee completed a directory of community-based correctional services for Hennepin County with the help of Ken Pugh of Hennepin County. The committee now is looking for funding to complete a state-wide directory.

THE DIRECTORY of COMMUNITY-BASED CORRECTIONAL SERVICES is now available through the MCCA office (871-0221). Printing, mailing etc. costs are \$2.00 per copy. The design of the directory is to go state wide. If you receive a copy you will be put on a mailing list and update material will be sent to you.

Nova University of Florida has applied for approval to the Minnesota State Department of Higher Education, to extend it's Master of Science Program in Criminal Justice to Minnesota. For further information on this unique program contact: William Effertz, 4840 Hamilton Road, Minnetonka, Minnesota 55343. Phone: 938-8504.

Happenings Continued

Governor Rudy Perpich has issued an Executive Order creating a GOVERNOR'S INTER-AGENCY COORDINATING COUNCIL ON FAMILY VIOLENCE. The Council will consist of the Commissioners or their designees of the following agencies: Crime Control Planning Board, Department of Corrections, Department of Education, Department of Public Welfare and Department of Health. The purpose of the Council is to review programs and practices of State agencies as they relate to family violence; identify resources available to or controlled by State agencies which could be used to address family violence issues; and develop a coordinated effort to address the area of family violence which will maximize existing resources, streamline practices, and clarify responsibilities of State agencies. The Council will advise the Governor by December 15, 1978 of their findings and submit possible solutions.

HELPING INDUSTRY RESOLVE EMPLOYMENT DISABILITIES, (H.I.R.E.D.), celebrates its tenth anniversary of service in 1979. H.I.R.E.D. was originally chartered to work with persons with criminal records. In 1975, H.I.R.E. (Helping Industry Recruit Ex-Offenders) was operating one of the largest and most well known ex-offender employment programs, and had been credited with nation-wide achievements and award distinctions, including a citation from the office of the President of the United States.

H.I.R.E.D. and its Executive Director, Stan Kano, are active members and supporters of the MCCA. We congratulate them on their ten years of service and look forward to a number of special events they have planned for 1979.

L.E.A.A. GRANTS AVAILABLE - The technical assistance program of LEAA is making available several grants for family violence programs development. Units of local government and non-profit organizations are eligible for \$100,000 to \$300,000 with a 10% cash match, on an 18 month basis. The grants are designed to assist agencies in a community wide cooperative effort. For further information, contact the special program division of the office of Criminal Justice Programs. LEAA, 633 Indiana Ave. Northwest, Room 700, Washington D.C.

M & R IV, INC. are inviting you to a Christmas Party, Wednesday, December 20, 1978, from 2 to 11 P.M. at 2210 Lyndale Avenue North, Minneapolis.

PHARM HOUSE is no longer serving adults. As of November 27, 1978, they are working only with youth, ages 12-18.

The address for the Minnesota Sentencing Guidelines Commission is:

Suite 284
Metro Square Building
7th and Robert Streets
St. Paul, MN 55101
Phone: 296-0144

THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS TRAINING ACADEMY has moved to Lakewood Community College, 3401 Century Ave., White Bear Lake, MN 55110. The Academy number remains the same: 296-9248 or 296-9249.

THE ADVISORY TASK FORCE ON THE FUTURE OF MINNESOTA'S WOMEN OFFENDERS has submitted four recommendations and raised five additional areas of concern. They have been turned over to BEV TALIMAN for further research and planning on the issues raised in the report. She will be producing a plan with recommendations to the Commissioner of Corrections and the DOC cabinet by October 1, 1979.

THE NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF CORRECTIONS, (NIC), is attempting to identify leaders in corrections and related disciplines to testify at public hearings which they hope will help shape the Institute's future programming. Those testifying at the hearings will identify the most critical issues facing corrections and express their views as to how the NIC can best serve the field and allocate its funds to meet current needs.

N.I.C. has published its Annual Program Plan for fiscal year 1979 outlining the projects available for funding with the agency's approximately 8.5 million dollar grant program. To obtain a copy of the NIC Annual Program Plan, write or call The National Institute of Corrections, 320 1st Street N.W., Washington D.C. 20534 Telephone: 202-724-3106.

THE ALFRED ADLER INSTITUTE has begun a new program for women, "The Womens Place", which will offer a monthly lecture series. For information telephone: (612) 926-6511.

Cars for ex-offenders program

CONTROL DATA with the assistance of their subsidiaries, Commercial Credit and McCullagh Leasing, has offered a program to provide ex-offenders with cars.

McCullagh leases cars. After the leased cars are returned, the cars will be sold at "dealers'" prices to designated ex-offenders. The cars will then be financed for 34 months through Commercial Credit at 15% rather than the usual 18% interest rate. The cars are high mileage, 1975 to 1978 eight cylinder models.

On delivery, the cars generally need a tune-up. The first years' insurance, which for most convicted ex-offenders is high risk, can be included in the 34 payments. After one year, a person will be expected to find his/her own insurance. The first payment will not be due for 90 days to give the buyer an opportunity to get settled.

By Commercial Credit Standards a participant's payment cannot exceed more than one fourth of the existing years income. Unemployed individuals who are seeking full time employment are eligible to purchase a car as long as the total monthly payment will not exceed \$100.00. Certain ex-offenders will be ineligible to purchase certain cars because of the combined effects of income, rent, insurance rates, and the price of the car.

Cars are sold on availability basis and not by either demand, order, or an individual's sense of priority. Very often, the cars are not readily available, and so eligible purchasers must be counseled in patience.

Control Data has provided this program in the belief that in our mobile society, reliable transportation assists a person in seeking or maintaining better employment opportunities and establishing stronger family relationships.

Persons eligible for the cars include clients of Work Release/Project Reentry, persons paroled from the Industries Program at Stillwater Prison, and those persons specifically referred by parole and probation agents in the seven county Metropolitan area excluding Ramsey County.

Until 12-14-78, the program has been administered by Don Clift of Commercial Credit. The new administrator is Bob Schmidt, Phone: 830-6537. The program is operating out of 7840 Computer Ave., Edina, Minnesota.

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2414 Park Avenue South
Minneapolis, Minnesota 55404

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

NAME _____ HOME PHONE _____
PROGRAM/AGENCY _____ WORK PHONE _____
ADDRESS _____ ZIP _____
WORK ROLE _____

VOTING MEMBER Working in Community Corrections

Membership Dues: \$5.00
(Please enclose check)

ASSOCIATE MEMBER Interested in Community Corrections

197 Membership Renewal: \$5.00 (Please enclose check)

Sustaining Member \$25.00 Patron Membership \$50.00 or more

Program Membership \$100.00 per year Sponsoring Membership \$300.00 per year

MCCA Takes A Stand

On November 1, 1978, the Minnesota Community Corrections Association Board of Directors passed the following motion unanimously:

The Minnesota Community Corrections Association supports and will assist the efforts of the Minnesota Chippewa Tribe and the Department of Corrections to develop ways to apply the Community Corrections Act of Minnesota to American Indian needs and concerns.

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