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Vine City

1. The PAC would like to see Barnett transferred. Citizens from the community should be able to recommend a resident of the Vine City area for Barnett's position. If this is not possible, then the PAC should be allowed to pick a project director from a list of names submitted to the PAC by the Atlanta Housing Authority. A project director picked in this manner will conform to the spirit that the people from the community should gain from every aspect of the Urban Renewal Program.
2. The communications between the Atlanta Housing Authority and the PAC are too indirect. It is unclear what power the middle man, in this case Barnett, has. The PAC would like to deal directly with whomever has the final say on a particular issue.
3. The PAC should be working directly with any policy-making bodies which the Atlanta Housing Authority has. This will allow both the Atlanta Housing Authority and the PAC to communicate more meaningfully with the citizens.
4. The PAC would like to know who is on the Urban Renewal Committee. Is the PAC represented on the Urban Renewal Committee. Any representative of the Vine City community should be a member of or approved by the PAC.
5. The PAC understands that the Atlanta Housing Authority holds meetings on Monday afternoon for the discussion of issues relevant to the Vine City community. The PAC would like to attend these meetings.
6. The Atlanta Housing Authority should notify the PAC whenever the Aldermanic Board is planning to take an action which will affect the citizens of Vine City.
7. The PAC knows nothing about the items listed on Page Five of the Citizen Participation Report--Vine City, prepared by the Atlanta Housing Authority. The PAC would like an explanation of the costs listed.
8. The PAC would like a time table from the Atlanta Housing Authority which would inform them of when decisions on particular items have to be made.
9. The Atlanta Housing Authority has no authority to use PAC minutes in any statements sent to any federal agency.

The PAC will prepare a statement which the Atlanta Housing Authority may submit to the Department of Housing and Urban Development with the action proposal for 1970.

10. The PAC would like to be informed of any other local, regional or national meetings which might be of importance to urban redevelopment in the Vine City community and have PAC representation sent.

11. All construction or roadwork which is not in conformity with the Urban Renewal Plan developed for the Vine City area should be halted immediately and no new construction or roadwork should begin.

12. Where is the relocation activity report.

13. Where is the project area survey conducted by the PAC?  
*understand PAC volunteered to assist, planning consultant in area survey. Data collected is at the P.O.'s office. becomes property of AHA.*

14. Where is the Atlanta Workable Program?

15. Is it possible to train community people to handle certain jobs associated with urban redevelopment which will become available during the next few years?

16. When will the amount of money available for Vine City urban renewal be known and how will the amount be determined? Is there any way for the PAC to influence the size of the grant?

17. Will a house which is in good condition be subject to urban renewal because of the poor condition of the houses which surround it?

18. When will home owners be told whether their house is subject to rehabilitation or clearance?

19. It should be made clear to Mr. Openshaw that work in Area 35 should be completely finished before any clearance or work is begun in Area 34. In this regard the PAC should know how much money if any, will be lost by proceeding in this manner.