

the five or six critical areas that you pointed out a few moments ago were to be your first demonstration city program. Can you put a price tag on that?

Mr. LINDSAY. It is hard. Mr. Logue and I figure that if you took one sliver of it—supposing you took just one aspect, take one piece that is marked in red and designated as much of that as you can to come within the specifications, I suppose you are talking about \$300,000 on the physical side and \$300,000 human renewal.

Mr. ASHLEY. \$300,000 or \$300 million?

Mr. LINDSAY. \$300 million for physical development and \$300 million on human development. Again I say, I hesitate to give you figures, because it is very difficult to make those kinds of cash estimates. But as a rough guess, I would say that might be it for just one portion of the red that you see on that map that I showed you.

Mr. ASHLEY. I just want to get clear in my mind your attitude with respect to the Federal coordinator. Inasmuch as this is the most massive Federal city program to date, does it strike you as unreasonable that there should be the effort that has been written into the bill to upgrade the level of coordination both on the local level and certainly with respect to the interagency coordination and cooperation that would be essential here in Washington to make the program achieve its maximum effectiveness?

Mr. LINDSAY. No; I don't think it is unreasonable. Again it depends on how it is done.

Mr. ASHLEY. Finally, do you think with your experience as a legislator that this might not pose a rather difficult problem? After all, who should make the determination? You say that you favor the optional approach. Who should make the approach as to whether or not a Federal coordinator is necessary in a particular locality where there has been approved a demonstration of cities program? Should it be the mayor, the local community that makes that determination?

Mr. LINDSAY. Yes.

Mr. ASHLEY. And they can exclude—

Mr. LINDSAY. He is the man with the responsibility ultimately.

Mr. ASHLEY. He is not the one that is responsible for the 90 percent of the Federal funds, though, is he?

Mr. LINDSAY. No. But he has the responsibility for developing the community ultimately. And he carries that on his shoulders and answers to the people.

Mr. BARRETT. The time of the gentleman has expired.

Mrs. Dwyer?

Mrs. DWYER. Mr. Mayor, it is a great pleasure to have you back.

I want to compliment you on your very fine statement, and your constructive observations. I would like to ask this question. How should the cities demonstration program be chosen?

Mr. LINDSAY. How should the cities demonstration program be chosen?

Mrs. DWYER. How should the cities demonstration program be chosen? How do you go about choosing the cities in the program?

Mr. LINDSAY. Choosing the cities in the program?

Mrs. DWYER. Right.

Mr. LINDSAY. Well, I would choose New York No. 1.

Mrs. DWYER. And what about small cities like Elizabeth, how would you go about on the breakdown on size; large, medium, and small?