

Mr. Dowdy. Mr. Nelsen was asking about where the lumber came from that went into this Resurrection City. As I recall, some of the newspaper accounts stated that Mr. Hechinger provided the lumber at quite a discount.

Mr. CASTRO. My recollection is that the Hechinger Company provided some of the lumber at cost. I learned this from news reports.

Mr. Dowdy. Is that the same Hechinger that is on the Council?

Mr. CASTRO. Yes, sir.

Mr. Dowdy. I believe he is the chairman or vice chairman of the Council?

Mr. CASTRO. He is the president of the City Council.

Mr. Dowdy. The president of the City Council?

Mr. CASTRO. Yes, sir.

Mr. Dowdy. The statement of expenses that you will furnish us will just be the expenses of the Park Service?

Mr. CASTRO. No, sir. It will include the costs incurred by the General Services Administration and by the District Department of Highways and Traffic. When we decided to dismantle Resurrection City we called on the General Services Administration and the District Government to help us because we did not have the staff to do it within the time limit we had in mind. So we asked them to help us and they kindly did and they incurred costs which are a part of this \$71,000 we are talking about.

Mr. Dowdy. This \$71,000, and the \$35,000 you are not asking reimbursement for, does not include the extra cost of police personnel?

Mr. CASTRO. No, sir. We consider that a normal expense though it was expensive. I think we spent about \$114,000 in overtime alone.

Mr. Dowdy. \$114,000?

Mr. CASTRO. Yes, in overtime.

Mr. Dowdy. That was overtime for the Park Service Police?

Mr. CASTRO. That was just for the U.S. Park Police, yes, sir.

Mr. Dowdy. You have no figures for the Metropolitan Police Department?

Mr. CASTRO. I do not.

Mr. Dowdy. Mr. Adams.

Mr. ADAMS. Mr. Castro, you indicated groups have been holding demonstrations in Washington, D.C., for as long as you have been here and before.

Mr. CASTRO. Yes, long before I came here.

Mr. ADAMS. How long have you been with the Department?

OTHER PERMITS GRANTED

Mr. CASTRO. I have been here seven years.

Mr. ADAMS. Can you give us examples of other groups who come in and use the park areas?

Mr. CASTRO. We have a great variety of them.

Mr. ADAMS. Do the Boy Scouts ever use them?

Mr. CASTRO. Not in the city itself—not for camping.

Mr. ADAMS. Tell us about the groups who come in and use the areas in the city.

Mr. CASTRO. We have requests from such groups as the Women's Strike for Peace, the group for a Sane Nuclear Policy, a number of them.