

**PART III.—TRANSCRIPT OF PUBLIC HEARING ON APPLICATION BY HOWARD P. HOFFMAN ASSOCIATES, INC., FOR A DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY PERMIT TO CONSTRUCT A BULKHEAD AND TO FILL IN HUNTING CREEK, ALEXANDRIA, VA., HELD BY DIVISION ENGINEER, BALTIMORE DISTRICT, CORPS OF ENGINEERS, DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY**

**COUNCIL CHAMBER,  
ALEXANDRIA CITY HALL, ALEXANDRIA, VA.,  
Wednesday, February 21, 1968.**

The public hearing in the above-entitled matter was convened at 4 p.m., Col. Frank W. Rhea, division engineer, Baltimore District, Corps of Engineers, Department of the Army, presiding.

Also present: J. L. Reynolds, Chief of Operations Division, and E. Leineweber, assistant, Operations Division.

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Introductory comments by Col. Frank Rhea.

Statements of—

Stanley Irwin Bregman, representing Hoffman Associates.

Bernard Fagelson on behalf of the applicant.

Edward S. Holland on behalf of the applicant.

Hon. Henry S. Reuss, a Representative in Congress from the State of Wisconsin.

Dayton L. Cook, representing Albert M. Hair, Jr., city manager.

C. B. Harris, legislative chairman, Virginia division, Izaak Walton League.

J. W. Penfold, conservation director, Izaak Walton League of America.

Jackson Miles Abbott, Audubon Society of the District of Columbia, Virginia Society of Ornithology.

Joan W. Brackett, Alexandria branch, Washington Urban League.

Mrs. Julian Smith, Mount Vernon Chapter, DAR.

Arthur T. Wright, conservation consultant, the Wilderness Society.

A. Z. Shows, Valley View Citizens Association.

Jean Packard, Washington Group, Atlantic Chapter of the Sierra Club and Northern Virginia Conservation Council.

Burton B. Moyer, Jr., Alexandria Council on Human Relations.

Maj. Gen. Roger B. Colton.

Mrs. John W. Connelly, Jr.

Robert N. Bodine, Jr.

John Schwartz, Columbus, Ohio.

Louis Robert.

List of those present.

Exhibits submitted by Hon. Henry S. Reuss

Colonel RHEA. Ladies and gentlemen, I am Col. Frank Rhea, the district engineer of the Corps of Engineers, Baltimore.

I have with me on this side Mr. Reynolds, the Chief of our Operations Division and over here, Mr. Leineweber, and Mr. Reynolds' assistant.

For the purpose of this hearing, we also have Mr. Halasz making a recording of the proceedings.

The purpose of this hearing, as I think most of you know, is to consider the application by the Howard P. Hoffman Associates for a Department of the Army permit to bulkhead and fill in Hunting Creek, Alexandria, Va. The area is indicated in red on this chart on the stand.

I will read some pertinent parts of the public notice which I am sure most of you have read.

The public notice states that we would have the hearing on this matter at this time in the city council chambers, City Hall, Alexandria.

The plans submitted by the applicant indicate that the proposed bulkhead and filled area will extend from the existing bulkhead toward the Potomac River a