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CITY OF PORTLAND
INTER-OFFICE CORRESPONDENCE
 (NOT FOR MAILING)

From Dept. of Office of Commissioner
 To Dept. of Office of City Engineer
 Addressed to L. G. Apperson, City Engineer
 Subject Waterfront development

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NO. 152260	SUBJECT <i>Waterfront Dev</i>
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS	
FOR YOUR ATTN.	
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Dear Sir:-

It seems quite apparent that the so-called Laurgaard Development Project for the west side waterfront has little, if any, chance of being carried out as now set up.

An opportunity to carry out some type of development may be offered, and in order to take advantage of any such opportunity which may arise, I would suggest that you make a report to me as to the best method to employ toward attaining the following:

- 1st: The widening of Front avenue from a connection with Barbur Boulevard to the widened portion north of U-P S-P railroad bridge.
- 2nd: The connection of Front avenue to Macadam street. This connection might in the future be extended to connect with a harbor line boulevard.
- 3rd: A connecting diagonal from Barbur Boulevard to 10th avenue which might become the first unit of the boulevard at the foot of the hills west of the business section of the city.

These improvements should, I believe, follow the recommendations contained in the Bartholomew report unless further study should show reasons for changes - minor or otherwise.

Yours very truly,

Ormond R. Bean

COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS