

Summer Task Force QUESTIONNAIRE

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PARISH ASSGT.

COMMENTS

1- NAME: RONNIE SIGAL

2- AGE: 21

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4- SCHOOLING

A- HOW MUCH 4 yrs of college

B ARE YOU NOW A STUDENT? Yes

if so what school -- U of Minnesota
major - Psychology

YEAR - Senior w/ 3 hours of class left

if not, what job do you have? -

5- DRIVING

A- CAN YOU DRIVE? Yes

B- DID YOU BRING A CAR? No

C- DO YOU HAVE A LA. LICENSE? No

6- SKILLS - (CHECK)

1- PHOTOGRAPHY _____

2- JOURNALISM _____

3- COMMUNITY ORGANIZATION _____

4- POLITICAL CAMPAIGNING

5- PUBLIC RELATIONS (RADIO, TV, PRESS)

6- COMMERCIAL ART (POSTERS, PRINTING) Have made lots of posters but nothing fancy.

7- PUBLIC SPEAKING Have done it before churches & conventions but hate it.

8- TYPING

9- SHORTHAND _____

10- OTHER (LIST) _____

7- PREVIOUS EXPERIENCE IN (EXPLAIN BRIEFLY ON OTHER SIDE)

A- POLITICAL CAMPAIGNS

B- VOTER REGISTRATION

C- COMMUNITY ORGANIZATION

D- DIRECT NON-VIOLENT ACTION

E- UNION WORK

F- OTHER

8- DESCRIBE (ON OTHER SIDE) ALL PREVIOUS EXPERIENCE (NORTH & SOUTH) IN THE MOVEMENT

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- A. Have done block for Democratic party in several campaigns, worked in campaign offices - telephoning, typing, driving, scheduling speakers, doing mailings.
- B. None
- C. Have worked a lot in uniting the different civil rights groups in Mpls, but none of them are grass roots. Only real work in community was with Neighborhood Houses - community centers - getting families to send their kids down, planning programs, etc.
- D. Demonstrations + picket lines in Mpls.
- E. None.
- F. Mostly setting up speakers + panels, working on surveys for Urban League + NAACP in the community, raising money. Some negotiation with public officials + planning of negotiations + demonstrations with UUCS.

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I was President or Secretary of the campus equivalent of a CORE group (i.e., CORE-oriented) for 3 years. Most of our work was educational - panels, speakers, movies. We had about 8 demonstrations - for the release of the 4 jailed on capital charges in Americas for JFK to sign the Executive Order on housing (at the Democratic rally when he came to Mpls), + several others in cooperation with NAACP + other groups around the country on anniversaries of the 1954 decision. I was on the state board of Young Adults NAACP, + made contacts with officials - from Governor down - + news media, kept up over a 3 year period. I've spoken at churches + synagogues frequently, + done surveys for NAACP + Urban League (on housing, education, + employment) + worked with Mpls CORE (as a member) on negotiations with the Mpls. school board. Lived in the Negro community - which is unorganized - + worked with neighborhood houses.