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THIS WEEK

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HOUSE SUSTAINS DORM VETO

Visions of a federally funded dormitory at Coastal Carolina College evaporated Tuesday afternoon when the South Carolina House of Representatives voted to sustain Governor Dick Riley's veto of the housing project.

Despite an impressive display of support engineered by the House delegation from Horry, the lower chamber upheld the Governor's action by a 62-55 vote.

"We are very disappointed," Chancellor Edward M. Singleton told a State newspaper reporter moments after the defeat. "However, we yield to and respect the wisdom of the legislature."

Singleton expressed his gratitude to Representative Charles Hodges, Representative Lois Eargle and Representative Jean Myers for what the Chancellor described as "tireless, skillful work in the legislature on behalf of Coastal Carolina and the citizens in our part of the state."

Singleton also thanked Senator Ralph Ellis for his efforts in support of Coastal in the earlier Senate battle.

The House debate over the dormitory lasted for almost an hour-and-a-half. Representative Hodges took the floor first, urging the lawmakers to treat the Pee Dee and Waccamaw areas of the state with equality, citing the widespread growth of state-supported residential campuses in the western part of the state.

In his address to the House, Hodges said he had been offered a deal on the dormitory. Hodges said a telephone caller, whom he declined to identify, suggested that Coastal's dormitory might not be vetoed if Hodges would work to change the S. C. Constitution so the Governor could seek a second term. (Present law allows one four-year gubernatorial term.) "I said 'No, I'm not going to sell Coastal Carolina, not for that,'" Hodges told the lawmakers. "Even though I'd dearly love to have that dormitory."

After Hodges' address, Representatives Lois Eargle and Jean Myers each made lengthy pleas to the House members, urging them to override the dormitory veto. Also taking the floor in support of the dormitory were Representatives John Felder (D-Orangeburg-Calhoun), B.J. Gordon (D-Williamsburg-Berkeley), Archibald Buchan (D-Marion), Odell Venters (D-Florence) and Ken Shelly (D-Marion-Dillion-Florence).

Leading the opposition to the dormitory was Representative Jean Toal (D-Richland). Also urging the body to support the Governor's veto were Representatives Norma Russell (R-Lexington) and the legislative delegations from Greenville and Spartanburg.

Coastal's support came from legislative delegations representing the northeastern section of South Carolina, while the opposition in the House mainly came from legislators representing Richland, Greenville, Spartanburg, Aiken and York counties.

"Apparently there is no way to use the HUD funding without approval of the legislature," says Chancellor Singleton, "so the two-and-a-half million dollars we've been offered will now be withdrawn and presumably offered to another institution in another state. Despite this disappointment, we are still hopeful that we will see some type of housing for our students in the foreseeable future. Coastal Carolina College, meanwhile, will continue to strive to meet the educational needs of the citizens in our section of the state."

OCHIS IS NOT A FLOWER

Dean of Student Development Bob Squatriglia says Coastal's Student Development Division expects a lot of activity from OCHIS during the fall semester:

"The Off Campus Housing Information Service (OCHIS) is an information and education service dedicated to serving Coastal's students. It provides information on housing available to students, along with tenants' rights and responsibilities, and follow-up service to students."

"The OCHIS office also provides the following: a medical guide, maps (including a campus map, mileage indicator map, and a county/state map), a "Check List for Renters", roommate requests, and a car pooling information service. In addition, OCHIS maintains a detailed Vacancy Book on all housing available."

"OCHIS is located in College Center 206-C. All members of the College Community are cordially invited to visit this office or to call (ext. 208) regarding prospective housing."

WHAT'S COOKING?

The weekly menu for the College Center Cafeteria for the week of August 20-24 is:

Monday, August 20	Thursday, August 23
Pork and dressing	Baked chicken
Chicken and pastry	Combination sandwich
Whipped potatoes	Rice and gravy
Green peas and onions	Blackeyed peas
Baked squash	Chopped spinach
Tuesday, August 21	Friday, August 24
Carved roast beef	Bar-B-Que pork on bun
Stacked turkey sandwich	Fried ocean perch
Parsley buttered potatoes	French fries
Cut green beans	Peas and carrots
Sliced carrots	Pinto beans
Wednesday, August 22	
Baked lasagne	Asst. salads: daily
Grilled reubben sandwich	Asst. deserts: daily
Potato chips	Asst. drinks: daily
Brussel sprouts	Rolls: daily
Cut corn	