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READING COUNCIL

Dear Members and Friends of the
Homer L. J. Carter Reading Council:

Reading is Big at the Council level. On behalf of the Council
Board, we wish to thank each of you for your contributions to the
Reading Council and its important work this year. One of our past
presidents, Mrs. Leona Hefner, Reading Consultant, Portage Public
Schools, represents us at the State level as member-at-large. Other
members are making contributions to both the M.R.A. and the I.R.A.
Conventions. Thus, our influence is being felt.

The Luncheon Meeting at the Holiday Inn Expressway proved to
be successful. During the business meeting, the following slate of
officers were elected for the school year 1972-73:

Mrs. Clara Harbeck, 
Kalamazoo Public Schools

President

Mrs. Fran Baden, 
Kalamazoo Valley Intermediate
District

President-elect and
Program Chairman

Mrs. Betty Hagberg, 
Western Michigan University

Second Vice-President

Mrs. Myrtie Barnhart, 
Three Rivers Public Schools

Secretary

Mr. John Duncan, 
Vicksburg Community Schools

Treasurer, Membership
Chairman

We are happy to announce that the program schedule for 1972-73
is nearly completed. Another challenging and exciting year is in the
offing. Dr. Jean M. LePere, Professor of Elementary Education,
Michigan State University, will be our first program speaker, Thurs-
day, Sept. 14, 1972. She has chosen as her topic—“Think Tanks and
Wonderful Noodles.” Friday, Oct. 20, 1972, will be the date for the
drive-in-conference. Dr. Jo M. Stanchfield, Professor of Education,
Occidental College, Los Angeles, California, will be the featured speak-
er. She will discuss the topic—“Making the Right To Read A Reality.”
You won’t want to miss either date. Mark it on your calendar and plan
to join us in the Fall.

Sincerely,
Lois VanDenBerg, President