

3. Advise the department on the gathering, preparation and dissemination of information on methods of rehabilitating land which has been surface mined, and on any state, federal or other financial assistance which may be available to assist in paying the cost of rehabilitation of the land.

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ALFREDO BENAVIDEZ, Iowa City; term expires 1983
 JOHN RAY DELGADO, Burlington; term expires 1983
 VIRGINIA CORREA JONES, Ames; term expires 1983
 MARIA GARCIA MAY, Des Moines; term expires 1983
 ILA PLASENCIA, Des Moines; term expires 1983
 ERNESTO RODRIGUEZ, Davenport; term expires 1983
 JOHN SERRANO, JR., Davenport; term expires 1983
 JOHN D. TUCKER, Clinton; term expires 1983
 MIGUEL A TERAN, executive director

In 1978, the Spanish Speaking Peoples Commission was created by the 66th General Assembly, to act as an advocacy agency for Spanish-speaking Iowans in certain areas of concern, including education, employment, health, housing, administration of justice, welfare and recreation.

The commission is headed by a nine-member board of directors appointed by the governor, which sets direction for the commission staff. As of July 1, 1980, the Commission was transferred to the Civil Rights Commission, which provided support services including, but not limited to, office space, secretarial assistance, supplies and similar services.

Pursuant to Chapter 16, Code of Iowa, 1977, the Commission is to coordinate, assist and cooperate with the efforts of various state departments, agencies and institutions to serve the needs of Spanish-speaking persons.

In addition, the commission provides assistance to Spanish-speaking community organizations throughout the state by setting up programs and projects for the benefit of local citizens.

Each one of the commissioners serves as chairperson of a committee designed to address problems in all major areas of concern. These committees are made up of individuals from throughout the state who are interested and have expertise in various socio-economic areas.

The Spanish Speaking Peoples Commission is obligated to submit a report on its activities, functions and recommendations to the Legislature every two years.

Status of Women, Iowa Commission on the

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PATRICIA L. GEADELMANN, chair, Cedar Falls; term expires 1984
 MARGARET S. ANDERSON, Bettendorf; term expires 1984
 EDWARD M. ANSON, Sioux City; term expires 1984
 DOROTHY KELLEY AUGSPURGER, Des Moines; term expires 1986
 JOHN L. AYERS, Clear Lake; term expires 1986
 AN CD. BERGSTROM, Cedar Falls; term expires 1986
 MICHELE A BOYKIN, Sioux City; term expires 1986
 MARY E. CAMPOS, Des Moines; term expires 1986
 NAOMI CHRISTENSEN, Hastings; term expires 1984
 FONDA CORSON, Dubuque; term expires 1986
 ROSA CUNNINGHAM, Des Moines; term expires 1984
 CLINTON P. DAVIS III, Des Moines; term expires 1986
 MILDRED I. FREEL, Iowa City; term expires 1986
 DORIS K. GREGORY, Blockton; term expires 1984
 NANCY R. HAUSERMAN, Iowa City; term expires 1986
 EUNICE KUYPER, Knoxville; term expires 1984
 BILLIE D. LLOYD, Davenport; term expires 1984