

lands in accordance with the provisions of the Code of Iowa. The department is the delegated agency to administer the Federal Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement Provisions of 1977.

### **Land Rehabilitation Advisory Board**

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The board is required to:

1. Advise the Department of Soil Conservation on any matter relating to administration and enforcement of the mining laws of Iowa.
2. Advise the department with respect to surface-mined land rehabilitation projects.
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.

### **Temporary State Land Preservation Policy Commission**

ALVIN CLARE RUSSIE, Executive Secretary

The TSLPPC was created by the 67th General Assembly in 1977 for the purpose of developing state land preservation policy recommendations for the consideration of the General Assembly and any proposed methods by which the state land preservation policy should be implemented. The TSLPPC is administratively attached to the Department of Soil Conservation.

## **Spanish Speaking Peoples Commission**

507 10th Street, Des Moines 50309

HERBERT BECCERA, Council Bluffs; term expires 1979.  
 JUAN CADENA, Muscatine; term expires 1979.  
 JORGE GOMEZ, JR., Davenport; term expires 1979.  
 SISTER IRENE MUNOZ, Muscatine; term expires 1979.  
 ILA PLASENCIA, Des Moines; term expires 1979.  
 ERNESTO RODRIGUEZ, Davenport; term expires 1979.  
 JOHN TUCKER, Muscatine; term expires 1979.  
 HECTOR O. SANCHEZ, Executive Director

The Spanish Speaking Peoples Commission was created by the Sixty-sixth (66th) General Assembly, 1976 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 who are all governor's appointees and will serve until June, 1979 when the initial term of the Commission is to expire.

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 the aforementioned areas of concern.

In addition, the Commission provides assistance to Spanish Speaking community organizations throughout the State in setting up programs and projects for the benefit of the 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.