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Councilman LEON WILLIAMS ...a man of action

He cares about people...

ARE FREEWAYS THE ANSWER? - Leon believes San Diego must seek a modern, rapid transit system to avoid being strangled by freeways that destroy the city's natural beauty and add to pollution.

IMPROVED HOUSING – Developers such as Henry E. Jackson, Jr., President of Brokers Financial, Inc., earn Leon's support for efforts to upgrade neighborhoods with modern, carefully planned housing developments that meet the city's needs for adequate schools and other services.

CIVIC LEADERS ENDORSE LEON – George A. Scott, President of Walker Scott Department Stores, is chairman of Leon's re-election campaign "because I like and believe in Councilman Leon Williams and all he represents - people and issues."

Leon stays in shape to represent the Fourth District on the San Diego City Council by jogging in Balboa Park when his busy schedule permits. As a councilman, he speaks for the citizens of Southeast San Diego, San Ysidro, Nestor and Palm City.

In addition to serving as director of Neighborhood Youth Corps - the largest employer of youth in San Diego - Leon's many civic activities include serving on the California Vocational Education Planning Committee, the Southeast Area Environmental Task Force, and the Community Welfare Council.

He was appointed to the City Council in January, 1969, to fill a vacancy, and later that year was elected to complete the term, receiving more than 60% of the vote in a city-wide election.

YOUTHFUL APPEAL – Young people are of special concern to Leon. A stroll along the beach at Mission Bay produces excitement for two would-be oceanographers as they display their shell collection. Below, Leon relaxes after a busy day at home with his wife, Martha.

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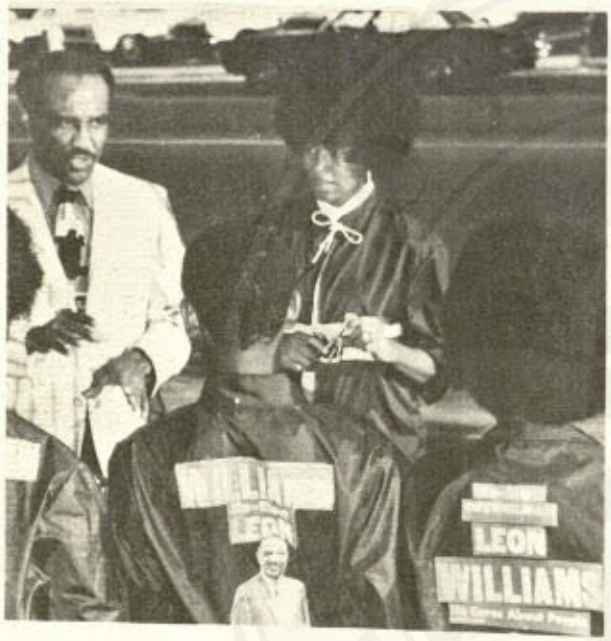
Leadership, initiative, and concern for people are the qualities that made Leon Williams a spokesman for the Fourth District of the San Diego City Council and for all citizens. His service to the community includes the Mayor's Council on Youth and "Project Summertime", increased representation of minorities on civil service oral interview boards, and the Southeast Development Committee.



ABOUT THE ISSUES — Leon discusses his positions and record with supporters while his wife, Martha, listens carefully.

Leon Williams, an Army Air Corps veteran of World War II, earned a bachelor's degree in psychology at San Diego State college in the near-record time of two and one-half years. He holds a graduate certificate in public welfare administration and has completed all graduate work for a master's degree except his thesis.

He was administrative assistant to the San Diego County Sheriff for nine years and has been head of Neighborhood Youth Corps for six years, considered the best in the nation. Leon is an active person, able administrator — sensitive to needs of individuals and devoted to better government.

HIRE A VET — A young Vietnam veteran discusses employment opportunities and his future with Leon on a Sunday afternoon in Chicano Park, one of many improvements Leon achieved in the Fourth Council District. His record as a councilman includes 1,000 units of low-cost housing through the San Diego Housing Authority and the Community Housing Improvement and Revitalization Program, child-care centers in San Ysidro and Southeast San Diego, and increased recreation programs.

RE-ELECT COUNCILMAN LEON WILLIAMS

VOTE

General Election
Tuesday
November 2, 1971

Primary Election
Tuesday
September 21, 1971

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