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Good Morning ! Welcome to the meeting of The Kiwanis Club Of Janesville,
Wisconsin, Blackhawk Golden "K".

Smooth Transition

The Club President's Gavel was passed from Verden to Marvin in full stride. In keeping with Kiwanis Tradition Immediate Past President Hicks continues on the Board of Directors another year.

President Hauser handed out his committee assignments and introduced Directors and Officers. 75th anniversary, Orientation and Telephone Committees are added this year.

The Club heard President Hauser outline his goals: (1) Keep people informed (2) Charge Committees to function (3) Have a special 75th anniversary project (4) Encourage Excellence projects (5) Increase membership 10% (6) Establish Orientation program (7) Solidify Club's finances (8) Recognize Member's achievements (9) Cooperation with The Kiwanis Club Of Janesville (10) Members have a fun filled year.

Implementation of goal # 10 began the evening of our first 1989-90 meeting date, Oct. 4, 1989 with a very enjoyable Officer Installation Banquet. # 9 is off to a good start. Greg Wegner, President of Janesville Kiwanis and son of our own Bob Wegner attended. The Alpine Staff served a fine meal to members and guests. A new Public Address System worked well.

Our prayers went with Lt. Gov. Woody Schoenfeld. His 90 year old mother fell, breaking a leg. Woody left for

Miami, Florida to be with his mother immediately after the banquet. When tributes are paid mothers who raised sons to a sense of duty that allows them to perform that duty under such stress are to be praised. Lt. Gov. Schoenfeld installed Club Officers without a hitch.

October Programs

- 4th - David Mumma, Director JTS
Public Transportation.
- 11th - Orville Roberts - Railroads
- 18th - Lt. Gov. Woody Schoenfeld
Kiwanis Major Emphasis.
- 25th - Don Loper - Wisconsin Power &
Light - Energy Conservation.

Public Transportation

Most members were pleasantly surprised at the quality of information presented by JTS Director David Mumma. Skillfully using a excellent slide program The Director presented public transportation from the horse drawn era, Electric Trolley, gasoline engine to our current diesel engine busses. Some facts: 1902-1930 Rockford - Beloit - Janesville Inter Urban. 1952 - First Municipal Owned. 1960 - 788,024 passengers. 1970 - 416,333 passengers. Decline due to personal autos. 1979 - 1989 re-birth in passengers. JTS Motto: " All Season - All Reason - No Fuss Buss"

Next Interclub

- October 11 - Clinton * TODAY
- October 18 - Janesville Noon - 26
- Sickness - Orville Freeman, Bob Lewis.