

JACKSON COUNTY CIVIL DEFENSE COUNCIL

The Jackson County Civil Defense Council in Medford, Oregon is becoming very effective.

The initial meeting of 175 people which followed the mailing of *Fighting Chance* in the Medford area was then followed by a series of organizational meetings and now regular public meetings. Attendance is good and the programs have been excellent.

Recently the local Medford PSR (Physicians for "Social Responsibility") chapter changed their meeting time to be identical to the publicly announced Jackson County Civil Defense meeting time. Apparently, too many physicians were learning the truth about civil defense.

The Jackson County group is now completing a steel blast shelter (without entryways) 8 feet in diameter and 22 feet long with complete furnishings including a LUWA 180 ventilation unit.

This shelter is trailer mounted and will be parked in public places like shopping centers along with tables of information, tours, and Council members to educate the public about civil defense.