College Students
and others
Needed
for CORE Summer Program
An Invitation and a Challenge

College students, clergymen, workers and businessmen are needed for CORE summer programs in Louisiana, northern Florida, South Carolina and Mississippi. The main concentration will be in Louisiana. Work will be hard, living conditions will be spartan, opportunities for achievement will be great.

The main purpose of CORE summer programs will be to develop community leadership and strengthen community organization. CORE workers will not enter a community with preconceived plans. They will instead adapt themselves to the community's needs and wishes. They will seek to stimulate the expression of those needs, and organize the kind of groups that will be able to continue activity on a self-sufficient basis after the summer programs come to an end. Program areas include:

Voter Registration

Canvassing, instruction clinics, rallies, transportation to the registrar's office.
Community Organization
Creating community involvement and organization around need for covered sewers, street lights, playgrounds, postal service, libraries, free access to public services and facilities.

Farmers' Leagues
Organizing farmers to deal with their special problems such as elections for County ASCS committees, getting crop loans and farm home loans, setting up marketing cooperatives where these are possible.

Jobs
Working to open jobs at consumer-oriented companies and public agencies by encouraging negotiations, mobilizing community concern through public demonstrations and boycotts.

Freedom Schools, Community Centers
Literacy programs, classes in Negro history, government, current events, nursery programs, drama groups, art. Special need here for trained people.

Medical, Legal Assistance
Programs will have cooperation of Medical Committee for Human Rights, Lawyers Constitutional
Defense Committee, CORE Scholarship, Education and Defense Fund.

Summer programs will start with a one-week training session, which is scheduled to open on June 10th. Following this there will be eight weeks of field work ending with an evaluation on August 15th. Participants are expected to be self-sustaining. They will have to pay for their own transportation and room and board, and be prepared for possible bail expenses. The CORE Scholarship, Education and Defense Fund will make a number of Community Development Fellowships available to students in appropriate fields of study who have been accepted for a program. For applications and additional information, write to:

CORE Southern Office
2209 Dryades St., New Orleans, Louisiana

If you can't join the program, please support it. Contributions are urgently needed.