

1972- IF YOU WERE THERE...

- 1. What motivated local city leaders to form the "Committee for the 60's?" What benefits came out of the effort?
- 2. You are in charge of a meeting of local merchants who are trying to develop a plan for downtown in light of recent plans for a second shopping mall. What will you suggest?
- 3. Describe the biggest snowfall you can remember. What did you do?
- 4. What can citizens learn from the incident of the Sylvester House fire?
- 5. Before the Capitol Lake swimming area, many residents swam under the I-5 bridge in Tumwater. Now there is a bathhouse, restrooms and docks with lifeguards near downtown Olympia. As a swimmer, how do you feel about this? As a merchant, how does this affect you?
- 6. Describe downtown Olympia in 1972 if Interstate 5 hadn't been built.
- 7. How does the addition of a new college change a city?
- 8. What changes have been occurring on the port fill since some of the major plywood plants closed down? Are they positive or negative?
- 9. You are a founding member of POSSCA (Patrons of South Sound Cultural Activities) how will you go about building an apprecitation of music, art and theater in the South Sound region?
- 10. You have been asked to create a new event that will become an Olympia tradition. What, when and where will it be?
- 11. Imagine you are a Squaxin tribal leader like Joyce Cheeka or a Nisqually tribal leader like Billy Frank Jr. How would you keep your Native American traditions alive?
- 12. Compare recent architecture with some of the older buildings in town.
- 13. Compare the Nisqually Delta controversy with the Sylvester Park controversy from the last scene.