Brio

Were you there? 4-27-89

Anyone who can recall specific alleged illegal off-site dumping concerning companies involved with either the Brio or Dixie Oil Processors (DOP) toxic waste site are asked to call the **South Belt-Ellington Leader** at 481-5656 and share the information. Confidentiality will be respected.

During the past several months, many South Belt area residents who remember the fields around the Brio Superfund site before Southbend subdivision was built have contacted the **Leader** with information regarding suspicious activity around the area.

Residents who worked with the United Sports Association (USA) in 1975 building the ball fields remember dealing with problems caused by what they believed to be off-site drainage from the DOP site.

Other residents who were teen-agers in the early '70s recall riding motorcycles across the trails in the fields and noticing changes in the soil and landscape. Others remember noticing tank trucks in the field but did not pay much attention because it was a normal occurrence for the times.

Former employees from Brio and associated companies have come forward with information about alleged illegal off-site dumping of chemicals.