

1 Hardwicke, something like a planning Commission, like
2 the Regional Planning Council of the City of Baltimore.

3 That would be excepted, and I wouldn't think
4 that it should have the power to tax, particularly if it
5 had representatives of the people elected for that purpose.

6 I think Delegate Case's amendment does clarify,
7 because it is conceivable that you would have a single
8 purpose unit that people would refer to as an authority
9 that might have popularly elected representatives, and
10 therefore should have the power to tax and should not be
11 included.

12 There are many other things within this defini-
13 tion of multi-county governmental units which we just
14 have had no contact with now, but which sometime in the
15 future can be created, and I think there is a legitimate
16 reason for making this distinction, which would be made
17 if this clarifying amendment is adopted.

18 THE CHAIRMAN: The Chair recognizes Delegate
19 Chabot to speak in opposition to the amendment.

20 DELEGATE CHABOT: No, sir. I also had a ques-
21 tion to Delegate Case, if he would yield, if I am in order.