

Ahuimanu Valley Project Planned

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whose owners would share in the costs."

THE HIGHWAY would be built to Federal Bureau of Highway standards, White said. He added that the improvement district proposal already had been approved by Federal, State and City agencies before submission to the City Council.

Houghtailing said the only government share of the highway cost would come as a result of its passing through some State property at Hawaii State Hospital. In this case the State would be a benefited property owner and share in the cost on an assessment basis, Houghtailing said.

The City & County would issue bonds obligating affected land owners to pay costs of the highway over a 20-year period.

ABOUT 1,500 homes are planned for the community. The homes are to be designed by architect Richard Leitch, of Newport Beach, Calif., and built by Trousdale and Centex Construction Cos.

Architects Wimberly, Whisenand, Assison & Tong are designing the administration building for the cemetery, to be called Valley of the Temples because of the sheer, temple-like Koolau cliffs in the background.

Principals in the Ahuimanu Investment Co. are builder Paul W. Trousdale; Texas financiers Clint Jr. and John Murchison; the

Kern County Land Co., of Bakersfield, Calif.; Tom Lively, president of Centex Construction Co. of Dallas and Honolulu; Lowell S. Dillingham, president of Dillingham Corp.; White, and attorney C. Wendell Carlsmith.

RICHARD B. BARNER, who will be manager of the cemetery, has arrived in Hawaii to get the project started. He is co-owner of Green Lawn Memorial Park at Williamsport, Pa., and manager of Center County Memorial at State College, Pa.

Phil Sonntag, formerly with Forest Lawn Memorial Park in Los Angeles, has been appointed director of sales and also have arrived to assemble his sales staff. Mason Lettau, president of Inglewood Memorial Park at Inglewood, Calif., will be closely associated with the Valley of the Temples.

Fountains of many nations will be placed in the cemetery, and Kazuo Nakamura, Japanese landscape architect, is working on plans for planted gardens, including what is described as the largest authentic Japanese garden outside Japan.

No Parts Shortage

WASHINGTON (UPI) — The Defense Department denied yesterday report from Saigon that U.S. Army helicopters in South Viet Nam are operating at only 50 per cent of capacity because of a shortage of spare parts.

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