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INTRODUCTION

The primary questions in the public sector are, 'What improvements can be made and what is the relationship with the private sector?' Currently, the public sector has provided many leisure services but because of the budgetary cutbacks there are gaps in leisure services for the community. One trend in the public sector has been the shifting from municipal programs to the quasi-public organizations. The quasi-public organizations, in this case, are Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, Salvation Army, JCCs, CYO and many others that are funded privately but have a public emphasis. This has helped alleviate some of the pressure but there are still many needs that are not being met. Even if the economy turns around, the question is, 'What type of structure should be established for public organizations and what should be the relationship between the public and private sector?' The primary focus of these questions should be on the quantity of services.