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Whether he's racing this sleek 32-ft. Islander or perfecting NASA's Lunar Roving Vehicle (LRV), Sam is truly a surface mobility expert.

Sam Romano is Program Manager of the Lunar Roving Vehicle Mobility System project for Delco Electronics in Santa Barbara, California.

During the last ten years, he's skippered such lofty aerospace efforts as the Mobile Lunar Laboratory, the Local Scientific Survey Module, and the Lunar Wheel and Drive Program.

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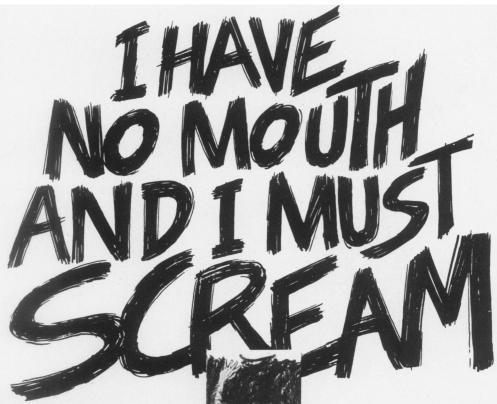
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