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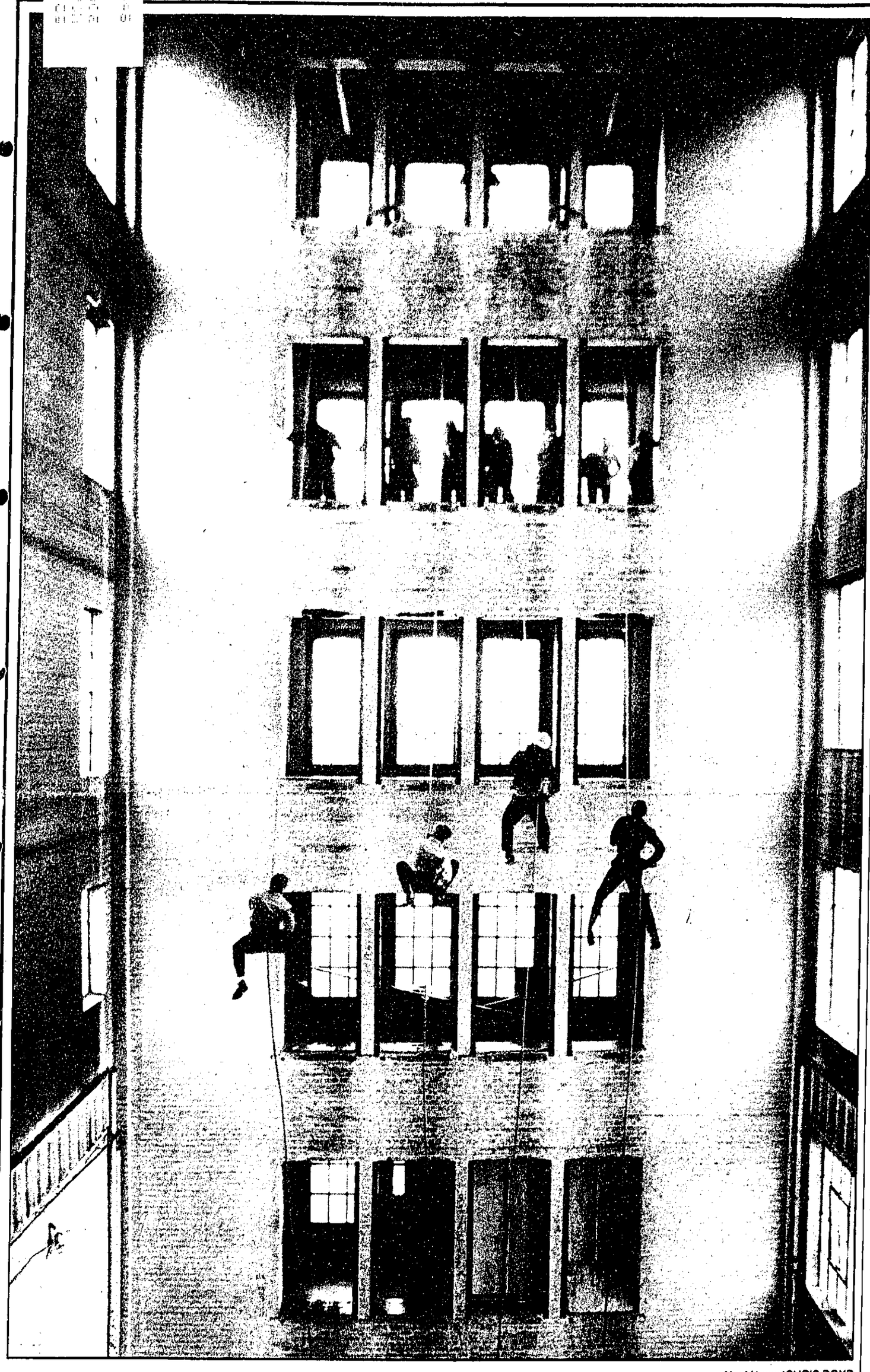

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Novi Fire Protection Officer Gordon Poyhonen (second from left) repels down the wall of the Detriot Fire Academy

High demand boosts prices of Novi homes

By CHRISTOPHER J. KOZLOWSKI
staff writer

Homes in the $60,000 to $130,000 price range are scarce in the Novi/Northville area. And, according to one area Realtor, a current imbalance of supply and demand is causing an "unhealthy" housing market.

Carol Mason of Carol Mason Realty in Novi said home buyers are paying substantially more this year for the same home than they would have last year because housing in the $60,000-$100,000 price range is in high demand,. She said an area home which sold for $80,000 in 1986 could easily sell for $95,000 this year.

"There are many more buyers than sellers, especially under $150,000," said Annie Nichols of Nichols Realty in Northville. She added that when homes become available on the market, they sell very quickly.

According to Conrad Jakubowski of ERA Rymal Symes in Novi, the area's housing shortage is directly attributable to the 1981-82 housing market slump. He said because land developers were reluctant to develop land in the area, after suffering losses in '81, the area is underdeveloped to meet today's needs.

According to the Metro Multi-list, a listing of real estate activity in the Metro Detroit area, there was a 29 percent drop in home listings in the Novi area from January/February 1986 to January/February 1987. Jakubowski said that decrease resulted in a 21 percent drop in unit sales because there were "insufficient products on the market to sell."

Mason: 'It is a false, pumped-up economy. I like it when there is enough supply to meet demand.'

Reflecting how developers have begun to meet area needs, a recent market survey of the 60 largest metropolitan city areas ranked Metro Detroit housing development second behind New York City, according to Jakubowski. The Detroit area showed a 15.4 percent increase in activity over a year ago, according to the survey. New York activity increased 17.1 percent.

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No petitions filed in school election

If the petition count for this year's school board race is any indication, voters will have few candidates to choose from on the June 8 ballot.

A year after one of the most contested and costly school board elections in recent history, not a single petition has been filed with the superintendent's office. Deadline for filing petitions is 4 p.m. Monday, April 6.

Candidates for the two existing vacancies on the school board must be 18 years old, registered Novi voters, U.S. citizens, residents of Michigan at least 30 days and residents of the school district on or before the 30th day prior to the annual school election.

Nominating petitions are available at the Administration Building, 25575 Taft Road, and must be signed by at least 20 registered Novi voters. Residents who file petitions have until Thursday, April 9, to withdraw their candidacies.

Sandy Lemon, secretary to Superintendent Robert Piwko, said board incumbents Michael Meyer and Stephen Hitchcock are the only two residents to pull petitions for the board seats. Meyer and Hitchcock announced last month they would seek election to retain their posts.

Last year, five first-time candidates challenged school board incumbents Robert Schram, Raymond Byers and Stephen Hitchcock in their bids for three posts.

Approximately 7 percent of Novi's voters turned out at the polls last year to retain the three incumbents. The voter turnout in the 1986 race was unusually high compared with the previous year's totals. In 1985, less than one percent of the voters turned out to retain incumbents Joan Daley and Sharon Pelchat.

It is likely that this year's election will generate even more voter interest — with or without school board challengers. Also included on the June 8 ballot will be a $6.25 million bond issue to finance a six-project school package.

The ballot request marks the first bond issue the district has sought since 1973. Projects included on the ballot are additions to Orchard Hills and Village Oaks elementary schools, revisions to Novi Upper Elementary school, construction of a new elementary school, construction of a new administration building and maintenance/warehouse facility, and development and improvement of existing school sites.

Hitting the wall

Local firefighters learn basics at academy

By ANN E. WILLIS
staff writer

A young man with blonde hair peers out of the window of the fourth story of a tall brick tower. A heavy rope swings close by and, with a wave of his hand, 25-year-old Gordon Poyhonen swings out of the building onto the rope and begins his repel to the trampoline far below.

Across the room Gordon's counterpart, 23-year-old Daniel Dye, is up in the air as well. Dye is carefully walking across a ladder hung horizontally from a fire escape to a make-shift roof. He, too, is connected to a rope for protection in case his firefighter's boots slip off the edge of the ladder.

Both young men successfully completed the training exercises that were part of the Monday morning activities at the Metro class of the Detroit Fire Academy. Poyhonen and Dye are two of the four full-time Fire Protection Officers hired by the City of Novi. The two are completing 240 hours of training at the academy. When they finish, Dan Ray and Don Christensen will begin their sessions.

This is only the second session that the Detroit Academy has held for members of suburban fire departments. Chief Robert Koster, superintendent of training for the Detroit Academy and a 36-year veteran of the department, said that in the past suburban firefighters were offered occassional spaces in classes unfilled by Detroit recruits. There are 19 people from eight different suburban communities in Dye and Poyhonen's class.

The program the suburban firefighters participate in is much the same as the program taken by Detroit recruits. The state dictates much of what is required at the academy, and 240 hours of training is mandatory for certification. Koster noted that although suburban communities are not required by law to undergo the training, the state legislature is in the process of introducing such a bill.

The Detroit Fire Academy is in an old brick building on the corner of Warrren and Lawton in Detroit. The building has been used as a working fire station and a training building for firefighters more than 50 years. As trainees drive to the building, they pass the burned-out warehouse structure where three firefighters were killed last month.

The fire academy structure is huge; big enough for a repelling training wall some five stories high, and fire escapes both inside and out. Firefighters slide down poles for a quick route to the vending machines on the ground floor.

Dye and Poyhonen have spent their time at the academy in class and in drills. Koster said most of the trainees who enter the academy are in excellent physical shape and few have trouble with the rigorous activities. Although there are calisthenics and trainees run about a mile-and-a-half each morning, most of the physical activity takes place on the ropes or the ladders.

Koster said the program offers basic training in firefighting, but the emphasis is on building confidence and instilling practical methods of approaching firefighting.

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It's a quilting bee

Sure Novi's a contemporary city, but that doesn't mean that the children of Novi residents are not learning old-fashioned values — and crafts. Members of the Novi Adventurers 4-H Club (above) are currently involved in a quilting project in preparation for their upcoming Pioneer Days project in which a variety of old-fashioned skills and crafts will be demonstrated.

Balagna named to commission

The Novi Planning Commission welcomed its newest member, John Balagna, at its regularly scheduled meeting last night (Thursday, April 1).

Balagna was appointed by Mayor Patricia Karevich to fill the vacancy that occurred when former commission Joseph Toth was named to the city council.

The appointment was approved by a 6-1 vote of the city council at its March 23 meeting. The lone dissenting ballot was cast by Council Member Nancy Covert.

Toth's term on the commission will end June 30. The council decided to appoint Balagna for a three-year term, starting after June 30.

Karevich said Balagna's experience in reading plans with construction materials and sewer projects made him her choice for the position. "It was a very difficult appointment to make with all of the qualified people applying. We are very fortunate as a city to have all of these interested people."

Balagna has been a resident of the city for 16 years. He was a candidate for the appointment to the city council vacancy. In his application for that position, Balagna said he wanted "to promote a positive and pleasant image of our community, both in the manner in which we are perceived and the way we are seen. I am extremely pleased with our low profile community and I want to insure it remains such."

When notified of his appointment to the planning commission, Balagna replied that he was pleased. "I have no special plans at this time. For the first couple of weeks it will be a learning experience for me. I feel I am a viable addition to the commission and am well capable of working within a group. I can offer professional expertise in understanding development."

Balagna works for the Price Brothers Company in Novi.

10 communities to split sewer costs

Don't ever accuse the county of letting a subject die.

Super Sewer, the much-maligned and previously discarded plan officially known as the North Huron Valley/Rouge Valley Wastewater Control System, has been given a face-lift.

An amended facilities plan has recently surfaced for 10 communities in the North Huron Valley/Rouge Valley joint service area.

And Novi, which according to City Manager Edward Kriewall and Mayor Patricia Karevich has made finding additional sewage capacity for its growing population its number one priority, is an integral part of the new Super Sewer plans.

The proposal under consideration in 1986 underwent substantial changes in its new version due to the pull-out of Northville Township, Plymouth Township, Canton Township and the City of Wixom. The new proposal as presented in a public hearing on Tuesday, March 31, has a total cost of $27.8 million. That's $4 million more than the 1986 proposal.

The most cost-effective plan presented at the hearing calls for an interceptor relief system and one storage basin in Livonia at Five Mile and Inkster. Dearborn Heights, Inkster, Livonia, Northville, Novi, Redford Township, Roumulus, VanBuren Township, Wayne and Westland are the participating communities in this new project. Costs for the construction of the system do not include local improvements which must be done in tandem with the project.

Novi will receive an additional 16.5 cfs of sewage capacity and is projected to pay $7.63 million for the development of the Super Sewer project. During the public hearing, officials were quick to point out that no definite cost apportionment has been decided.

County officials are anxious to win preliminary approval for the facilities plan as they face a deadline for obtaining federal grant funding. When the project was presented over a year ago, 55 percent of the funding was to come from the federal government under the Clean Water Act. The Wayne County Board of Commissioners must pass a resolution in support of the project at tonight's (April 2) meeting for the project to be make the the Thurday deadline of the Michigan Department of Natural Resources (DNR).

The Super Sewer project has been the number one ranked priority project for the for the last year. To continue that ranking, the state agency must have the go-ahead sign from the commission. Any further negotiating about individual costs for the system could come at a later date, David Vago, assistant director of Wayne County Office of Public Works, told participants at the public hearing.

Novi is projected to pay $7.63 million for the development of the Super Sewer project.

If the commission were to pass the resolution, and if the DNR and EPA reviews of the project were completed, the communities would then get together and decide equitable funding distributions, Richard Hinshon, an engineer with Wade-Trim, engineering consultants to Wayne County for the regional sewer, told the group. The county would then recommend the design plans, and construction would be targeted to begin the latter part of the calendar year.

Novi needs additional sewage capacity in the very near future to avoid running out of available taps for proposed development projects. Kriewall said he is "very confident that the new project will go through," and said the $7.63 million cost to the city was "still more attractive than other alternatives."

Problems could arise with the project if any of the remaining 10 communities should decide not to participate. Mayor Pro-Tem of Livonia and engineer Bob Beckley expressed concern with the initial cost figures presented for their city. Livonia was allocated a figure of $3.5 million in the 1986 proposal and in the new facilities report was allocated a $5.8 million cost projection figure.

The Twelve Mile/Haggerty Road intersection is currently congested with traffic

Novi News/CHRIS BOYD

MDOT slates I-696 for widening

Although officials from the Michigan Department of Transportation (MDOT) could not give planning commissioners from Novi and Farmington Hills any indication of the location of a new off-ramp for I-696 at Haggerty Road, they were able to fill in a few road improvement details.

Bob Adams, an official with MDOT, told a joint meeting of the two planning commissions that the state has plans to widen I-696 from Telegraph to Haggerty to eight lanes in 1989. "It will go a long way to reduce back-up problems," Adams said.

In addition, the state will improve the Orchard Lake interchange by adding loops to increase freeway flow at that point. Eastward, MDOT sees new interchanges at Inkster and I-696 and Drake and I-696. A crucial point in the addition of new interchanges, Adams told the group, will be the widening of local streets around the interchanges. Adams pinpointed Eleven Mile at Inkster and Twelve Mile at Drake, as roads whose widening must be coordinated with the construction of new interchanges.

MDOT is concerned about the capacity situations of the surface streets because "we have a great concern that people do not begin using the freeway for local trips of one — two miles," he said. Even with a four-lane maximum on I-696, Adams said, there will be trouble moving all the traffic if surface streets do not carry the cars they should.

Adams said the state is prepared to widen Haggerty Road to provide a north-south artery, perhaps in the form of a boulevard. As part of the study of Haggerty, MDOT is exploring using Haggerty as a hook-up with M-59. Adams said the road from the I-275/I-696 interchange up to M-59 is being referred in plans as M-9.

Original plans to extend the M-275 expressway through to M-59 were scuttled by environmentalists and the passage of the National Environmental Policy Act. The road was slated to pass through the lakes region of Oakland County. "The environmental laws were put in place to stop this kind of development," Adams said.

"That's why they were passed, and those laws are still in place. The main reason the National Environmental Policy Act was passed was to stop the construction of freeways and new highways. It gives everyone the opportunity to stop anything if you don't follow the rules," Adams said. He noted that it now takes seven to 10 years to build a highway.

In addition, Adams explained all alternatives for the M-9 plan hit public park land and must be approved by the Secretary of Transportation.

Several members of both the Farmington Hills and the Novi planning commissions questioned MDOT's system of prioritizing the Inkster and Drake interchanges ahead of the Haggerty Road interchange. Adams explained the Haggerty interchange is a much more difficult plan to sell to the state. "We've put Drake and Inkster as a package because we can sell it quickly. We recognize it is more difficult to sell Haggerty."

Adams said MDOT chose to keep Haggerty separate rather than having approval of it hold the other plans "hostage."

The joint meeting ended with promises from Adams that MDOT officials would meet again with city officials and that the cities would be informed as soon as plans are finalized.

Road projects are hot topic for cities

By ANN E. WILLIS
staff writer

Roads and traffic, roads and traffic. It's a never-ending refrain for resident's of burgeoning Oakland county cities.

Because the problem of an overcapacity road system does not end at the borders of Novi, the city has begun working with surrounding communities in an effort to lobby the county and the state for solutions to the road problem, and money to construct those solutions.

In particular, the Novi Planning Commission has been working with the Farmington Hills Planning Commission to coordinate development plans and efforts at infrasturcture improvements, on the community's shared arteries of Haggerty Road and Twelve Mile.

The two bodies have held two joint meetings. In addition, a third meeting on March 17 included not only the two planning commissions, but also officials from the Michigan Department of Transportation (MDOT), the Oakland County Road Commission (OCRC) and representatives from both the Farmington Hills city government and Novi's city government.

Jim Wahl, Novi's director of community development, told the assembled group the reason for the shared meetings was one primarily of communication. Wahl said Novi has major developments on-line along the Twelve Mile corridor, many of which are on hold because developers are unsure what traffic projects are needed.

Likewise, Wahl said, the Farmington Hills community has seen many projects come forward in the past six months with more planned that will require more attention be paid to traffic.

In a presentation outlining Novi's development, planning consultant Brandon Rogers told the group the mid-decade census showed in preliminary figures that Novi had jumped 30 percent in population, up from 22,500 persons to approximately 28,000.

Richard Lampi, community development director for Farmington Hills, explained that his area has seen primarily residential development in the past 10-15 years, but that "Farmington Hills has had a tremendous amount of activity and the future looks bright for new development."

Lampi told the group that Farmington Hills has plans to make Twelve Mile into a boulevard "to separate residential from non-residential uses and improve the traffic situation."

Lampi said the city is preparing a right-of-way study from Farmington Road to Haggerty. "We want to be sensitive to needs of office and residential to the north, and sensitive to the needs of historic districts," he said.

Rolf Killian, Novi traffic consultant with Barton-Aschman Associates, Inc., explained the traffic volume work his firm has been doing along the Twelve Mile and Haggerty corridors. "There really needs to be another connection to the freeway," Killian said. "Seventy percent of the traffic coming from the north on Haggerty has a destination point of the freeway. Traffic using the surface streets wants to get on the freeway," he noted.

One of the main purposes of the joint meeting was to determine where MDOT has plans for putting in the I-96/1-275/1-696 interchange. In July of last year, Governor James Blanchard announced his commitment to building a new interchange at I-96 and Haggerty Road.

MDOT official Bob Adams hedged about the state's actual plans for the off-ramp in the Haggerty area. Adams said any indication at this point that the state had determined the location of the ramp could put the entire project in legal troubles. The state can be sued if it is proven that it pre-selected the site of the ramp before all necessary environmental impact studies are done and a public hearing is held.

Novi Planning Commission Chairman Ernest Aruffo has said that it is crucial for the future planning of the city for the site of that ramp to be determined. According to Aruffo, nearly 1,800 acres of land cannot be master planned for use until the ramp location is decided.

"It is stopping our development," Aruffo said.

He claims that no developers are ready to take a chance on land in the area until decisions are made, and developers are hesitant to build large-scale projects, such as the Trammell Crow office complex on Meadowbrook and Twelve Mile which is on hold until the traffic situation is cleared up.

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Thieves continue to plague city

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Thieves continue to haunt Novi residents as six more breaking-and-enterings were logged by Novi police over the past week.

Electronic equipment and jewelry were the objects of thieves who broke into a home on Llewellyn in the Meadowbrook Manor subdivision on Friday, March 27, between 9 and 10 p.m.

The responsible party made several unsuccessful attempts to break into the home before finally gaining entry by breaking out the glass in a doorwall leading into the kitchen.

Once inside, the thief headed immediately for the master bedroom where he pulled out all dresser drawers and rummaged through a jewelry box. Stolen property included a RCA video camera and a diamond ring valued at $200.

An estimated $1,305 worth of property was stolen from a residence on Todd Lane during a break-in that occurred March 27 between 6:30 and 11:50 p.m.

Investigating officers said the responsible party gained entry by shooting three holes through a bathroom window on the south side of the residence, then reaching in and unlocking the window.

Police said the master bedroom and a study had been ransacked by the intruder who apparently made his escape through a bedroom doorwall.

Stolen property included a semi-automatic pistol and an ammunition clip valued at $150. Also stolen were a man's pocket watch valued at $200, a ladies watch valued at $120, a Sony Watchman television set valued at $200 and various other pieces of jewelry including a diamond ring valued at $150.

Jewelry also was the target of the thief who broke into a residence on East LeBost in the Willowbrook subdivision on March 25 between 3 and 10:40 p.m.

Entry was gained by prying the screen off a dining room window and unlocking the window. Once inside, the perpetrator moved immediately to the master bedroom. Police said it did not appear that any other rooms in the house had been entered.

The responsible party removed a jewelry box from the top of a dresser and dumped the contents on the bed, searching through to take what he wanted. The thief also took a pillow case from the bed to carry off the stolen goods.

Stolen were a Seiko man's watch valued at $150, two sets of pearl necklaces and a necklace with a gold leaf. Also stolen was one pearl earring. The owner found the other earring on the floor between the bed and a small dresser.

Personal property valued at more than $400 was stolen from the attached garage of a residence on Heatherbrae Way in the Village Oaks subdivision sometime during the night of March 21-22.

Police could find no signs of forced entry.

Stolen were a Firenza 10-speed boy's bicycle valued at $175, a Coleman 32-quart cooler, two fishing poles and reels, a Black and Decker leaf blower and four two-gallon gas cans.

Thirty-five dimes were stolen from a residence on Timberlane Court in the Waterview Farms Apartments during a break-in which occurred sometime between 1 p.m. on March 26 and 4 p.m. on March 28.

The owner told police she returned from an out-of-town visit to find that unknown individuals had broken into her apartment.

Police noted that a computer had been removed from its stand and placed on the living room floor and that a jewelry box had been taken from the top of a bedroom dresser and placed on the bed.

The only thing removed from the apartment, however, were the $3.50 worth of dimes which had been left in a container on top of a piano in the living room.

Five cans of hair products and a quantity of cash were stolen from the Fashions Ahead Hair Salon at 41370 Ten Mile sometime during the night of March 25-26.

The owner of the shop told police the money was contained in a manilla envelope which she had accidentally forgotten to take with her to deposit in the bank upon leaving the previous evening.

Police reported no signs of forced entry and the owner reported she had locked the building when she closed up the night the theft occurred.

The same individual or group of individuals is believed responsible for three "larceny from vehicle" (LFVs) incidents which occurred in the Pavilion Court Apartments during the night of March 23-24.

The owner of a 1985 Toyota pickup truck reported that unknown individuals smashed out a window and stolen a radar detector while the vehicle was parked in the carport outside his residence on Rotunda.

A Strawberry Court resident reported the right rear tire was stolen from his Ford vehicle while it was parked outside his residence the same night.

The third Pavilion Court Apartments incident occurred on Clearwater. The owner said unknown individuals smashed out the window of his 1986 Toyota, then reached inside and stole a Gul radar detector valued at $169 and a brief case.

Equipment valued in excess of $2,000 was stolen from the construction site of the West Oaks II shopping center sometime between 3 p.m. on March 21 and 7 a.m. on March 23.

The complainant told police the equipment was stolen from a construction trailer parked behind the shopping center along Twelve Mile. There were no signs of forced entry, according to police reports.

Stolen were two Hilti cement drills valued at $1,515, a Hilti screw gun valued at $300 and a Milwaukee 7¼-inch saw valued at $150.

The theft of a 1987 Pontiac Trans-Am was reported by a West Bloomfield woman on March 21.

The woman said she parked the Trans-Am in the Twelve Oaks Mall parking lot at 1 p.m. and found it missing when she returned three hours later. The stolen vehicle was valued at $17,500.

A Howell woman reported the theft of her 1981 Ford pickup truck from the Yellow Lot at Twelve Oaks on March 24. The woman said she parked the truck at 8 p.m. and found it missing when she returned at 9 p.m.

Novi Briefs

MAKING THE GRADE: Novi School Superintendent Robert Piwko appears to have been given another exemplary rating on his annual evaluation.

The school board received a summary of Piwko's evaluation at its meeting last night (after The News deadline).

"The evaluation was very good," said board president Joan Daley, who prepared the summary of the superintendent's evaluation.

The superintendent was evaluated in closed session last Thursday at the Novi Hilton.

THE SHORELINE COMMITTEE will hold a public hearing on plans for development of the shoreline property which is located at the intersection of Novi Road and East Lake Drive on Walled Lake.

The meeting will be held April 9 at the Community Building in Lakeshore Park.

THE NOVI PARKS AND RECREATION committee is down one member following the resignation of Barbara A. MacKenzie. Employment pressures and time considerations were the reasons MacKenzie cited for leaving the post.

ALCOHOL IN THE COMMUNITY CENTER? Novi City Council members questioned several of the proposed "use policy" guidelines presented by Dan Davis, director of parks and recreation for the community center. Item 1 said "The use of alcoholic beverages in the Novi Community Center shall be prohibited."

Council Members Hugh Crawford and Joseph Toth disagreed, saying fundraising "wine and cheese" parties and retirement bashes for city officials would be outlawed if the guidelines were adopted. Father Leslie Harding, a member of the commission reviewing the guidelines, urged the council to keep the "no alcohol" clause.

Davis has taken all suggestions back to the commission for further study.

RE-APPOINTED TO THE LIBRARY BOARD by the Novi City Council was Constance Manring. Mayor Patricia Karevich made the appointment at the March 23 meeting. In addition the council voted to re-appoint Carol Bauer to the Cable Access Committee.

THERE WILL BE COFFEE in close proximity to the council chambers at the new Novi Civic Center?

Council met for a half hour prior to its March 23 meeting to discuss specific details of the project. At that time they realized no arrangement for nearby coffee to service council and audience members was available.

Changes will be made. If sessions continue to last until 1 a.m., an easily accessible supply of coffee will be a necessity.

FAMILY PORTRAITS: Novi families can arrange to have a family portrait taken by Craine-Williams Studios in conjunction with the Novi High School yearbook.

Professional photographers will be available at Novi High School to take family portraits on Saturday, April 4, from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. and Sunday, April 5, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

The cost is $5 per family; profits are used to offset the cost of printing the yearbook. Appointments can be scheduled by calling Janet Thibideau at Novi High School, 344-8300.

A DEVELOPERS MEETING between city officials and interested developers and residents is scheduled for Saturday, April 4, at 8:30 a.m. in the meeting room of the Novi Public Library.

COMPACT DISCS ARE AVAILABLE at the Novi Public Library.

The library has a limited collecion of the new recording form with music ranging from big band hits by Enoch Lint to Mozart, Gershwin, Springsteen and New Age music.

The library also contains a large collection of traditional phonograph reords i a variety of categories as well as audio-cassette tapes that include books on tape, non-fiction subjects and old-time radio programs.

All records, tapes and discs may be checked out for one week.

SOCIETY STATIONERY: Looking for distinctive stationery for notes or cads? The Novi Historical Society may have the right stuff for you. The NHS is offering stationery packages featuring reproductions of four drawings by artst/illustrator Bob McIssac of historical landmarks in the city: Novi Town Hall, the Novi Depot, Novi Methodist Memorial Church, and the memorial church bell.

Each package contains 12 cards, three of each subject, and matching envelopes.

Homeowner's attendance way down

The Novi Homeowner's Council (NHC) no longer needs a large conference room in which to hold its meetings.

What started as a groundswell of homeowners' meeting monthly to discuss issues of common concern has become in a little than three months nine people meeting to discuss why more people aren't showing up.

NHC held its first meeting December 1, 1986, when 17 homeowners representing 11 subdivisions met in the Village Oaks Clubhouse to organize a homeowners' group.

The objectives and purposes of the organization were to "foster, protect and promote the orderly growth, improvement, and development of Novi in accordance with the wishes of NHC and those planning concepts most beneficial to its homeowners," according to a portion of the group's mission statement.

Those who attended the first two sessions agreed that communication was of primary importance. Representatives of the group volunteered to cover city meetings and bring back reports to the council.

In those first two meetings, participation was not a problem. If anything, too many people, with too many separate ideas of how to proceed, bogged down the process.

All that has ended, as participation has fallen off dramatically. Members of a committee charged with drawing up bylaws for the group have yet to meet. At the group's March 24 meeting, Dave Sheeran of the Jamestown Green Association told the council it should "look to the issues we are addressing" to better involve the citizens of Novi.

"We didn't focus on anything we could do," Sheeran said. "There wasn't anything anyone could take back and do something on."

The nine present at that night's meeting talked about addressing issues of more immediate concern to homeowner's, including subdivision directories, newletters and how to publish them, association liability insurance, and matters of outside storage and fences in subdivisions.

The group held an informal discussion on ways architectural control committees worked in their subdivisions. Liabiltiy insurance was a topic, as many subdivisions are finding it difficult to find insurance at a rate they can afford. Subdivisions which include bodies of water are particularly hard-pressed to find insurance carriers.

New subdivisions have more of a problem with insurance than older established subs, as a track record and financial statement are important to insurance companies.

The council will meet again, Tuesday, April 28 at 7 p.m. in the conference room of the Novi Public Library. A representative of the insurance industry may be present to answer questions on homeowner association liability coverage.

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Kelly Simpson is the new recreation coordinator with Novi Parks and Recreation

New challenges face Simpson

By BARBARA ZIEMBA
special writer

Geographically, it's a long way from Chicago to Novi. But for Kelly Simpson, Novi's new parks and recreation coordinator, the distance can be measured in ways other than miles.

Simpson has been with the Novi Parks and Recreation Department since January. While her main responsibility is to organize youth leagues for softball, basketball, field hockey and soccer, the job has presented other challenges for the Saginaw native.

A 1983 graduate of Ferris State College with a degree in Parks and Recreation administration, Simpson followed her husband Rod to Chicago in 1984, looking for better employment prospects. She landed a job as a program coordinator with the East Bank Club, a 10,000 member health and fitness organization. The largely affluent membership has access to 10 tennis courts, several indoor and outdoor pools and a golf course. Staffed with 450 employees, the club covers two city blocks and stands four stories high.

Sound impressive? "It was," recalled Simpson. "We even provided blood pressure monitoring and other health-related services for our members."

But the lure of friends and families in Michigan won out over life in the fast lane, and the young couple moved back to Michigan in 1986.

"There's quite a difference between this job and my job with the club," Simpson said. "Here, I have more of a chance to develop my own style, and we pull together to make things work. After a while, the club became pretty cut-throat. You felt that someone was just waiting for you to make a wrong move, and then they'd pounce."

Besides being responsible for the youth leagues, Simpson coordinates special events through her office, such as recent bus trips to the Shrine Circus and the Ice Capades.

She also had to do some scrambling to come up with a sponsor for Novi's 5K and 10K races scheduled for April 26. "Providence Hospital sponsored us last year, but they had a previous commitment this time, so I had to come up with someone fast," she laughed. JCK and Associates, Novi's civil engineers, stepped into the breach in plenty of time for the run. Simpson is expecting approximately 300 entrants in this year's competition.

Novi's newly-formed arts and culture committee is an offshoot of an earlier arts organization that became inactive. When Simpson was appointed coordinator, she adopted the idea of another committee, seeing it as an opportunity to become better acquainted with Novi.

"It's open to all Novi residents, and we're hoping people become involved with it. Right now, we've had about 14 volunteers come forward, and there's room for more," commented Simpson.

Currently, the committee is in the process of defining its purpose and goals as well as deciding what type of art and cultural activities it wants to promote. Already in the works is Art at the Oaks, an annual art exhibit held at the West Oaks Shopping Center, and planning some of the decor for Novi's new Civic Center scheduled for completion later this year.

Simpson's work with the committee also has called upon her resources as a fund-raiser. "I've been meeting with the Michigan Council for the Arts to get funding for the committee's projects. It's a different area for me, and it's been an interesting experience," Simpson observed.

Also falling under Simpson's direction is the administration of Camp Lakeshore, a camp for children located in the city park on Walled Lake. Additionally, Simpson's office handles the summer concerts that start on Memorial Day. She also sees to it that she visits the sites of the youth league's games and awards trophies to the participants.

Simpson also would like to implement some of the health services the East Bank Club provided its members. "A lot of members would come in on their lunch hours and have their blood pressure taken or take a stress test. I'd like to set up something like that in the civic center when it's completed," she said.

Right now, Simpson and her husband are living in Utica, but they are looking for a home in the Novi area.

"It feels good to be back in a smaller town environment and working in a job where I can really make a difference," she said.

Restaurant plans gone for lakefront

A 10-acre parcel near the Nine Mile/Haggerty Road intersection will be rezoned to a multiple-family (RM-1) classification if the Novi City Council follows the recommendation of the planning commission.

Commissioners voted 5-3 at their March 18 to recommend that the parcel be rezoned from its existing R-3 (single-family residential) classification to the multiple-family designation.

The commission's recommendation will be forwarded to the city council which makes the final determination on all rezoning actions.

The parcel, which contains several existing single-family homes, is adjacent to the Pavilion Court Apartments, directly north of the Highline Club Apartments.

The Master Plan calls for the parcel to contain a multiple-family land use with a zoning classification on the northwest corner of the Nine Mile/Haggerty Road intersection.

City Planning Consultant Brandon Rogers told the commission the single-family homes would be permitted to remain no matter what changes were made. At the same time, Rogers urged the commission to rezone the parcel at the present time instead of "sitting back and reacting to a non-suitable petition for the development of the land.

"We're being pro-active and rezoning it now," he said.

A representative for the existing homeowners asked the commission how the rezoning would affect their property taxes. Planning Commission Chairman Ernest Aruffo responded that he could not speak positively but it was his experience that no change in taxes occurred as long as the land did not change uses.

Planning Commissioner Edward Kramer said he had no problem allowing the conflict between the present residential zoning and the multiple-family use proposed on the master plan to continue. "I don't think the conflict is detrimental to the city," he said. "I have no problems with the homes there now. Residential won't stay on a busy corner forever; multiples may be the best use."

The commission voted to rezone the land to multiple excluding a small 4-acre section on the corner of Nine Mile and Haggerty which is currently master planned for office zoning. Commissioners Richard Clark, Charles Kureth and Riley Richard voted against the rezoning.

Storytellers tales for Library Week

To celebrate National Library Week, the Novi Public Library will present Michigan storytellers Mary Hamilton and Sarah McCoy for an evening of family entertainment at 7 p.m. Thursday, April 9.

Mary Hamilton tells stories from a variety of world cultures and includes traditional American mountain tales drawn from her Kentucky background. Sarah McCoy has a family tradition of storytelling dating back to her great-grandparents in Clarksdale, Miss., telling many tales with a deep south influence.

The hour-long program is free and open to children ages 5 and older. Advance registration is not required, although seating capacity will be limited. Adult family members are encouraged to turn off the television set and share this adventure in listening with their children.

For additional information call the library at 349-0720.

Storytelling is an ancient art form that has seen a revival in recent years with storytelling workshops, competitions and festivals being held throughout the country.

Long before the printed word existed, historical events and happenings were passed down by word of mouth from one generation to another. Elders of the family or tribe told and re-told adventures and events, probably elaborating on them with each telling.

Even after the advent of the printed word, much of the world still practiced the basic forms of storytelling to pass legends and happenings down through the generations.

With a regular diet of television, movies and video, the imagination has taken a back seat to canned entertainment. In contrast, storytelling hones the art of listening and stimulates the imagination. Listeners become mesmerized by voice and words.

Like a theater presentation, a storyteller develops a direct interface with the audience, conjuring up imagery and unreeling a story that can be enjoyed with closed eyes, like a movie in your imagination.

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ORDINANCE 87-90.01

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the City Council has adopted Ordinance No. 87-90.01, an Ordinance to provide parking spaces specifically designated for physically limited persons in each Shopping Center parking area within the City of Novi and to provide penalties for the violation of this Ordinance, and to repeal Ordinance No. 79-90.

The provisions of the Ordinance become effective fifteen (15) days after adoption. The Ordinance was adopted on March 23, 1987, and the effective date is April 7, 1987. A complete copy of the Ordinance is available for public use and inspection at the office of the City Clerk.

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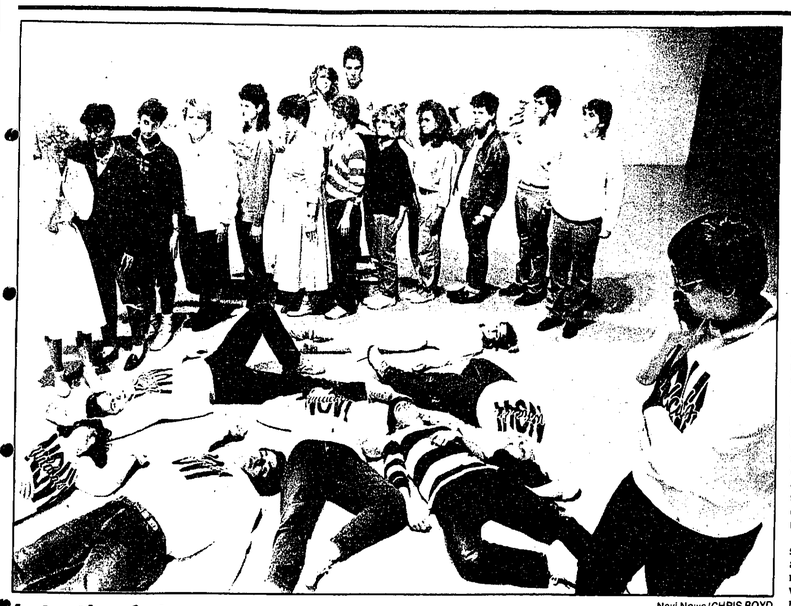

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Into the future

Novi High School's Performing Arts Department will present its annual spring play at the Fuerst Auditorium beginning next week. The play, "R.U.R.." is described as a futuristic look at the roles of man and machine in our society. The play will open next Thursday, April 9, at 8 p.m. Additional performances are scheduled next Friday and Saturday, April 10 and 11, also at 8 p.m. Tickets can be purchased in advance for $2.50 or at the door for $3.50. For more information or to order tickets call the high school at 344-8300.

Costly law hurts drink consumers

Michigan consumers will pay higher prices for beer and soft drinks if changes are made in the state's nine-year-old beverage container law, according to a study by Dr. Marilyn Nagy, an Eastern Michigan University associate professor of family and consumer economics.

"Consumers are already paying their fair share of the costs associated with disposing and recycling beverage containers," Nagy said. "They should not be expected to pay any further increases."

"The law is working well, and any efforts to change it to allow for diversion of deposits for other purposes or adding to the deposit to allow retailers to gain additional funds is contrary to the interests of consumers," she concluded.

Governor James Blanchard has proposed in his 1987-88 budget to seize $9.5 million in unredeemed beverage container deposits to finance environmental programs. His proposal does not detail or estimate how much deposit revenue wholesalers retain in unredeemed deposits. Nor does it describe a method for collecting this revenue.

Michigan consumers already pay substantially higher prices for beer and soft drinks than residents of neighboring states such as Illinois, where beverage containers are not redeemed for 5 cent and 10 cent deposits as they are in Michigan, Nagy said.

During the third week of January, Nagy found, Michigan consumers paid from 20 percent to 30 percent more than Illinois residents for beer and from 7 percent to 26 percent more for soft drinks.

"If wholesalers and bottlers are expected to divert some bottle deposit revenue to environmental causes, they will necessarily up their price to retailers, who, in turn, will increase their prices, so the real loser would be the consumer," Nagy said.

She said a 1986 report on the bottle deposit law by a Lansing consulting firm contained misleading information. According to Nagy, the firm's report was based on questionable assumptions regarding cost and cost recovery.

"That report overestimated income from recycling and underestimated the cost of recycling," said Nagy.

Nagy found that costs associated with implementing the bottle law have been built into the pricing system since the law took effect in 1978.

"The beer wholesalers and bottlers have made massive investments in new facilities, recycling equipment, increased warehousing and trucks to accommodate the law," said Nagy. "The costs associated with all of these activities have been built into prices at various stages of the distribution system."

Beer wholesalers often pay retailers for more bottles and cans than they collect.

This problem of "short counts" is compounded by a large number of "foreign" cans from neighboring non-deposit states "that creep into bags at the retail level," she said.

"Costs related to sanitation and health have been overlooked in most reports," she said. "Studies have largely ignored the increased costs associated with insurance, sanitation and return on equity of money invested in recycling operations that could have been used elsewhere."

Edison offers senior citizen program

Detroit Edison is urging its senior citizen customers to "stand up and be counted" and take advantage of a new program offering free services, new discounts and protection from electrical shut-offs.

The program is being announced to all customers this month in a brochure titled "Seniors are Special at Detroit Edison — So Stand Up and Be Counted!"

The company has combined three new and six existing services into a single program, which began March 2, according to J. Philip Lenihan, vice president, Marketing and Customer Relations.

"This program is part of Detroit Edison's continuing effort to serve customers better," Lenihan said.

New benefits available under the seniors' program include a 10 percent discount on light bulbs, fixtures and accessories purchased at Detroit Edison customer offices. For participants in the seniors' program, the company also will waive late payment charges and the $5 account transfer fee charged customers for establishing service at new residences.

The program also offers the lower-cost Senior Citizen Rate, free home energy analyses, free service calls to replace fuses or reset circuit breakers, guaranteed protection aainst shut-offs during the winter months and other special benefits.

"Eligible customers can sign up for this program and be qualified immediately for all Detroit Edison senior citizen benefits," he said. "Customers already on the senior citizen rate as of March 2 will automatically qualify for all other benefits of the new senior program."

Detroit Edison already has about 140,000 customers on the Senior Citizen Rate, which provides a special discount for seniors with monthly bills of $45 or less. The company expects an additional 70,000 people to sign up for the new program.

Seniors must be at least age 62 and the head of a household to be eligible to participate in the program. They may apply for the program by presenting proof of age at any Detroit Edison customer office.

More information on the senior citizen program may be obtained by calling the telephone number shown on customers' monthly Detroit Edison statements.

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Awards night honors residents

Eleven Novi residents were honored for their contributions to various community service groups when the Novi Chamber of Commerce held its first Community Awards Night program at the Meadowbrook County Club on March 21.

Keynote speaker was Philip Jerome, managing editor of The Novi News, who said the real heroes in contemporary society are those individuals who care enough about their community to get out from behind their television sets and work to make the community a better place to live.

Also addressing the group was Novi Mayor Pro Tem Martha Hoyer who spoke of the active spirit of volunteerism in the community and cited the chamber for becoming increasingly involved in community affairs.

Purpose of Community Awards Night is to honor individuals who have made outstanding contributions to the community through work with their various clubs and organizations.

Recipients of the 1987 Volunteer Awards were:

JOHN HESS of Novi REACT. Hess has been an active member of Novi REACT for several years, serving as president, vice president and, currently, secretary. He also serves as liaison officer for the Novi Police Department and the City of Novi.

In presenting the award, Gary Kelber, vice president of the Novi Chamber, said Hess "is always able and ready to do that little extra that helps any organization survive."

PHILLIP McNARY of the Novi Band Boosters. McNary currently serves as president of the Band Boosters. Last year he served as chairman of the Trips Committee and the year before he and his wife served as co-chairs of the Private Music Lesson Subsidy Committee.

"He has worked very hard on all fund-raising events the Band Boosters have had in the last four years," said Kelber in presenting the award. "He has been an all-around handyman for the band, making tuba racks, speaker racks, drum storage compartments and a platform for the drum majors to use during marching band season."

PATRICIA MARRON of the Echo Valley Homeowners Association. Active in Echo Valley activities for many years, Marron has held many posts, including president of the organization.

Said Kelber: "Her children are active in local activities and she supports them 100 percent. Well-respected in the community, she is part of the glue holding Echo Valley Homeowners Association together."

KATHY LANGHAM of the Novi Girl Scouts. An outstanding contributor to the Novi Girl Scouts, Langham has been a troop leader, troop consultant and organizer for all troops at Village Oaks School. She has contributed her time and energy in planning fall Kick-off activities for all Novi girls interested in Scouting.

"Kathy has organized pre-camp activities and is presently working on an overnight experience for Novi Scouts," said Kelber. "Her enthusiasm, interest, abilities, organization and personal qualities contribute a great deal to everyone she touches."

WILLIAM CHARLES of the Novi Police Department. "Bill Charles is 100 percent totally involved in the City of Novi," said Kelber in presenting the award. "He is instrumental in organizing the Neighborhood Watch Crime Prevention Program and always has time to speak to citizens groups and school students through the Novi Community Education Department.

"When something needs to be done, Bill Charles will do it without being asked. He's always willing to give that extra effort."

TERRANCE MERCIER and **CHARLES STAAB** of the Novi Jaycees. Mercier and Staab devoted the past 18 months to bringing the Michigan Jaycees' Winter Assembly to Novi. On Valentine's weekend they orchestrated a convention that brought over 600 adults to the Novi Hilton.

"They were able to do this," said Kelber, "by working with their home chapter, the Novi Jaycees, many Novi merchants and business people, and the staff at the Novi Hilton."

Kelber noted that the Michigan Jaycees' Winter Assembly at the Novi Hilton has been called by some the best convention in the history of the Michigan Jaycees. "Considering that Michigan Jaycee meetings are held four times a year and the Michigan Jaycees are over 60 years old, these two men have worked as hard as anyone else to present Novi to the most people in a positive light."

NANCY CHAMBERS and **NANCY BONNIFIELD** of the Novi Chamber of Commerce. Chambers has contributed four years of valuable assistance to the Chamber's board of directors, directing the financial stability and growth of the organization. She is a charter member of the Economic Development Commission and was instrumental in organizing the Novi Business Expo.

Bonnifield's efforts as Special Events Director for the Chamber resulted in implementing the Novi Adventures in Food, the Novi Business Connection and the Sunrise Breakfast meetings. Her organizational talent has brought increased awareness in the community of the benefits and services of the Novi Chamber of Commerce.

GARY BENNETT of Novi Rotary. Bennett currently serves as program chairman for Novi Rotary. He has been an exemplary Rotarian, and his efforts on behalf of Rotary have encouraged the growth of the Novi club.

"He has devoted many hours to fund-raising, which has allowed Novi Rotary to award three $1,000 scholarships to worthy Novi High School students," said Kelber in presenting the award. "The Novi Rotary Club also contributes to a world-wide fund that hopes to eradicate polio and other childhood diseases. Gary Bennett has helped in many ways to promote the ideals of Rotary."

LINDA STATEZNI of the Sixgate Composite Squadron of the Civil Air Patrol. "In the two years Lt. Linda Statezni has been a member of Sixgate Composite Squadron, she has worked tirelessly for the advancement of young people in the cadet program," said Kelber.

"She has taken many classes to improve her skills in numerous areas, thus benefitting the squadron and the community. As administrative officed, she was intrumental in organizing a Careers Opportunity Night and obtaining speakers from the Navy and Air Force Academy. Her organizational efforts and abilities form the backbone of the squadron, making her well-liked and greatly-respected."

NHS Band wins top rating at parade

The honors keep rolling in for the Novi High School Band.

Band Director Craig Strain announced last week that the Novi band was named the "outstanding band" in the St. Patrick's Day Parade in Detroit on Sunday, March 15.

In addition, two band members — trumpeter Jay Keranen and drummer Chris Brown — were selected as "outstanding performers" at the Western Michigan University (WMU) Jazz Invitational Festival in Kalamazoo on March 21.

Strain reported that this year's St. Patrick's Day Parade was in marked contrast to the parades during the previous two years when the band marched in freezing and windy conditions.

"The largest St. Pat's Parade crowd in recent memory watched this year's parade as many floats, bands and representative groups marched down Michigan Avenue," said Strain.

Bands were judged on the various aspects associated with marching bands. In addition to being named the outstanding band in the parade, the Novi Band received a check for $700 which will be used to help purchase music and equipment, Strain said.

"Of particular interest is the fact that the Marching Band is made up of the combined Symphony and Concert bands and had to relinquish most of its rehearsal time to prepare for the Michigan School Band and Orchestra Association's district festival the preceding day," reported Strain.

Keranen and Brown were cited March 21 when the Novi High School Jazz Band participated in the WMU Jazz International Festival. The festival drew bands from Illinois and Indiana as well as Michigan.

Brown will attend WMU next year as a music major.

Band members had an opportunity to attend clinics and performances provided by the WMU staff and professional musicians during the event, Strain reported.

Nearby

NORTHVILLE'S HISTORIC MARQUIS THEATRE is presenting Rodgers and Hammerstein's enchanting musical, "South Pacific," through April 12. Performances are scheduled for Fridays and Saturdays at 8 p.m. and Sundays at 2:30 p.m. The Marquis is located at 135 East Main Street in Northville.

Tickets are priced at $10 for Saturday evenings, $9 for Friday evenings and $8 for Sunday matinees. Theater-goers are urged to reserve tickets early to avoid SRO crowds. Reservations can be made by telephone with Visa, MasterCard or American Express by calling 349-8110 or 349-0868 Monday through Saturday from 9:30 a.m. to 6 p.m. Tickets also are available at the door or at The Marquis Stores located next to the theater.

WELL-KNOWN FOLK SINGER TOM PAXTON will appear at The Gallery West (formerly The Raven) this Friday, April 3, with shows at 7 and 9 p.m. Tickets are priced at $12 per person.

Paxton has been hailed by critics throughout the world for his strength of voice and dramatic interpretation together with lyrics which combine elegance, punch and wit.

Tickets can be ordered by calling 349-6299. The Gallery West is located five miles west of Northville and one block south of Six Mile on Dickerson Street in the Village of Salem.

THE STATE HIGH SCHOOL JAZZ FESTIVAL will be held at Novi High School's Fuerst Auditorium this Saturday, April 4. The Novi High School Jazz Band will open the festival at 9 a.m.

Ten bands from across the state will participate in the competition sponsored by the Michigan State Band and Orchestra Association. The concert is free and the public is encouraged to attend.

SCHOOLCRAFT COLLEGE'S COMMUNITY WIND ENSEMBLE will present its annual spring concert, Cabaret II, this Sunday, April 5, at 4 p.m. in the Waterman Campus Center on the campus at 18600 Haggerty Road in Livonia.

Featuring marches by Gould, Sousa, Elliott, Prokofieff and Hindemith, Cabaret II will include performances by the woodwind quartet, horn ensemble and brass choir.

The casual yet festive event includes hors d'oeuvres prepared by Schoolcraft College food service students. A cash bar including wine and soft drinks will be available.

Tickets are $6 at the door.

"PLAY IT AGAIN, SAM," the Woody Allen comedy, is being presented at the Meadow Brook Theatre on the Oakland University campus in Rochester.

The play is about a neurotic movie critic who calls upon the ghost of Humphrey Bogart to coach him on how to handle girls.

The play will continue through April 19.

THE BIRMINGHAM THEATRE will present "Evita" through April 12. The 1980 musical by Tim Rice and Andrew Lloyd Webber (composer of "Cats") won seven Tony Awards including Best Musical.

Tickets for Evita can be ordered by calling the Birmingham Theatre box office at 644-3533. Perforances are scheduled Tuesday through Saturday nights with mtinees on Wednesdays and Sundays.

AN ARTS AND CRAFTS SHOW will be held Friday and Saturday, April 10-11, at the Northville Recreation Center at 303 West Main Street in Northville.

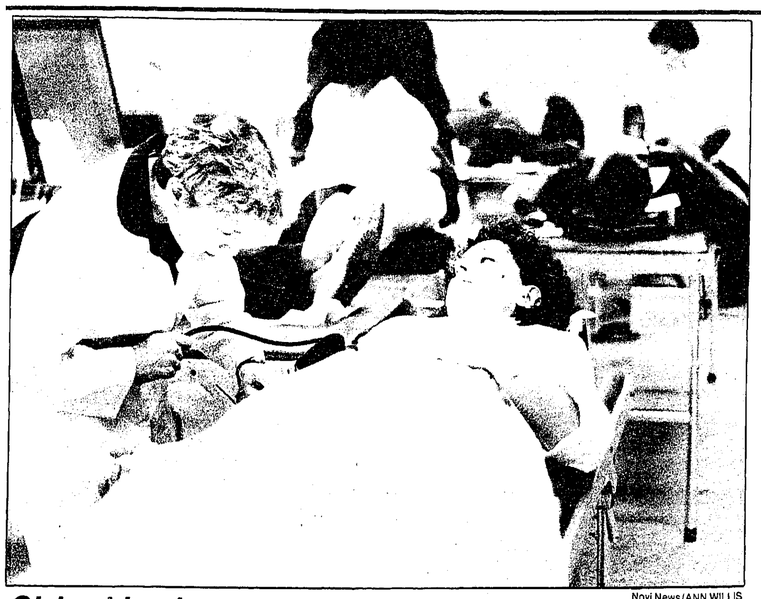
Sponsored by Handcrafters Unlimited, the show will feature more than 65 quality artisans. The show will run Friday from 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. and Saturday from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Admission is $1 and lunch will be available.

INFORMAL MODELING is featured during luncheons the second Friday of each month from noon to 2 p.m. at the Novi Hilton's Orchard Cafe.

Offered in conjuction with Twelve Oaks Mall, modeling is done by the Twelve Oaks Fashion Guild,which consists of career women from local communities. Styles and designs for vacations and cruses will be showcased from the following Twelve Oaks stores: Career Image,Laura Ashley, Susies Casuals, Gantos and August Max.

Luncheon reservations are requested and can be made by calling 349-4000, extension 1060

To have an event listed in Nearby, write to: "Neary," Novi News, 104 West Main, Northville, MI 48167 at least wo weeks in advance of event. Photos and artwrk welcome. For information, phone 349-1700.



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Giving blood

Marianne Simancek (on table) was one of 132 Novi residents who showed up to donate blood at the Community Blood Drive at the Holy Family Catholic Church last Thursday. City Clerk Geraldine Stipp, coordinator of the blood drive, reported that the 132 pints collected last Thurdsay represents a substantial increase over the blood drive last fall when only 96 pints were collected. "People are beginning to realize they don't have to worry about AIDS and it's totally safe to donate blood," commented Stipp.

Experts in demand for tax help

Recent changes in federal tax laws will send more Michigan residents scurrying to tax professionals for help in preparing personal income tax returns, according to a recent statewide survey.

The copyrighted survey by the Southfield-based public relations firm of Casey Communications Management, Inc. indicated that because of the new tax laws 62 percent of those queried planned to seek professional tax preparation help compared with 53 percent who said they sought assistance in the past.

"What we are seeing is the public's reaction to the confusion and uncertainty created by the Tax Reform Act of 1986," said Larry Grajewski, managing partner of the tax practice for the Detroit office of Ernst & Whinney. "Generally, most individuals aren't yet quite sure if they are going to be a winner or a loser under the new law.

"These results seem to confirm the suspicion of most tax professionals that the new 'simplified' tax law actually creates more concern for the individual taxpayer," Grajewski said. "Although the real impact of the new law will not be felt until next tax season, individuals should consult with their tax advisors this year to avoid possible problems next year."

The survey, titled MICHIGAN '87, asked the following questions regarding tax preparation:

☐ In the past, have you usually prepared your own income tax return or have you usually sought the assistance of an accountant or tax specialist?

☐ In view of the new tax laws, do you plan on seeking assistance in preparing your income tax return or do you plan on doing them yourself?

"The survey results show that the number of people who intend to seek tax preparation assistance is consistent, regardless of income levels, age groups and job classifications," said Mary Lou Butcher, executive vice president of Casey Communications Management. "Everyone seems equally apprehensive about the tax reforms."

"What and how people think — their attitudes on key social, economic and political issues — is important information to our clients and to us as a Michigan-based public relations firm," said Jack Casey, president of Casey Communications Management. "We designed MICHIGAN '87 to get a comprehensive view of the state of the state at the start of a new year.

"MICHIGAN '87 is really a report from the people of Michigan, so we decided to share it with them," Casey said.

MICHIGAN '87 was designed by Casey Communications Management under the supervision of Janet Weiss, director or research services. The random-sample telephone interviewing of 500 Michigan residents from Jaunary 21 to 28 and the tabulation of results were conducted by Nordhaus Research, Inc. of southfield. The survey has a margin of error of plus or minus 4.5 percent.

Westbrooke plans moving forward

By PHILIP JEROME
managing editor

Construction of Westbrooke Place, the multi-use office/hotel complex at the western end of Grand River, could begin as early as this fall.

That's the word from Joseph Gerak and Gloria Gelstein, developers of the 214-acre site currently occupied by the Bob-O-Link golf course at the corner of Grand River and Beck Road.

"We'll begin construction when the city begins construction of the sewer and water lines to service the development," said Gerak from his office on Orchard Lake Road in Farmington Hills last Thursday.

Despite the optimistic assessment for the start of construction, Gerak and Gelstein understand that a lot of approvals must still be obtained before Westbrooke Place can get under way.

The city currently is in the midst of a series of public hearings that must be held before a special assessment district to install the sewer and water lines can be approved.

And there's also the matter of obtaining site plan approval for the proposed Westbrooke Place development. Gerak and Gelstein intend to apply for development under the city's newly-enacted PUD option which provides for multi-use developments under a rigid set of standards.

But if all goes well, the developers hope to begin construction as early as this fall.

Westbrooke Place is being hailed by city officials as the development which will provide a gateway to Novi from its western boundary and establish a new tone for development along the West Grand River corridor.

In fact, there's some indication that the Westbrooke Place proposal already has stirred action along the north side of Grand River from Beck Road east to Taft Road.

"It's our understanding that several people are attempting to assemble property in that area," reported Gerak. "Right now, there are several transient uses which are using the land basically for outside storage. As property values and taxes increase, the land will become too expensive to be used for outside storage, and those uses will move farther out where the costs are less expensive."

Preliminary plans for Westbrooke Place call for a combination of uses, including a hotel, several office buildings and a variety of residential uses.

Gerak said the first stage of the development will be confined to the 72 acres of land on the north side of Grand River. The remaining 142 acres are situated south of Grand River and ultimately will contain a variety of housing types around the existing golf course.

"We already have a commitment from a business hotel for the site," Gerak reported. "And we're in the process of interviewing five different architectural firms for the office buildings. There are some super firms," he added. "We've found a lot of enthusiasm from designers about this site because of its unique characteristics and location off the expressway.

"They find it an exciting project to work on."

Gerak said an architect for the overall site plan will be selected shortly.

Gerak estimated that the office portion of Westbrooke Place will contain somewhere around 850,000 square feet of space in a combination of two, three, four and five story configurations. "It's a relatively flat site so the architects want to do some unusual things with building heights to promote the aesthetics of the architecture," he said.

Gelstein said there's already been a lot of interest in the office space. Noting that Farmington Hills is just about filled up, she said potential clients have expressed an interest in the Novi location because of its freeway exposure and the potential for striking architectural design.

"We have three or four major users interested in a 'campus-type' complex, where the same corporation has two or three related buildings on the same site," she said.

Gerak and Geistein also are interviewing residential developers for the development south of the existing golf course. Gerak said the development will have no less than 350 residential units and no more than 500 units under the terms of the city's PUD ordinance.

"We know the ordinance requires at least 20 percent of the residential units be single-family," he said. "The balance will be cluster housing and townhouses. The type of housing that goes in will be upscale in nature depending on the market place. But we're probably looking at homes scattered around the golf course that will sell for $150,000 and up."

Gelstein said they already have received several inquiries from people interested in living on the site. "We're hearing from families with two professionals who can afford the more expensive housing and want to be in Novi," she said.

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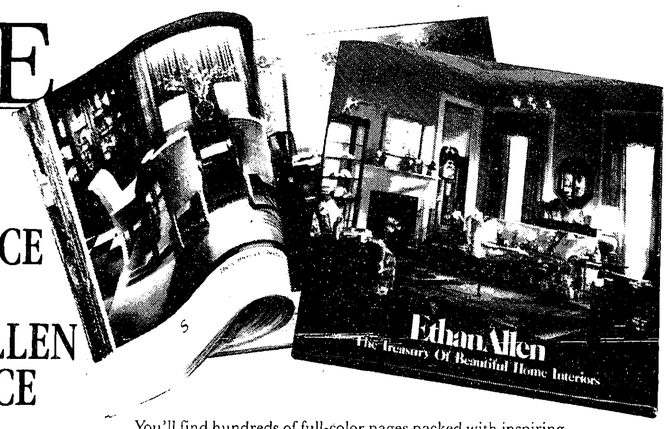

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In addressing the back-up information provided by Covert, Klaver claimed the figures contained two major problems. "First is the use of assessed value which is not made clear, especially as it is compared to asking price quotes," Klaver wrote.

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"It should also be pointed out that in 1984, roughly 50 percent of this area was zoned office/commercial, 25 percent zoned residential and 25 percent exempt. Today it is 100 percent Town Center zoning. This has had a major impact on values," Klaver's memo noted.

Klaver listed a history of assessment changes with showed assessments in 1984 on the property at $92,100 per acre and in 1987 at $148,300 per acre. "We can also confirm these values with the use of recent sales," the memo noted. "While many of the Trammell Crow sales were not recorded, we do have the 1986 sales of the State of Michigan parcels, the Novi School District property and the Button parcel.

"The total composite price of these parcels was $3,805,000 for 27.78 acres, or a per acre value of $136,969. These sales certainly seem to support our present values, as well as the values we have shown in 1984," Klaver wrote.

Klaver said he believed that property owners in the area had an "overinflated impression of value" and that "until a developer begins to acquire property any zoning or planning steps have a minimal market impact."

Added Klaver in the memo: "That our Assessing Department has been able to keep pace with this type of escalating value is a clear indication of their ability to monitor and evaluate the rapid market changes that occur in a dynamic area such as the Town Center.

"It should be noted that we already have a third party confirmation with the review and approval of these values by the Oakland County Equalization Department," Klaver said.

Klaver said the raw data for the memo was provided by the city assessor's office.

City wants allegations made specific

City Manager Edward Kriewall says the Novi City Council will not take any specific action regarding Covert's allegations until those charges are made more specific.

"She's got to come down and find specific discrepencies," Kriewall said in a phone call to The News.

Kriewall said Covert must point out specific cases of inequities, but noted that "all the data is there and we can defend anything."

City council members had asked Covert to provide them with back-up data on her allegations and to meet with the assessing department to get a better understanding of the processes involved. Covert, in turn, asked the council for more specific information regarding the assessment of vacant commercial properties in comparison with the figures for the assessments of residential properties.

In an interview earlier in the week, Covert said she had an appointment on Wednesday, April 1, with John Merrifield of the assessing department. "Initially I will question how the assessor goes about the process of deciding fair market values for all properties," Covert sai.

Covert noted that her next step would be to investigate the procedures involved in specific parcels. "I expect to find discrepencies," Covert said. "There were discrepencies in the figures presented by the assessing department in the public meeting," she said referring to the council meeting where Assessor James Klausmeyer presented preliminary figures.

Covert said her main goal is to find out "if it is fair, if it is equitable across the board." She has a six-week time frame in mind for completing her look into the assessment rolls.

"Within the next six weeks, I will come forward with more information. The council will bring forward information as well, back from the administration."

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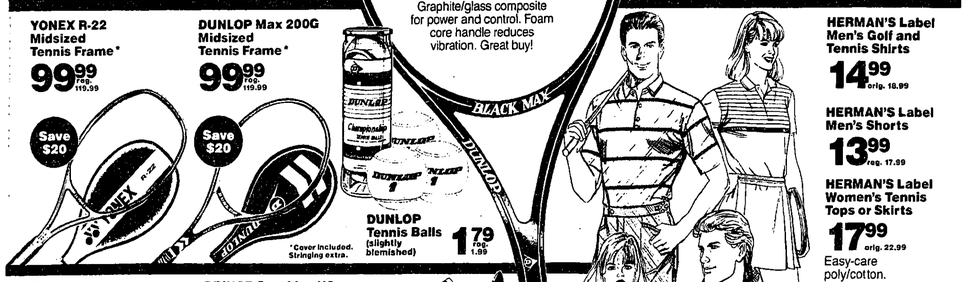

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Klaver said the back-up data he was referring to was presented by Covert at a recent session of the council. Covert presented copies of figures she said were compiled by Planning Commissioner Ernest Arufo. She also presented figures she claimed were Joe Brett's calculations using Arufto's figures, which pointed out possible discrepencies.

Klaver: 'However, this is still not correct as the information provided is based on a total acreage of 62.37, whereas a total of 17.18 acres of that area were exempt. The true acreage against which the assessments were levied was 45.19. This represents an actual value of $92,100 per acre.'

In addressing the back-up information provided by Covert, Klaver claimed the figures contained two major problems. "First is the use of assessed value which is not made clear, especially as it is compared to asking price quotes," Klaver wrote.

"Converting these assessed values to 100 percent yields a total true cash value of $4.2 million, or a per acre value of $67,400.

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"This brings us to the last and most significant fact, which is that asking prices are totally artificial and do not have any relation to reality.

"It should also be pointed out that in 1984, roughly 50 percent of this area was zoned office/commercial, 25 percent zoned residential and 25 percent exempt. Today it is 100 percent Town Center zoning. This has had a major impact on values," Klaver's memo noted.

Klaver listed a history of assessment changes with showed assessments in 1984 on the property at $92,100 per acre and in 1987 at $148,300 per acre. "We can also confirm these values with the use of recent sales," the memo noted. "While many of the Trammell Crow sales were not recorded, we do have the 1986 sales of the State of Michigan parcels, the Novi School District property and the Button parcel.

"The total composite price of these parcels was $3,805,000 for 27.78 acres, or a per acre value of $136,969. These sales certainly seem to support our present values, as well as the values we have shown in 1984," Klaver wrote.

Klaver said he believed that property owners in the area had an "overinflated impression of value" and that "until a developer begins to acquire property any zoning or planning steps have a minimal market impact."

Added Klaver in the memo: "That our Assessing Department has been able to keep pace with this type of escalating value is a clear indication of their ability to monitor and evaluate the rapid market changes that occur in a dynamic area such as the Town Center.

"It should be noted that we already have a third party confirmation with the review and approval of these values by the Oakland County Equalization Department," Klaver said.

Klaver said the raw data for the memo was provided by the city assessor's office.

City wants allegations made specific

City Manager Edward Kriewall says the Novi City Council will not take any specific action regarding Covert's allegations until those charges are made more specific.

"She's got to come down and find specific discrepencies," Kriewall said in a phone call to The News.

Kriewall said Covert must point out specific cases of inequities, but noted that "all the data is there and we can defend anything."

City council members had asked Covert to provide them with back-up data on her allegations and to meet with the assessing department to get a better understanding of the processes involved. Covert, in turn, asked the council for more specific information regarding the assessment of vacant commercial properties in comparison with the figures for the assessments of residential properties.

In an interview earlier in the week, Covert said she had an appointment on Wednesday, April 1, with John Merrifield of the assessing department. "Initially I will question how the assessor goes about the process of deciding fair market values for all properties," Covert sai.

Covert noted that her next step would be to investigate the procedures involved in specific parcels. "I expect to find discrepencies," Covert said. "There were discrepencies in the figures presented by the assessing department in the public meeting," she said referring to the council meeting where Assessor James Klausmeyer presented preliminary figures.

Covert said her main goal is to find out "if it is fair, if it is equitable across the board." She has a six-week time frame in mind for completing her look into the assessment rolls.

"Within the next six weeks, I will come forward with more information. The council will bring forward information as well, back from the administration."

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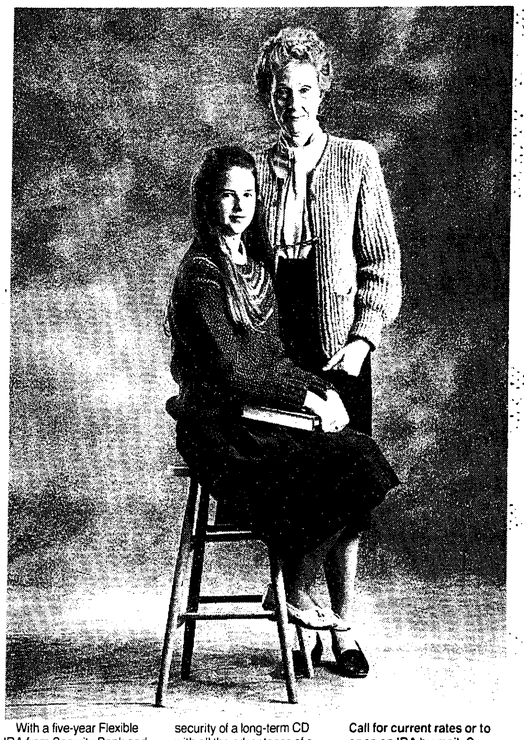

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Fessler unveils 10-bill road plan

LANSING — State Senator Richard Fessler (R-West Bloomfield) will urge the Michigan Legislature to act by Easter on his 10-bill package overhauling state and local transportation funding.

Key ingredients of the package are:

A small batch of state fee increases that would yield $59 million.

A package of six local-option revenue measures that voters would have to decide on (see list on this page).

There would be no increase in the state's 15-cents-a-gallon gasoline tax. Nor would there be a change in the formula distributing the revenue between the state, the 83 counties and local units.

"The governor is opposed to an increase in the gas tax. That's one mountain we won't climb," said Fessler, a second-term senator who chairs the Transportation Committee.

"People will vote for a tax if it's going to be spent in their areas," he said. "Oakland County needs road improvements rapidly."

During a joint news conference in Lansing, Senator Connie Binsfeld (R-Maple City) co-sponsor of the package, added, "It's responsible. It's comprehensive. It's complex. It allows local options."

A spokesman for the Oakland County Road Commission said the agency is "encouraged" by Fessler's bills. "We're analyzing them. We're willing to work with them," he said.

A fellow Oakland County Republican reacted with disappointment.

Senator Doug Cruce of Troy, which has some of the worst road problems in Oakland County's high technology boom, said, "There's nothing specific for Oakland except saying 'you've got a problem, solve it yourself.'"

Cruce saw the package as containing "built-in opposition." Truckers will oppose a state attempt to get more from them; real estate people will oppose a transfer tax, and so on.

He agreed with Binsfeld that it was complex. "If the Legislature can't understand," said Cruce, "I wonder how we'll get the public to understand it. It's not clear enough."

And he saw the amount to be raised at the state level — $59 million — as too small, a 6 percent hike for a fund that's near the $1 billion mark.

"That (new revenue) is less than $1 million per county. Troy could spend that much on one intersection. It costs $500,000 per lane for a mile of road. It's not anywhere near the amount that needs to be raised," said Cruce.

Both were disappointed at Democratic Gov. James Blanchard's announced decision last month against raising the state gasoline tax.

Blanchard, burned politically by the 1983 income tax hike (now repealed), cited a 1986 re-election pledge.

Each penny tax yields about $40 million. Their proposal would have brought in $80 million the first year, $160 million the second and $240 million the third and subsequent years.

Instead, one Fessler bill will allow counties to levy their own gasoline taxes with voter approval of up to 5 cents. "I don't think it will be widely used except to capture tourist dollars," said Fessler.

Cruce was cool to a local fuel tax. When Washington, D.C., levied one, he said, drivers bought fuel elsewhere, local stations went out of business, and gross revenue actually dropped.

No change in the fuel tax distribution formula was proposed by Fessler. Road revenue is split between the state — 39.1 percent, the 83 counties — 39.1 percent and municipalities (cities and townships) — 21.8 percent.

Here is how $59 million in state revenue would be raised under Fessler's bills:

☐ Increase title transfer fee from $2 to $10 — $34 million. Binsfeld said the fee hadn't been increased since 1927.

☐ Change vehicle registration reduction rate — $7 million. (Currently your registration declines each year as the car ages. This bill would make the fee level beginning the second year.)

☐ Raise truck sticker fee from $12 to $25 — $7 million.

☐ Eliminate the "shrinkage allowance" — $11 million. (Wholesalers of fuel deduct a shrinkage allowance for evaporation, spills and other losses of fuel; Fessler says this deduction is obsolete with modern equipment.)

Here is how the $59 million would be spent:

☐ Increased distribution through the state-county-local road formula — $27 million.

☐ A new Transporation Economic Development Authority — $25 million. This separate board would make matching grants to local units for road work necessitated by economic development — a provision likely to help Oakland County.

☐ Other new program requirements, such as a truck driving institute — $7 million.

Bills provide local options

A key ingredient in Sen. Richard Fessler's package of transportation funding bills is one which gives local units six options for raising more road money.

Here are the six options as outlined in a Senate staff memo. You as a voter may be asked if you favor:

1) Local option (probably county-wide) gasoline tax of up to 5 cents a gallon? (Current state tax is 15 cents a gallon.)

2) Local vehicle registration fees of up to $10?

3) Local real estate transfer fees of up to $10 per transfer or up to $3 per $1,000 of property value?

4) Allow counties to form charter taxing authorities which can levy up to five mills ($5 per $1,000 of state equalized valuation) for five years for road improvements?

5) Allow counties to use unlevied millages for road improvements?

6) Allow "impact fees" on new developments for the purposes of road improvements?

'Health care too costly,' poll shows

Michigan residents believe health care is good, but too expensive, and blame physicians and insurance companies for the high cost, according to the copyrighted survey released by Casey Communications Management, Inc., Southfield-based public relations firm.

Although the quality of Michigan's health care is thought to be good to excellent by 66 percent of those surveyed, 78 percent said the cost of health care is too high.

When asked to name the institutions or individuals Michigan residents believed were responsible for the high cost of health care in the state, 34 percent named doctors and 33 percent insurance companies. Society and patients were rated a distant third at 15 percent.

"While the quality of health care in the state has a pretty solid vote of confidence from the people, it's also apparent that residents want doctors and insurers to be more mindful of patients' pocketbooks," said Mary Lou Butcher, executive vice president of Casey Communications Management.

Health care costs throughout the nation have increased dramatically in the past 10 years. According to a new Harris poll, the cost of health care in America has increased nearly $255 billion since 1975.

"Low-income Michigan residents and those with a high school education or less were more critical of health care quality in Michigan than were better-educated residents and those with higher incomes," said Butcher.

Men rated the quality of health care slightly higher than women in the survey. Overall, survey findings revealed that attitudes among Michigan residents toward the quality of health care in the state are fairly consistent among tri-county and out-of-state residents.

"What and how people think — their attitudes on key social, economic and political issues — is important information to our clients and to us as a Michigan-based public relations firm," said Jack Casey, president of Casey Communications Management. "We designed MICHIGAN '87 to get a comprehensive view of the state of the state at the start of a new year.

"MICHIGAN '87 is really a report from the people of Michigan, so we decided to share it with them," Casey said.

MICHIGAN '87 was designed by Casey Communications Management under the supervision of Janet Weiss, director or research services. The random-sample telephone interviewing of 500 Michigan residents from Jaunary 21 to 28 and the tabulation of results were conducted by Nordhaus Research, Inc., of Southfield. The survey has a margin of error of plus or minus 4.5 percent.

Casey Communications Management is one of the largest and fastest growing public relations firms in the country. In its expansion during the past several years, the firm has grown to national scope in client activities and services with more than 50 account professionals, administrators and support staff. The firm is also a recognized leader in public opinion research and analysis for developing and measuring communications programs.

Area Briefs

IN A MOVE THAT WILL IMPACT PLANNING IN NOVI, the Farmington Hills Country Club will vacate its current location on the southeast corner of Twelve Mile and Haggerty Road. Haggerty Road is the boundary between Novi and Farmington Hills.

The club's membership has voted to approve a resolution that authorizes the board of directors to consummate pending deals with potential purchasers, according to Club Manager Frank Cardone. The 32-year-old country club will move to Godwin Glen Country Club in Lyon Township.

The golf course currently is zoned industrial/office research (IRO). Cardone said the site probably will be developed for small offices, but it has not been determined if there will be more than one buyer.

DESPITE INCREASED ASSESSMENTS on commercial property, Farmington school officials are concerned about tax revenues.

The culprit, according to Deputy Superintendent Michael Flanagan, is the Headlee Amendment which limits revenue increases to the Consumer Price Index — which has been dropping in recent years.

Farmington Schools currently levy 32.5 mills for operations, although the district is authorized to levy 37.29 mills. A reduction in the Consumer Price Index to 1.9 percent will reduce the district's authorized millage to 33.48 mills.

If the downward trend of the Consumer Price Index continues, the Headlee Amendment could take away another chunk of authorized millage in the 1988-89 budget year — leaving the district below the amount of millage currently levied.

If that happens, Flanagan suggested it may be necessary to ask voters to increase the millage rate back to pre-Headlee Amendment levels.

A 34 PERCENT INCREASE IN BREAK-INS has been reported by West Bloomfield Township Police for 1986.

Sgt. Mike Madigan reported the number of break-ins in the township rose from 288 in 1985 to 387 in 1986.

Novi also experienced a 34 percent jump in break-ins during the same time period with Novi police reporting 213 break-ins in 1985 and 285 in 1986.

West Bloomfield's year-end crime statistics showed a 16 percent increase in serious crimes and a 9 percent hike in less serious crimes.

West Bloomfield's armed robberies rose from nine in 1985 to 21 in 1986, but Madigan said the increase was attributed to one particular group — the so-called "driveway bandits" — and did not represent a trend.

Novi Chamber

A BUSINESS CONNECTION will be sponsored by the Novi Chamber of Commerce at Marty Feldman Chevrolet on Wednesday, April 8, from 6-9 p.m. The event is being held in conjunction with the Milford Chamber of Commerce.

The event will feature door prizes, a cash bar and hors d'oeuvres by Appe'teasers' Country Epicure.

Display space is available at a cost of $60 for an eight-foot table and $30 for a four-foot table. Call the Chamber at 349-3743 for more information or to lease table space.

THE LIVONIA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE will host its first Greater Livonia Expo on Wednesday and Thursday, May 6-7, at Schoolcraft College o Haggerty Road.

Approximately 25,000 square feet of exhibit space will be filled by a broad mix of trade, service and industry from the Livonia area.

Information on exhibit space and booth charges is available by calling Carolyn Skinner/James L. Skinner and Associates at 478-3187.

SESQUICENTENNIAL PLANS: The Novi Chamber is planning to sponsor an old-fashioned ice cream social on Saturday and Sunday, June 27-28. The activity is planned in conjunction with the Michigan Sesquicentennial celebration.

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Things are LOOKING UP for Novi firefighters

Dan Dye looks for a signal from above.

Firefighter Gordon Poyhonen successfully finishes his work on the ropes.

Novi men learn the ropes

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"I had a few sore mornings," Dye said, "but it wasn't really hard. The work with the equipment is harder than the calisthenics or the running."

Since most suburban firefighters have been on the job for some time before they enter the academy, Koster finds them better prepared for the training than their Detroit counterparts. Both Dye and Poyhonen were volunteers for five years before becoming full-time employees.

One of the major goals of the Metro academy, according to Koster, is to standardize procedures. Because so many suburban departments rely on mutual aid from other communities, if all firefighters approach the handling of equipment and respond to situations in the same manner, the entire system works more smoothly, Koster said.

The trainees do not battle actual fires, but Koster does try to see to it that each class gets out to vacant buildings to learn and practice ladder work, ventilating procedures and overhauling operations.

Koster acknowledged that a few trainees come to the academy with ideas of glamor. They usually realize half-way down a rope or on the second level of a fire escape with a heavy ladder on their backs that it was not what they had in mind.

Overall though, Koster said, few firefighters quit the training.

Much of the physical work in the academy is designed more to instill confidence and trust in the firefighters than actual skills. Koster pointed out that it is rare to see a firefighter descending a building on a rope, and the repelling activities do more to bolster confidence than anything else.

Likewise, learning to trust your partner, who is holding the end of the rope attached to your harness as you negotiate the side of a building, is an important experience, Koster noted. Most of the large ladders require five or six firefighters to lift — teamwork is a must.

Koster stresses that although the training at the academy is thorough it by no means equips a firefighter to go out and begin fighting fires. On-the-job experience working with experienced firefighters is the only way to learn to battle fires, Koster said.

The academy trains students to use equipment properly and take necessary safety precautions. "The training never really ends," Koster said.

Fire Protection Officers Poyhonen and Dye will receive certificates from the academy in a small graduation ceremony tomorrow (April 3). "It was really a good experience," Poyhonen said. "We really got the fundamentals down; they drill them into you."

Above, firefighter Dan Dye learns to trust both his balance and his partner, as he traverses an aerial ladder as part of training exercises. Right, Dye and his classmates learn the technical art of positioning large ladders on small fire escapes. Practical skills are emphasized at the academy.

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As We See It

Action needed on new sewer project

There is a tendency toward cynicism when the subject of the North Huron Valley/Rouge Valley Wastewater Control System, otherwise known to as "Super Sewer," comes up.

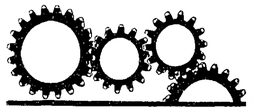
Super Sewer, or the concept of communities in the North Huron Valley/Rouge Valley joint service area combining resources to build an inteceptor relief system to carry combined flows to the Detroit sewage treatment plant, has been around for years and years.

Nothing concrete has come from all the hearings and all the designs and all the cost estimates. In fact, last year the concept was declared officially dead because of the late pull-out of three communities in the service area.

Now, Super Sewer is back. The communities of Dearborn Heights, Inkster, Livonia, Northville, Novi, Redford Township, Romulus, Van-Buren Township, Wayne and Westland still need increased capaciies for sewage flow. In Novi, the need for increased capacity is a matter of extreme urgency, and, as such, civic leaders are making the search for increased capacity their number one priority. Novi is running out of time.

The Wayne County Department of Public Works presented what appears to be the most cost-effective answer to the 10 communities' increased capacity needs. The entire project hinges on the participation of all of the communities listed in the preliminary cost figures and on a speedy application to the Michigan Department of Natural Resources to begin the necessary grant applications procedures.

Novi no longer has the time to be



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cynical about Super Sewer. Novi must approach any cost-effective solution for increased sewage capacity with a serious eye toward how soon the system will be on-line. Preliminary figures indicate the $7.63 million price tag on Novi's share of Super Sewer is by far the least expensive alternative the city has yet run across.

Likewise, City Manager Edward Kriewall has said the time-table for completion of the Super Sewer project is projected to be similar to the other alternatives the city has explored. If the project is timely and cost-effective, the city must work with county, state and federal officials to make sure it happens.

Some communities involved in the initial plans for the new project have expressed early reservations about the cost apportionment system. As a consequence, Novi cannot afford to be caught without a viable back-up plan, such as construction of a force main to Detroit, should the Super Sewer project fall through as it has in the past.

This is a case where the city must make sure every conceivable effort is made to insure that construction of an increased capacity sewage system is not put off because of other community's reservations.

Challenge needed

With only five days remaining before the school board filing deadline, it is disappointing to see that the only residents to pull petitions are incumbents Michael Meyer and Stephen Hitchcock.

While we are pleased that Meyer and Hitchcock still are interested in serving their community, we had hoped the June 8 contest would generate the same interest and enthusiasm expressed last year when five first-time challengers bid for three incumbent posts.

In a year of unprecedented enrollment growth and the first potential building expansion in more than a decade, we thought interest in serving the district would be greater.

We realize that many residents already devote their time to the school district, providing an invaluable resource through their volunteerism. The resident participation on the facilities task force is an example of the strong community network within the Novi school district.

Perhaps that's why we're baffled by the lack of candidates for the school board. City officials recently were flooded with applications for openings on both the city council and planning commission. We wonder if there would be greater interest in serving on the school board if the district was looking to appoint rather than elect new members. Or are residents afraid to challenge incumbents? If that's the case, how do we explain the list of challengers in last year's race?

If only incumbents' names are on the ballot, chances are this district will find few electors casting ballots. In 1985, fewer than one percent of Novi's registered voters re-elected incumbents Joan Daley and Sharon Pelchat.

With a $6.25 million bond issue on the ballot, the district cannot afford a dismal voter turnout this June. There still is time for residents to circulate petitions for the two board posts. It would be nice to give voters two reasons to go the polls.

Letters welcome

The Novi News welcomes Letters to the Editor. We ask, however, that they be issue oriented, confined to 500 words and that they contain the signature, address and telephone number of the writer. Names will be withheld on request, but a brief explanation of why the request is being made should accompany the letter. Deadline for submission is 3:30 Monday p.m.. We reserve the right to edit letters for brevity, clarity and libel.

Memories are for keeps

Ann Willis

I come from a very close family. If we haven't seen each other for a couple of months, we hug and kiss each other like crazy. If we haven't seen each other for a couple of hours, we hug and kiss each other like crazy. It can make for some very strange looks in the grocery store, but we've all come to accept those staring strangers as part of the price we pay for belonging to 'the family.'

A couple of weeks ago a big part of my family died. My grandmother. A part of all of our lives came to a close, and a little bit of my world has been off-center ever since.

When it came time to close up my grandmother's apartment, we entered it with a kind of dread. Nothing can be harder than examining the small items of a person's life, the things that are so normal and so much a part of our memories of them. But because we are the way we are, there was a lot more laughter than tears on the sunny day we moved furniture and packed up glasses.

As hard as it was to see Grandma's green chair and lamp stuck behind the dumpsters in the alley, that picture was tempered by the thought that the couch that went out the door on the backs of my brother and cousins would someday sit in Michael's apartment. Small pieces of Grandma's life are now sprinkled in amongst our own. A person's life is not measured in the things they leave behind, but everytime I see my sister knitting with Grandma's needles, or my mother getting sheets from the cedar chest Grandad gave to Grandma, a little piece of history will remain with me.

The weather has been turning warmer, at least before it turned colder again, and for people who were raised in the summer cottage lifestyle, thoughts turn naturally to weekends spent at the cottage.

When I was just a kid we spent summers and weekends at a cottage in Canada. It was a family compound of sorts, with three cottages sitting on a small piece of land. Everyone lived in those three cottages — aunts, uncles, cousins, grandparents, friends up for a weekend, and assorted family dogs. The water only ran cold and the outhouse was in back. There were spiders in the bedrooms and often times, despite my grandmother's valiant efforts, sand on the floor.

It was paradise for a kid. My cousins and I ran as a pack, exploring the neighbor's corn fields, getting Grandad to take us to the beach, and falling into the ravine. Discipline was done by committee; whichever adult was handy as we ran by, gave the order to put on shoes, take a nap or for God's sake, get out of that wet bathing suit.

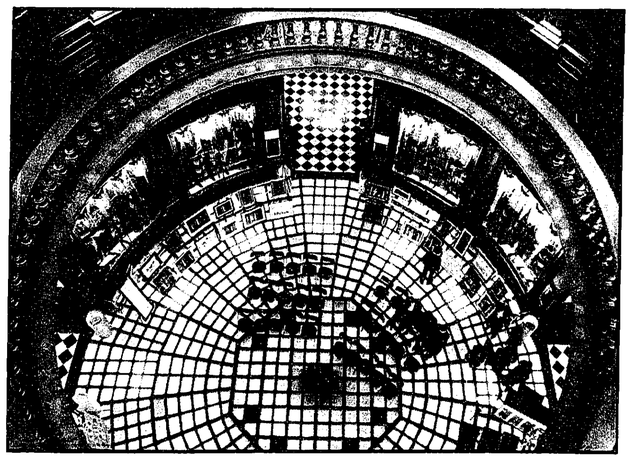
At night the grown-ups played cards. I could crawl to the end of my bed, peek through the curtain and watch my mom and dad, grandma and grandad, aunts and uncles, my brother and sister and neighbors from all around play spirited games of cards. The talk ran loud and the cards really seemed an excuse to sit late into the night and laugh. I'd fall asleep listening to booming voices and stories that I probably wasn't supposed to hear.

So now, when I think about my grandmother as I do so often, I picture a reunion of sorts. Grandad and Grandma, Uncle Jim and Aunt Dora, aunts and uncles and my father — all the people who I won't see this summer at the cottage, together again.

I picture them all sitting around a kitchen table playing cards, talking and laughing together, late into the night. It makes for a nice picture. And the memories make those lives live forever.

Forum

By Chris Boyd



Waxing rotunda

Wily reporter springs evil trap

Phil Jerome

I got a glimpse of what it must be like to be a public official Tuesday morning. What it's like when the "press" calls up and starts asking questions.

It's strange to find yourself in someone else's shoes. Helps you appreciate the things other people have to go through.

Like speaking at city council meetings, for example. During the 16 years I've been in the newspaper business, I've been to more than my share of public meetings. If you figure at least one a week for 16 years, it comes out to something like 800 or more meetings.

Sitting in a city council meeting is almost like being in my living room. And it always used to surprise me when people got nervous and started stuttering when addressing the council.

But then I did it once. I found out very quickly it's far different to address the council than it is to sit there and take notes on what everyone else is saying.

But back to Tuesday morning and my call from "The Press." A reporter from one of the Detroit dailies called to confirm that we have in fact gone to a Thursday publication date. "For a story in the paper," she said.

"It's true," I said. And when she asked why, I gave her the reasons, pretty much reciting the reasons we have already published for the switch to a Thursday publication — to align our advertising deadlines with our sister publications, the Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, and to provide increased coverage for a growing community without sacrificing the local touch only a hometown newspaper can give.

But all the while I was talking there was a gnawing feeling in the back of my mind that I had to be careful. Don't say anything that could be misinterpreted.

I made it through the brief interview in good shape. I don't think I said anything wrong. But you better believe Ol' Phil will read that story pretty carefully when it finally appears. I'll let you know if I was misquoted.

'Council should seek the facts'

To the Editor:

Upon reading the March 18 Novi News articles and opinions about the recent city council argument over the issue of assessments, I am compelled to write.

The question that comes to mind is, how would this have turned out if all the council members had sincerely searched for the facts about assessments? If Council Member Covert had been properly asked before the meeting, I am sure that she would have been prepared to present the council with some facts.

Only two alternatives are possible, either there is no wrong doing, as the council claims, or there is. In either case, I do not see where any council member has been accused in Covert's article.

If there is no evidence of wrong, the issue will die by itself and the council argument was needless. If Council Member Covert can produce evidence that assessments are not right, the council should launch an investigation and take appropriate action.

Comments made by Patricia Karevich and Martha Hoyer indicate clearly to me that they want to avoid an investigation. I wonder why, and what are they afraid of? What does Pat Karevich mean when she says that administrative functions have been interfered with? Does she want authority without accountability?

To me the strong reaction and the methods used to confront Council Member Covert in this issue do more to cause doubt about the motives and ethics of the city council than would any accusation. Now I wonder if something illegal may be going on, and I would welcome an investigation by the state. An investigation, even one that finds inequity in assessments and results in corrective action, will do more to prove the credibility of the council than many hot denials and counter accusations.

In this matter it is very clear to me that Council Member Covert is one person on the council who truly tries to serve the people of Novi. For this she has earned my support.

To all members of the city council: The citizens of Novi elected you to do a job that you wanted and campaigned for. I want you to do that job with integrity and honesty. Certainly, mistakes will be made because nobody is perfect. When it happens, however, don't try to cover up the facts and argue. Instead, seek the facts objectively. This will always enhance your personal and collective integrity in the eyes of the citizens of Novi.

Henry Suchyten

Former mayor blasts council

To the Editor:

As hard as I've tried I can stay quiet no longer. Of considerable interest in recent weeks is the apparent inability of the Novi City Council to cope with constructive criticism and individual expression.

It seems if you are not one of the "good ole boys", as is evident Council Person Covert is not, you are subject to rather severe tongue lashing by the mayor and a couple of the misguided and perhaps inept council members.

As a member of the Novi City Council for 10 years, four of which I served as mayor, there was considerable disagreement among the council members in their efforts to represent the citizens.

However, there was never a personal attack in public meeting by council on one of its own members as has been demonstrated recently. I would hope the citizens of Novi are asking "why is this happening?" Let me suggest it's a total lack of leadership and questionable judgment by three or four of the council members.

If the citizens of Novi are not alarmed by now, they should be. This leadership of "go along to get along" has been great for the fast-buck developer and those who envision Novi as another metropolitan city. If the citizens of Novi want another Southfield, which if you haven't looked recently is on the decline with high-rise buildings, commercial on every corner, increasing crime and falling residential values, they have the right people sitting on council.

On the other hand, if they want what te previous council strived for, a unique city, a quality city, a city that will stand the test of time, the citizens of Novi better start paying attention as to what is happening.

It is my impression the citizens (which include the responsible small businessman) are being sold out to special interest groups which include the fast-buck speculators and developers.

It is not too late, but I would encourage the citizens of Novi to get involved. If you are as concerned as I am, I would like to hear from you, telephone 349-0099.

Bob Schmid

Sound planning not practiced

To the Editor:

Traffic congestion is a subject I know of all too well. When I worked in Manhattan, I could literally walk from one destination to another faster than a bus or taxi. Along the streets of Brooklyn, where I lived, it was typical to find cars double-parked along side of each other, and to have to park your car a distance away from your home or the street on which you lived.

I think that traffic congestion is a typical urban problem that urbanites are forced to learn to tolerate and live with, even though it is always a hassle (they may even become proficient at dodging cabbies).

Still, traffic congestion is stressful, time-consuming and dangerous, and, in my opinion, such urban problems should not be allowed to begin permeating suburban areas. I believe that like myself, many residents who have chosen to move to Novi, have done so in order to escape the negative aspects of urban life.

I believe that it not only makes good, sound planning sense, but also good common sense, that safe, sufficient road systems (as well as adequate sewage capacity) must be a prerequisite to growth in a community.

I believe that when rapid, extensive growth is allowed to occur without having this necessary infrastructure in place, you wind up with a chaotic, dangerous mess, such as we are being faced with in Novi today.

In a broad sense, I agree that Oakland County is largely responsible for the poor and dangerous road/traffic conditions throughout the region, which includes Novi.

However, in regard to Novi's continually increasing traffic problems in particular, I give Oakland County a third of the total share of blame.

I give another third of the total share of the blame to developers, because in my opinion, they are overly-aggressive and they apply a lot of pressure to have their projects accepted and approved, despite the additional traffic problems that they will cause.

Developers may provide roads that will handle traffic within their particular developments (such as Trammell Crow in regard to the Novi "Clown" Center) but more often that not, they do not provide any relief from the additional traffic burden that will be placed on the major roads.

Last but not least, I give the final third of the blame to the majority of our city officials. I hold them responsible because I believe that they have allowed and encouraged the rapid, extensive growth that has caused the escalating traffic (and sewer capacity) problems that the citizens of Novi are now being burdened with. As a resident of Novi, I resent being placed in this position.

Our city officials have the power to apply the brakes (in the name of health, safety and welfare), yet they have chosen not to do so, even lightly.

Now, those same officials are wringing their hands, along with developers, searching for solutions to the problems that they shared in creating.

Personally, I favor and support proposed developer "impact fees." But unfortunately, at this point solutions will not be simple or swift. Meanwhile, the citizens of Novi will continue to suffer the consequences.

I believe that although Mayor Karevich and other members of city council have often preached "sound planning" as the "key" to Novi's future, unfortunately, it has seldom been practiced.

Laura Lorenzo

Covert thanked for contribution

To the Editor:

At a city council meeting last year I was very impressed by the wise eloquent speech of a particular council member. Novi citizens were very well represented by a member seeking planned long-term growth in Novi.

I remember thinking that Novi was very fortunate to have a council member of such exceptional quality. Since then a "Letter to the Editor" and contributions in council discussions have continued to show this excellence.

Of course, I am speaking of Nancy Covert, and I wish to thank her for her outstanding service.

Gary Schneemann

Cage rattling should continue

To the Editor:

So one of the council members rattled the mayor and other council members' cages. Too bad. Maybe the people of Novi better do some of their own cage rattling if some of the crazy and indiscriminate building in Novi is allowed to continue.

Lower tax assessments could be the reason.

Evonna L. Ewald

Zoning veto halts shopping center

There will be no lakefront restaurant or shopping center at the of Fourteen Mile on East Lake Drive.

The Novi City Council has upheld the planning commission's recommendation to deny a rezoning request that would permit commercial development on two parcels of land near Groll's Edgewater Subdivision south of Fourteen Mile on the east and west side of East Lake Drive.

The restaurant was proposed for the vacant land on the southeast corner of East Lake Drive and Fourteen Mile, just west of the Frigate's Inn. The land is currently zoned R-4 (single-family residential). The property owners had asked that the property be rezoned to a B-2 (community business) classification.

Paul Mastrangel, an attorney representing Romain-Andris, developers of the land, told council that plans called for a family-style restaurant that would have seating capacity for 130 individuals.

The shopping center was proposed for the land east of East Lake Drive, directly adjacent to residential homes. The land is vacant and zoned R-4. The petition was to change the zoning to B-3, general business district.

"Our position is that it is unusable as residential," said Mastrangel, who formerly served on the Novi Planning Commission. "We looked at the parcels and decided few people would buy across from the Frigate Inn and commercial development."

The property directly north of the lots proposed for commercial use is listed as center commercial on the master plan. Property to the east is proposed as multiple family.

Mastrangel and the architect for the proposed project showed plans for a 30-foot greenbelt area between the residential homes and the proposed 14,000 square foot shopping center.

Council member Joseph Toth reminded the council that there was no guarantee the plan before them would be built as site plans cannot be approved during rezoning petitions. "The restaurant will be three times the size of the Frigate Inn," Toth said, "and there is insufficient parking."

Toth said there were no plans for servicing the City of Novi with the proposed shopping center. "It is directed toward Walled Lake," he said.

Council Member Martha Hoyer agreed with Toth. "It has been the philosophy of the city to centralize commercial development," she stated.

The motion to deny the rezoning passed unanimously. The council then passed a motion to direct the planning commission to study the area as part of its ongoing review of key entranceways to the city.

Housing's scarce

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But, according to Jakubowski, it generally takes about one year for supply to catch up with demand, which is the situation the Novi/Northville area current faces.

Until about two weeks ago, Mason said it was not unusual for Novi homes in the high demand range to be seemingly auctioned by hopeful purchasers. She reported that a home in the Willowbrook subdivision which has been listed at $89,000 was finally sold for $92,000. The bidding process, which Mason said continued strongly for about three months, has subsided as prices have reached seemingly maximum levels. "Buyers can only stretch so far," she said.

Demand is so high for area homes that those who can afford living in the area are waiting months for homes to become available, according to Mason, adding that some people have waited up to six months. But she also said those who cannot afford to wait are moving to nearby cities.

During the last six months, Mason said a typical home in the Novi/Northville area could sell for as much as $20,000 less in South Lyon, an economical alternative for those wishing to stay in the area.

According to Mason, homes highest in demand are those in the $60,000 to $80,000 price range. She said homes in that range have not been available for months, and that she curently has 15 people on her waiting list for such homes.

Increased prices, stimulated by increased demand in the Novi/Northville area, have caused changes in the characteristics of typical area home buyers, according to Mason.

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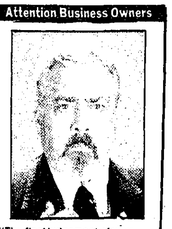

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Female coaches scarce at local schools

By NEIL GEOGHEGAN
staff writer

THE DILEMMA OF COACHING
PART II

The first comprehensive study of girls' progress in athletics since the passage of Title IX in 1971 shows the greatest male/female inequity in Wayne and Oakland counties is found in coaching.

The Wayne County Project on Equal Education Rights (PEER) found that only 17 percent of the 949 coaches in county high schools are women. Three school districts — Inkster, Taylor and Woodhaven — have no female head coaches.

The numbers aren't much better in Novi and Northville as far as female varsity coaches are concerned. In the last calender year (1986), females held only three of 19 (15.7 percent) head coaching positions in Northville. And Novi was even further down the line with females handling just one of 18 head coaching spots (5.5 percent).

Those local numbers are below the Wayne County average of 17 percent. Even for all-female teams, only 38 percent of the head coaches are female county-wide, compared to 33 percent for Northville and 13 percent for Novi.

Both the Novi and Northville athletic directors are aware of the discrepancy but have been unable to remedy the imbalance. They cite a number of outside reasons for the situation.

"The emergence of women's athletics over the last 10 years has been probably more than it was in the previous hundred before that, but the coaching hasn't caught up yet," Novi's John Osborne said. "The system, right now, just hasn't yielded enough female coaches — but I think it will. They are just not on the scene right now."

Northville's Dennis Colligan said basically the same thing.

"There's no doubt the advancement of female athletics has really impacted the whole educational field in the past 20 years, but coaching is still trying to catch up," he said. "One of the main reasons the number (of women coaches) is so low is that we have not had many applicants," he said. "We've gone out of our way to post them in places like the women's Physical Education Departments at Eastern Michigan and Schoolcraft College to try and entice and get more applicants, but so far we haven't been very successful."

For most female teachers and other eligible coaching prospects, women's athletics weren't as popular when they went to school as they are now. That makes for a shortage of qualified former athletes-turned coaches now available.

"Most of our current female faculty does not have the background from when they went to school," Osborne said.

From time to time across the nation, there have been accusations of discrimination when it came to hiring female coaches — these accusers said it is the primary reason for the low numbers of women in coaching. But both Osborne and Colligan deny the allegation.

"I don't see any prejudice — I just don't see many women applying for varsity coaching positions," Osborne said. "Right now, it's just a matter of women getting into the field and becoming interested because there are opportunities for them. I think the system will yield coaches in the future, especially with the education field opening up again. It also makes teaching prospects more attractive if they can help in extracurricular programs."

Colligan added: "There is no question we'd like to have more female coaches, but I just don't think it's worthwhile to hire a non-qualified female over a qualified male."

According to the PEER report, some of the reasons for the coaching inequity, in addition to a lack of qualified applicants, is that women coaches are perceived as less demanding and intense than their male counterparts. Other suggested reasons are a simple lack of interest or availability with many women.

"Ideally, you'd like to go with the most qualified person; if it happens to be a male, so be it," Osborne said. "I just don't think the female coaches are out there yet. There may be a few, but I don't think they are available to help us at the time of day we need — afternoons for practice and evenings and Saturdays for games. And we would prefer to run our programs as an afternoon-type thing."

There are advantages in having women coaches, especially if it is in a female-only sport like volleyball, softball or gymnastics. Ideally,

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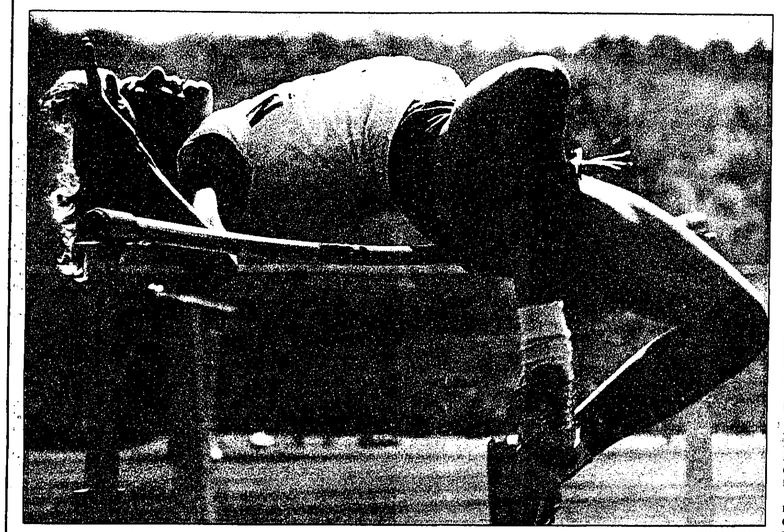

Tammy Onofrey will be a standout for Novi's girls track team this spring

Novi News/JERRY ZOLYNSKY

Novi thinclads lack sprinters

By NEIL GEOGHEGAN
staff writer

Bob Smith, coach of the Novi boys' track team, is ever the optimist, but a few weeks ago he was anything but enthused about the Wildcats' upcoming season.

But now, after a few more weeks of work with his squad, Smith has regained his buoyant demeanor and just in time — the 1987 campaign is set to begin today (April 2) against Livonia Stevenson.

Smith believes a lack of depth will prevent Novi from challenging the Kensington Valley Conference (KVC) powerhouses, but he also believes that with the exception of a few events, the Wildcats can compete with anyone.

"We are in a lot better shape than I thought a couple of weeks ago," he said. "Our main goal isn't to win the KVC title, but to get as many individuals qualified for the state finals."

It appears Novi is quite solid in most areas, except the sprint events. The sprints were a void a year ago, and graduation losses may magnify the problem further.

"We're a solid team if we get over the sprinter blues," Smith commented. "With the exception of a couple races, we can run with anybody."

The team star may be junior Brian Schram, who is the league's top returning high jumper, and almost a shoe-in to qualify for the state championships. Schram was the league's number two jumper as a sophomore and can routinely top the 6-foot mark.

"He's the high jump heir in the KVC, but it's not apparent," Smith joked. "Brian will have to work very hard if he wants to be the league's best, but he can do it because he is so talented. He can look real bad and still clear 6-foot no problem."

Senior Marc Williams provides Novi with a solid 1-2 threat in the high jump. Williams cleared 5'10" as a junior.

The shot put and discus chores are in the capable hands of seniors Franz Samson and Matt Stahr. Both have reached the 40-foot mark in the shot and the 130-foot mark in the discus.

"We have a very good 1-2 punch in the weight events — especially the shot," Smith said. "Nobody in the league is going to have two guys who can beat Samson and Stahr."

Smith: 'We're a solid team if we get over the sprinter blues. With the exception of a couple races, we can run with anybody.'

In the long jump, seniors Joel Finzel and Rob Wilson have both broken the 19-foot barrier and are poised to flirt with 20. They may be best long jump duo in the league. Rounding out the field events is junior pole vaulter Dave Samaan, who topped 11 feet as as sophomore. Smith believes he can get to 12 feet during the '87 campaign.

"Our field events are going to be as tough as nails," Smith predicted. "If we can just get through the sprints — the problem is you can't coach speed, and that's our biggest weakness."

In both the high and low hurdles, Schram is the number one performer, but he has some healthy competition from juniors Jeff Leininger and Mark Schaper. The distance events don't appear to be a major area of concern either with junior Craig Cowden and sophomore Rob Rassmussen around. Cowden has already broken 5-minutes in the mile in early workouts and is also a valuable runner in the two mile and two-mile relay. Rassmussen will likely excel in the two mile and will have help from Bret VanDyke and Mike Ducker.

The two-mile relay will feature Cowden, versatile senior Mark Snider and two of the following — Tim McBride (senior), Jeff Jeffress

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Lack of numbers to hurt Ladycats

By NEIL GEOGHEGAN
staff writer

Normally, the Novi girls track program draws 40-50 bodies. But this season Coach Chris Ceresa is scraping for 30-35, and that means trouble.

Depth promises to be the Wildcat's big weakness, but the talent is there. Novi boasts a good core of successful returnees in a wide variety of events, but Ceresa is having a hard time projecting consistent performers who will be able to take those crucial second and third place finishes.

The talent is there at the top level, but the depth is missing.

"We are thin in numbers," Ceresa said. "We are going to be spread a little too thin so we may have problems in dual meets. But if we can stay healthy and confident, we can do well at the Kensington Valley Conference (KVC) meet and at the regionals."

Back for her junior season is Tammy Onofrey, who may be the best all-around female athlete at Novi. As a sophomore, Onofrey was the KVC champion in the half mile, but she is also effective in the high jump and mile relay. She was the team's top scorer a year ago.

"I'm sure Tammy will continue to improve as long as she trains hard and is healthy," Ceresa said. "She has a really good positive attitude to go along with some great natural ability."

Sharing the spotlight with Onofrey will probably be senior long jumper Amy Rodgers. She is the defending league champion and was the Wildcat's only state qualifier a year ago. Rodgers will also compete in the high jump and possibly in both hurdles events.

"Amy really looks good in our early workouts," Ceresa said. "She is very team-oriented and will do whatever we ask of her. She's an excellent athlete, and we are looking forward to a good season from her."

Seniors Becky Prost and Kristy Yodezivicis are both versatile performers who can help the team in many ways. Prost, the team captain, has quietly moved up as Novi's top sprinter and relay threat. Ceresa plans to use her in everything from the 100-meter dash to the half mile. Yodzevicis, who was a third place finisher in the KVC in the long jump, will provide Novi with great depth in that event and help in the 200 meters and mile relay.

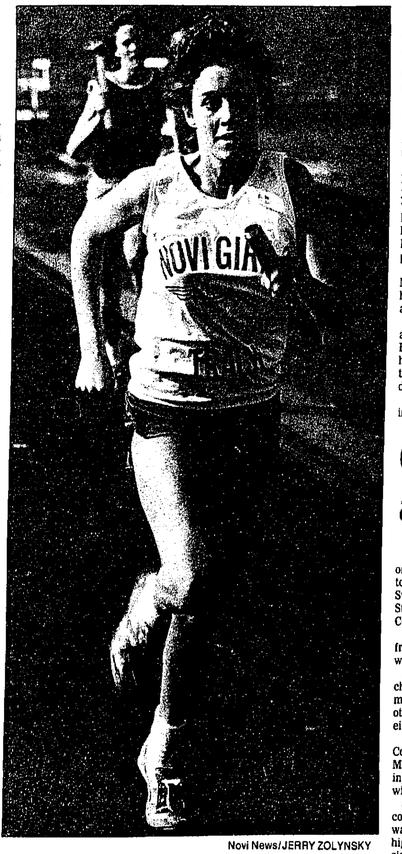
Senior Kelli O'Neill may be forced to miss the team's first meet (today, April 2 at Livonia Stevenson) due to a job conflict, but is expected to provide the 'Cats with steady points in both the shot put and discus. O'Neill placed second in the discus and third in the shot at the KVC championships at the end of the 1986 season, and is expected to be one of the league's premier performers again this season.

"Kelli only competes in two events, and she was our third leading scorer last year," Ceresa pointed out. "There aren't many who can beat her."

In the distance events, Ceresa has junior Kelli Rolfes and freshman cross country sensation Jenny Galland. Rolfes is the school record holder in the mile, while Galland will be used primarily in the two mile.

Junior Denai D'Ambrosio, senior Kristy Yancheson and freshman Lisa Heath are all important members of the sprint and middle distance corps. D'Ambrosio is a flexible performer who will see action in the short sprints and relays. She will be joined in those events by Yancheson, a transfer student from Milford. Despite her youth, Heath may need to contribute in the middle distance races like the 800 meters.

"I think our squad can do well, but we need some of the younsters to pick up the slack and get us some seconds and thirds," Ceresa said. "Our biggest question mark is depth. We have so many untested kids, it's hard to tell who we can count on."



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Kristy Yodezivicis is a proven middle-distance threat

Cohen cleans up at USS-M Meet

Novi's Steve Cohen, 14, was the only one of the three Cohen brothers to participate in the United States Swimming-Michigan (USS-M) Boys State Championships at Oakland Community College on March 20-22.

But the Novi High School freshman made sure the family was well-represented nonetheless.

Steve's brother Jon, the state champion in the 200 IM, failed to make the meet due to illness, and other brother Jeff didn't compete either.

So it was up to the youngest of the Cohen clan to represent one of Michigan's most talented swimming families — and he came through with flying colors.

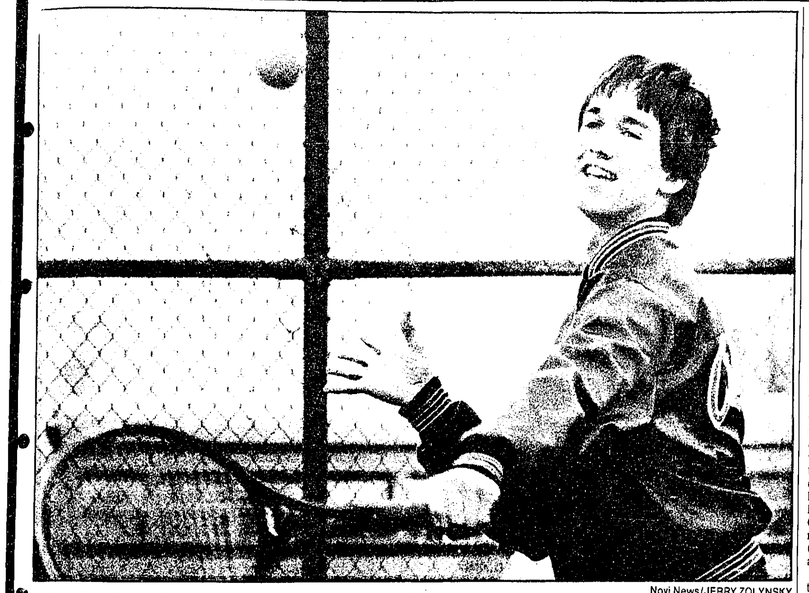
Steve grabbed three firsts, a second, a third and two fourths on his way to becoming the runner-up high-point winner in the 13-14 division. With the three wins, Cohen grabbed state titles for his age group in the 500 yard freestyle, the 1,000 freestyle and the 1,650 freestyle.

In addition, the performance landed Steve among the top 16 swimmers in the 13-14 age group in the nation for those three events.

He added a second place finish in the 400 IM, a third in the 20 butterfly and a pair of fourths in the 200 freestyle and the 200 breaststroke at the USS-M meet. During the second day of competition at Oakland Community College, Steve began to fell ill, but still managed to finish the meet in winning fashion.

Steve was one of only two freshman boys in the Michigan to qualify for the MHSAA Class A State Championships several weeks back.

Both Steve and Jon are currently in Boca Raton, Fla., to compete in the USS National Championship which culminate on April 4.



Veteran Eric Polinsky will hold down one of the top two singles spots on the Novi tennis team

Novi News/JERRY ZOLYNSKY

Veterans carry Wildcat netters

By NEIL GEOGHEGAN
staff writer

Novi tennis Coach Jim Newbold won't go out on a limb, but he is making a prediction about his 1987 squad.

Newbold has a respectable group of returnees and some young players who have shown flashes of talent, and he is justifiably optimistic.

"I feel pretty good this year," Newbold said. "As a matter of fact, I don't believe we'll finish at the bottom of the Kensington Valley Conference (KVC) this year. I really think so, I think we have some kids who would like to do a job."

Although not much of a prediction, Newbold believes the Wildcats have the potential to avoid the league basement, and that in itself is improvement and progress. Last season, Novi had a paltry 2-9 record in the KVC (4-9 overall), but the only key loss to graduation was singles player Mark Boksha.

A host of other seniors — Darrell Beyea, Rob Dodds and Eric Cupp — also departed, but they were exclusively used in doubles play, and Newbold believes they can be replaced.

"We kept three of our top four singles players and a few doubles players from last season, and we have a lot of young kids who have talent and potential," he said. "But right now, I haven't picked a line-up yet — I'm still not sure where everybody will fit in."

The top two singles spots will likely go to a pair of "old-timers", as Newbold calls them — seniors Eric Polinsky and Chris Cottam. Both have a wealth of varsity experience, but had problems a year ago. Polinsky jumped between first and second singles last season, but couldn't find a way to win consistently.

"Eric looks to be in pretty good shape, and he's got some beautiful strokes," Newbold said. "I think he's really going to put out for his senior year. He will definitely be at first or second singles — probably second."

Cottam missed a large portion of last season with a recurring back problem, but was effective when he was healthy. The back hasn't been any problem so far, and Newbold is crossing his fingers.

"Chris is a good, slow-moving baseline player," he reported. "He sets up his own pace. I just hope his back problems are in the past."

The remaining two singles spots will be filled by junior Bill Benlon and senior David Cho. Both were regulars in the doubles rotation a year ago, but Newbold is confident they can become effective at third and fourth singles.

"Benton will do very well at three or four, and Cho always gives us 100 percent on the court," he said. "I think they will both be good in singles."

Newbold has already pretty much decided to go with juniors Tom Wigley and Ken Chasse at first doubles. Wigey is a returning letter winner and Chasse is the top player up from the junior varsity ranks.

"I would not be adverse to playing Chasse and Wigley at first doubles because they are two big, tall guys who are fairly quick and seem to work well together," Newbold said.

The second doubles team may include sophomore's Matt Mitchell and Mike Everett — two more standouts from the J.V. program. Also in the running for a spot in the starting doubles rotation are freshmen Zubin Antia and Brian Anderson.

"It's all still up for grabs," Newbold said. "We still need to do well in doubles if we want to be successful. I'm not worried about first doubles, but second and third doubles are still question marks.

"This Friday (April 3) I'll make a decision, switch it around for a week or so, if needed, and then try to keep a set line-up rather than juggle again like I did last year," he said.

Novi soccer team seeks new goalie

Nick Valenti started the ball rolling for girls soccer in Novi, and Fred Ghoujeghi plans to continue guiding the program on the same steady course of improvement.

Ghoujeghi is Novi's new girls soccer coach. He is taking over the reigns from Valenti — who started the program four seasons ago — so he can concentrate solely on the boys soccer program. Heading into the Wildcat season opener on April 1 at Dearborn Edsel Ford (after The News' deadline), the coach was still getting acquainted with his personnel.

"I really don't know the players well enough yet to talk a lot about them, but I do know we have about six players who have good potential and can help us improve," Ghoujeghi said.

Those six are returning letter-winners and all were major contibuting factors in the Wildcats' successful campaign last year. After two winless seasons in 1984 and '85, Novi turned the corner in 1986 by going 5-7 overall (3-6 in the Expressway League). The key players are Nichole Paramley (junior), Stephaie Groom (sophomore), Tiffany O'Kopny (senior), Dana Gannon (freshman), Jennifer Dillon (junior) and Jennifer Crocker (senior).

"I think they have good talent, and the team spirit is there," Ghoujeghi said. "They are probably my best players, and I think we can be a good team if we work hard."

Parmaley, the team's top scorer a year ago with 11 goals in 12 games, will be a frontline standout along with Groom (left wing), Gannon (right wing) and Dilon (center-forward). O'Kopny will likely play the center-halfback position, and Crocker is tentatively scheduled to be positioned at fullback.

With the graduation of three-year goalie Erin Barry, the big weakness may be in the net. Ghoujeghi is in the process of training freshmen Angelica Alverez and Denise Lucas for future goal-tending chores, but they are not ready yet. At the start of the season, he plans to use Parmaley and O'Kopny in goal and then slowly move in the freshmen.

"With Nicole and Tiffany in goal at first, we should be in pretty good shape," he said. "They don't really want to play goalie, but they told me they would do it to help the team."

Many of the defensive positions were still up for grabs at press time, but Ghoujeghi knows it will be very important, especially with the uncertainties in the net.

Ghojeghi hasn't established a lot of goals for the team just yet, but one appears to be his main concern.

"We're shooting for a winning season, that's for sure," he said.

Sprinters lacking

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(senior), Jay Keranen (senior), Jeff Morrison (freshman), Pat Parsons (junior) and Mike LaHaie (senior). Snider will also be counted on in any number of events including the half-mile, mile, mile relay and even the 100-meter dash.

"Mark is our second fastest in the mile and the 100 and our top half miler," Smith said. "I think he can break two minutes in the half mile."

Sophomore Andy Fitzpatrick is the team standout in the quarter mile. He set a new freshman school record in the event last season. Fitzpatrick also will compete in the mile relay (along with Schram, Jeffress and Keranen).

In the sprints, Fitzpatrick may be the team's best in the 200 meter dash, but overall talent and depth is lacking. In the 100, Smith will go with Fitzpatrick, Finzel and Brian Everett, a transfer student from Milford.

"I believe we could go .500 or better this season in the KVC," Smith predicted. "With our strength in the field events and our ability to hold our own from the quarter mile on up, we could do it."

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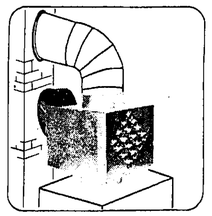

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HUNTER SAFETY CLASSES: Schoolcraft College's Continuing Education Division will offer a five-week course on hunter safety for youth beginning Friday, April 3, from 7-10 p.m. on the campus at 18600 Haggerty Road.

Designed for youths 12 years old and older, the course meets the requirements of the Michigan Department of Natural Resources.

A one-day field trip is included. For fee and registration information call 591-6400, extension 469.

THE SEVENTH ANNUAL NOVI RUN will be sponsored by JCK & Associates and the Novi Parks and Recreation Department on Sunday, April 26. There will be a One Mile Fun Run at 1 p.m. as well as a 3.1 or 6.2 Mile Race beginning at 1:30 p.m.

Pre-registration deadline is Wednesday, April 22. Early registration fees are $5 for the Fun Run and $7 for both the 3.1 and 6.2 mile runs.

Registrations also will be accepted the day of the race at the Novi High School Commons beginning at 11:30 a.m. Fees for race-day registrations are $5 for the Fun Run and $9 for the 3.1 and 6.2 mile runs.

Call Novi Parks and Recreation at 349-1976 to register or for more information.

NOVI TRACKERS: The Novi Trackers Running Club has been in existence since 1981. Running enthusiasts travel from Northville, Brighton, South Lyon, Plymouth and Livonia to participate in weekly runs and special activities offered by the club.

The Trackers will be hosting an open house on Tuesday, April 7, at 7 p.m. at the Novi Parks and Recreation Office at 43315 Sixth Gate. Refreshments and information will be provided for interested joggers and runners of all levels.

For more information call Lee Karvola (349-7224), Larry Malloy (474-8277) or Novi Parks and Recreation (349-1976).

MANTLE FUND RAISER: Members of Novi's newly-organized Mickey Mantle League (age 15-16) entry is selling Cabana Potato Chips to help support the team. The team is sponsored by Cabana Snack Food Products.

Orders are now being taken by calling 474-6525. Two one-pound bags are $5 and a box of 10 is $24, according to team manager Ron Ross.

Ross is looking for three pro-type umpires (including one standby) to officiate league games. Adults with proper credentials may call 474-6525 for more information.

"RUN FOR THE FUTURE" is the theme of this year's West Bloomfield Half-marathon which will be held Sunday, April 12, at 12:30 p.m. The 3.1 mile race along residential streets in West Bloomfield is certified by The Athletics Congress (TAC).

The half-marathon offers competition for men and women in 11 age divisions. Entry forms can be obtained by sending a self-addressed stamped envelope (SASE) to West Bloomfield Parks and Recreation, 3325 Middlebelt Road, West Bloomfield, MI 48003. The early registration fee (by April 3) is $10. After April 3 and until race day the fee is $13.

RECREATIONAL FACILITIES: The Community Activities Building on Oakland Community College's Orchard Ridge campus in Farmington Hills will be open seven days a week this winter.

Facilities available for community use include an Olympic-size swimming pool, an exercise/weight room, a multi-purpose gym and racquetball courts. The Orchard Ridge campus is located in Farmington Hills at I-696 and Orchard Lake Road.

For information on special individual, family and group membership plans or group rentals call the Orchard Ridge Community Activities office weekdays from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m. at 471-7599.

SUMMER LIFEGUARDING JOBS are available through the Oakland County Parks and Recreation Commission. Lifeguards are needed at Oakladd County's three beaches and two wave-action swimming pools

Lifeguard applicants must be Oakland County residets and at least 16 years old. Other requirements include Advanced Life Saving, CPR and First Aid cards. Water Safety Instructor certification is recommended but not mandatory.

Students also must pass the Oakland County Parks and Recreation Commission's water safety test at a location to be announced. The lifeguard position is for temporary summer employment, Memorial Day through Labor Day. The pay rate ranges from $4.45 to $522 per hour.

Interested applicants may call the Oakland County Personnel Department at 858-0530 for more information.

Females scarce in coaching ranks

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coaches from the teaching ranks are preferred because they can be with their players throughout the day. Women coaches also provide extremely good role models for their players. Consequently, female coaches for female teams have similar advantages.

"You like to get the good role models for the girls, and female coaches are the perfect thing," Colligan said.

"For me, I'd like to have female coaches because the big thing is locker room coverage," Osborne explained. "It's a nice thing to have somebody who can be in the locker room — it takes care of a lot of inconveniences that come up."

Michelle Charniga, the Northville gymnastics coach, is one of only three female varsity coaches on Colligan's staff. She was hired three seasons ago despite being the youngest applicant and being a women. She admits that discrimination certainly wasn't involved when she was hired.

"I personally don't know of any discrimination going on," she said. "In my position, I don't think there was any discrimination either for or against me when I was hired.

"Maybe a lot of women forego coaching because they are also trying to raise children — I really don't know why the ratio is so small."

The majority of coaches, whether male of female, move up the ladder to the varsity level. Both Osborne and Colligan report that the number of women coaches is still relatively low even in the junior high, freshman and junior varsity programs.

"In coaching, you have to pay your dues," Osborne said. "You learn the game by coaching the younger levels and then you move up within the system. In choosing a coach, being qualified, if you're available, if you're interested and if you have paid your dues are all very important factors."

Another criticism is that athletic directors and other hiring bodies don't look hard enough to find qualified female coaches. Osborne had his doubts about that premise but did say the following:

"Maybe (athletic directors) could make a better effort when trying to find coaches by using the newspapers to make our open positions better known," he said. "I don't know, but I do know the situation is already getting better — it's starting to come, but it will just take time."

Added Colligan: "Maybe there is a problem out there with initiative, but I haven't seen it. I would like to see school districts posting positions for teachers in conjunction with coaching positions. We are at an advantage if we can get a staff person into coaching."

Colligan and Osborne agreed on most aspects of the situation, but perhaps the most important consensus was that the situation will get better.

"When some of these girls who are getting good experience at high school-level athletics are looking at role models and go with the teaching profession, they will want to help out in coaching too," he suggested. "A lot of youngsters I've talked to are looking at it that way."

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Kathy Bedor is Novi's only female varsity coach

'Inner-directed people prefer exercise'

Inner-directed people, who probe their own psyches and set their own goals, are twice as likely to exercise on a regular basis as outer-directed personalities, who conform to standards set by society.

So says Professor Christine Brooks of The University of Michigan Division of Physical Education, who completed a study of more than 19,000 Americans to determine who exercises and why.

Her analysis was based on 1984 data collected by Simmons Market Research, Inc. Hypothesizing that values govern behavior, Brooks applied a Stanford Research Institute VALS (Values, Attitudes, Lifestyle) model to the data.

Brooks found that inner-directed people, who made up 18 percent of the sample population, exercised the most. She speculates that they did so because inner-directed people are likely to take responsibility for their health and their lives overall.

"They also seem able to think in terms of future time . . . to see themselves as they will be when they get old," she said, "so they plan for the years ahead."

Outer-directed personalities, however, accept the norms of others and do not internalize their own goals. "They expect a doctor to be responsible for their health," Brooks said. "They are also less able to project themselves in time so they don't plan for the future."

During their early 20s, more than one-quarter of the inner-directed adults in the sample exercised regularly . . . that is, more than once a week. When they hit their late 20s, the percentage jumped. "Almost one-third of them were exercising regluarly at that stage," Brooks said.

In their late 30s and early 40s, the numbers dropped off, but one-quarter of this group still exercised 60 days or more a year.

Outer-directed types, who made up 74 percent of the sample, were considerable less interested in fitness. They fell into three sub-groups — the high achievers, the emulators and the belongers.

"High achievers (leaders and builders of the American dream who tend to be in their late 30s and early 40s) are often spectator sports enthusiasts who would rather watch than participate," Brooks said. "Apparently, unless they can see a clear relationship between achievements, promotions and exercise, they are not likely to do more than walk to the stadium."

For example, only 15 percent of the achievers exercised regularly compared to 25 percent of the inner-directed people who were in the same general age range.

"That may be why," Brooks added, "corporate fitness programs generally have low success rates. They don't stress the connections between fitness and success."

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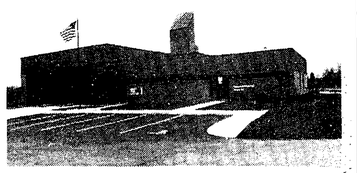

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To help you understand your plan, the Michigan Association of CPAs outlines the essential characteristics of the four major retirement plans: defined benefit, defined contribution, deferred compensation and profit sharing.

DEFINED BENEFIT pension plans provide a promise to pay participants benefits over a period of years after retirement. The benefits are determined by such factors as the individual's age, years of service and total wages earned. As a participant in this plan, you accrue benefits payable at a predetermined time in the future. Your benefits are funded by employer contributions which can fluctuate depending on statistics of the life expectancy of the participants and investment computations.

DEFINED CONTRIBUTION plans require individual accounts for each plan participant. The amount you will receive from the plan depends upon your employer and employee contributions, the income, expenses, gains and losses credited to your account.

Under a defined contribution plan, the contribution rate is generally determined by the participant's salary, profits of the employer or both.

When a participant retires or withdraws from the plan, the amount allocated to the participant's account represents his or her accumulated benefit and it may be paid to the participant or used to purchase an annuity. In contrast to defined benefit plans, the amount of benefits a participant will ultimately receive is not determined until the time of distribution.

As a participant, you benefit from successful investments by the trustees, but also bear the risk of investment loss, according to CPAs.

One example of a defined contribution is a money purchase plan. Here, your employer's contributions are based on a definite formula, irrespective of profits. Usually the employer's annual contribution is a fixed percentage of your compensation. For example, the plan might provide that each year your employer will contribute on your behalf 10 percent of your compensation for that year.

A **PROFIT SHARING PLAN** is when a company agrees to make a contribution, at its discretion, out of profits. Amounts contributed to the plan are invested and accumulate tax free for eventual distribution to participants or their beneficiaries either at retirement, after a fixed number of years or upon the occurrence of some specified event such as disability, death or termination of employment.

Unlike a defined benefit plan or a money purchase pension plan, contributions are based on a percentage of profits. If the employer has no profit in a given year, no contribution could be made for that year unless the plan provides for contributions from prior retained earnings.

A good example here is a stock bonus plan. As a participant, you are given the option of receiving your benefit payments in the form of company stock. Just as in profit sharing plans, it's up to the employer to decide each year how much, if anything, he or she wants to contribute.

The fourth retirement plan is called **DEFERRED COMPENSATION.** The easiest way to explain this plan is to describe one of its more well-known options, the 401(k). This is a deferred payment plan in the form of a salary reduction agreement where your savings dollars are deducted from your gross income and your interest is tax deferred. Depending upon the percentage of your annual salary that you elect to contribute to the plan, your employer may also make a contribution. Since this varies from plan to plan, it is wise to consult with your employer to find out exactly what they offer.

Benefits may not be distributed until you retire, become disabled, die or reach age 59½. Earlier distribution is possible, but only in certain hardship cases.

Many of the above mentioned plans provide vested benefits, those that are available to an employee at retirement even if he or she leaves the company's employment before the age of retirement. Vesting occurs after you have worked for your employer a prescribed period of time.

Which is the best plan? Your employer chooses a plan according to certain objectives, the amount of money the company can contribute and the ages of those who choose to participate or who automatically are covered. Chances are your plan incorporates an investment feature which, if managed well, will enhance your retirement plan. CPAs suggest you find out what the investment policies are, what the fund's track record is and vesting provisions.

Also ask if the fund's investment performance is audited. You'll have greater confidence in an audited report of your plan. A summary that explains your plan in detail should be available from your employer.

Realtors predict rising home costs

As listings continue decline, resale homes could see record spring market with rising prices.

The sales pace for local existing homes began gathering speed in February for what many Realtors see as a record spring selling season.

Metro MLS, the state's largest multiple listing service, reported sales of 1,463 single family homes and condominiums by its members in February. This represented a jump of some 21 percent over January and left 1987 sales about seven percent above the near-record pace of last year.

"With mortgage interest rates at 10-year lows attracting buyers, this may be the best market for sellers we have seen since 1978," said Metro MLS president Jerome A. Delaney.

"Our sales-to-listing ratio in February was above 65 percent overall and even better in many areas we cover. The average stay on the market for most listings is now down to 30 to 45 days.

"But, in the most popular locations, homes that are in good condition and not over-priced are moving off our lists within a week or two. We think this type of market will remain evident throughout the spring months. We hope prospective sellers will get their properties in top condition to take advantage of it."

Delaney said listings, which last year dropped to their lowest point in the 1980s, are continuing to decline. The 1987 pace is more than 16 percent below a year ago.

"We are not quite ready to call it a seller's market because there are still many good listings in most areas with a good selection of price ranges," he said. "But, we seem to be heading in that direction.

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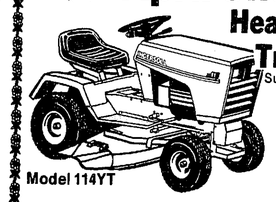

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Business Briefs

STEVE LYNN is heading the management team at the new Big Wheel discount department store in Highland. The store, located at 560 M-59, celebrated its grand opening March 14.

Craig Loree, Ray Sopha and Jean McCandlish are the assistant managers at the store.

Lynn joined the Big Wheel chain in 1973. Prior to accepting the new position, he served as manager of the Big Wheel in Hastings. In his new position, he is responsible for handling the overall day-to-day operations of the store.

Lynn, his wife Lonna and their three children live in Highland Township.

As softlines assistant manager, Loree is responsible for the fashion clothing and domestics departments. He recently served as seasonal assistant manager at the Big Wheel in Battle Creek and has been employed with the company for one year. Loree received a degree in management from Youngstown (Ohio) State University.

Sopha, hardlines assistant manager, oversees all non-fashion departments including hardware, sporting goods, automotive, health and beauty aids and housewares. He has been employed by Big Wheel more than six years and recently served as a member of the reset team at the Big Wheel in Howell.

McCandlish, seasonal hardlines assistant manager, is responsible for assisting nine hardlines seasonal departments during peak periods. She has been employed by Big Wheel since 1984 and previously filled the same position at the Big Wheel in Hastings.

The Highland Big Wheel is Michigan's 26th discount department store operated by the Pennsylvania-based corporate office. Big Wheel stores are located in Michigan, Ohio, Pennsylvania, West Virginia, New York, Connecticut, Rhode Island and Indiana.

LYNN FIELDS of Northville recently was promoted to the position of unit claim manager for Allstate Insurance Company in the Southfield Regional office.

Fields began her career with Allstate in the clerical department in 1977. Prior to her promotion to unit manager, she held positions of claim representative and senior property claim representative in Allstate's Farmington Hills Office. She currently is a member of Allstate's Special Investigation Unit in Southfield.

CHARLES M. YOUNG, FIC, of Novi has earned membership in Lutheran Brotherhood's 1986 Leaders' Club. The Leaders' Club is one of the fraternal benefit society's top sales honors.

Representatives qualify for membership based on sales of insurance and investment products to Lutherans. Lutheran Brotherhood and its subsidiaries offer life an health insurance, annuities and mutual funds.

Young is associated with Lutheran Brotherhood's Karl Mueller Agency in Rochester.

Lutheran Brotherhood has over $18 billion in life insurance in force and more than $5 billion in assets under management. In 1986, the Society allocated nearly $28 million to its fraternal programs in support of its members, their communities and Lutheran activites.

THE NOVI HILTON has earned the American Automobile Association's four-diamond rating to rank it among the nation's best accommodations, according to AAA Michigan.

Twenty-six Michigan lodging establishments received the four-diamond rating.

"The four-diamond award is given to accommodations which significantly exceed AAA requirements for service and hospitality," explained AAA Michigan Touring Manager James Drury.

"Each of these establishments provides guests with superior facilities and the extra touches that elevate a good lodging to an excellent one." Only about seven percent of the more than 181,000 accommodations ranked by AAA in the United States, Canada and Mexico receive the four-diamond rating. There are no five-diamond establishments in Michigan.

Diamond ratings appear next to listings in the 1987 Michigan/Wisconsin TourBook, which will be available at AAA Michigan offices in May.

HELEN L. ESTIGOY of Northville has been appointed Senior Account Clerk in the Housing Office at the Eastern Michigan University. The appointment was approved by the E.M.U. Board of Regents at its monthly meeting February 25.

JOSEPH J. HANISH of Northville has been promoted to coordinator of special products and syndicate offerings at A.G. Edwards of Birmingham. The promotion was announced by Paul J. Pickner, vice president and branch manager of the full service brokerage firm with offices throughout Michigan.

Noting that the investment firm is celebrating its 100th anniversary this year, Pickner stated it attributes its "longevity to our quality personnel in the management and sales areas of investments."

ANN KELLY of Century 21 Suburban, Northville, has been presented with the prestigious Centurion Award for selling over $5 million or more of residential real estate in 1986. She was presented with the Centurion Award along with eight other sales associates at Century 21 Michigan offices throughout the state.

"I was thrilled to be named a Centurion by Century 21, Kelly said, noting that 1986 was a very good time to buy and sell homes — "and 1987 looks even better. We have been successful by staying attuned to the local market and through the support of a strong reputable organization."

Century 21 of Michigan Inc. has had its fourth consecutive record year in real estate sales. Currently in Michigan, nearly one of every six homes sold by a real estate professional involves a Century 21 salesperson.

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JESSICA A. ROZEMBAUM of Northville has been promoted to the position of Audit Officer in the Auditing Division of National Bank of Detroit (NBD).

A NBD employee more than five years, Rozenbaumn serves as Audit Supervisor in the division. A native of Canton, she holds a BBA degree in Accounting from Eastern Michigan University.

MARC D. CHRISTMAN has been named director of sales by Northwest Airlines for the company's eastern region, headquartered in Detroit.

Christman, who lives in Northville with his wife and two children, is responsible for Northwest's sales and marketing efforts in an area that includes 13 states and three Canadian provinces. He directs a staff of 68 sales personnel who promote Northwest's flight schedules and services to travel agencies and corporate accounts.

Christman joined Northwest in 1974 and most recently was the company's sales manager for the Detroit area. Earlier, he was the airline's sales representative in Cleveland and Cincinnati before moving to the western United States where he was manager of agency and interline sales in Seattle/Tacoma and sales manager in Montana.

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Lawn care company puts stress on safety

By LINDA WEISS

Milford residents will be viewing an abundance of wildflowers this summer if George Yancho of Environmental Lawn Company has his way.

Yancho plans to distribute wildflower seed packets to Milford residents while gaining familiarity with their individual lawn problems.

His lawn maintenance company is the first in Michigan to offer non-toxic, chemical-free fertilizers, weed killers and insect control.

"As I see it, there are two benefits to what we have to offer," said Yancho, whose business operates out of his home in the Village of Goodrich in Genesee County.

"I think there is definitely a health factor benefit and the long-term cost is cheaper than other companies."

Because he was so impressed with Milford's health and safety ordinance protecting children and pets from toxic lawn care, Yancho said he thought residents would appreciate a lawn care company that has safety foremost in mind.

"My main interest in lawn maintenance stems from my love of nature," he proudly stated.

His success as an organic farmer is a sure sign that he and nature are working together for the benefit of everyone.

"At first, I spent a lot of money foolishly by using chemicals, but I now save 40 to 50 percent a year without them. I can pass the savings and the know-how on at the same time so that others can benefit from my experience," said the 32-year-old lawn expert.

Yancho's fertilizer business currently serves about 500 customers. For $25, Yancho will inspect a lawn and apply the fertilizer. Depending on individual lawn needs, a customer may request two or three lawn applications per year.

A 1975 graduate of Purdue University, Yancho majored in agriculture while learning how to farm using chemicals.

"I thought I had the cat by the tail when I graduated. It sure looked good on paper: A. Put on weed killers, insecticides and fertilizers; and B. You have a green lawn."

However, Yancho now uses a bacterial insecticide known as B.T.I., instead of the commonly used malathion.

The bacterial insecticide is non-toxic to humans, whereas malathion is a known cancer-causing insecticide. At one time, malathion was considered drinkable, according to Yancho.

"What they once thought was safe is now causing cancer and birth defects. I'm skeptical about many of the lawn and garden chemicals we use today.

"When chemical fertilizers are mixed with herbicides and fungicides we have concoted a new and untested chemical. What will the experts be telling us next year about its safety?" he asked.

He has learned that chemicals create a hard soil, one in which there isn't any life, and that chemicals slowly cause health problems.

Yancho foresees people having to replace lawns in the near future due to the killing of the beneficial bacteria in the soil from chemical abuse.

"Evidence is already appearing. Earthworms can't survive in chemically-treated lawns, and without earthworms there is no aeration. The result is water run-off, even with frequent watering. Organically maintained lawns require much less

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Photo by JOHN GALLOWAY

George Yancho, owner of Environmental Lawn Company, believes the use of chemicals is ultimately dangerous to lawns. A graduate of Purdue University, Yancho claims his lawn maintenance company is the first in Michigan to offer non-toxic, chemical-free fertilizers, weed killers and insect control.

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IRS has own 'April Fool's Day' stories

Money Management

In the spirit of April Fool's Day and with April 15 fast approaching, the time seems right to take a lighthearted look at the 'haves' and 'have nots' in the world of tax deductions, according to the Michigan Association of CPAs.

Will the IRS rule you 'have' or 'have not' taken an allowable tax deduction? Like the standard April Fool's prank, sometimes the outcome can be surprising.

Take the case of the race track enthusiast who won a $21,854 twin double on April 5. Prepared to offset his winnings with his losses, he presented an IRS agent with over $23,000 in losing tickets that he claimed he purchased between April 6 and May 21. Unfortunately, these tickets carried the footprints of the many disgruntled losers who tossed them away. The court only allowed a $2,000 deduction against his winning claims.

Another taxpayer who frequented the race track was able to produce clean, untorn tickets, many with sequential numbering indicating they had been bought at the same time. Plus this race track addict had a kind companion who attested he had never seen the taxpayer pick up discarded tickets. The court allowed the taxpayer to offset his winnings by two-thirds of the amount claimed. Even in the tax world, neatness counts.

Many a businessperson has found it pays to advertise. The law allows advertising to be deductible as an ordinary and necessary business expense since advertising is considered a stimulus for attracting business.

An ingenious gas station owner deducted as a promotional item the cost of beer he made available to his customers. He felt the brew would be more appealing than the trading stamps he had previously given out. The station owner appealed to the court, "Sir, I really don't feel in my heart how a small businessman can be put down because he had an idea and made it work." Yes, he does 'have' a deductible expense, ruled the court after he demonstrated his business increased since offering beer.

Not so lucky was the lawyer who attempted to deduct the cost of operating a boat with a flag proudly displaying the numbers "1040." He told the court when people asked why he had the numbers "1040" on the flag, he explained he specialized in preparing tax returns. The court disallowed the deduction as a result of his failure to "show exactly how and under what circumstances (his) boating activities produced a single fee."

Sometimes, the same case can be both a 'have' and 'have not' as in the case of the three-year old child who suffered from lead poisoning from the paint on the outside of his home. Both his doctor and the local health department required the lead-based paint be removed from any surface the child could reach. It was ruled the costs of removing paint up to four feet from the ground were deductible as a medical expense and the costs of removing paint above this line were not deductible.

The court determined since the boy could not reach that high, there was no medical reason for this additional expenses. One wonders if the parents will be allowed future medical deductions as the child grows.

Subscriptions to professional magazines are considered a deductible expense of being an employee. But to qualify for a deduction, the periodicals must be required by the needs of a person's employment.

A good example — an IRS field agent, who spent most of his time working at the offices of corporations under examination, was often away from the resources of the library at his IRS office. The cost of his subscription to the Journal of Taxation was therefore ruled deductible. But the deduction claimed by a grade-school teacher who said she subscribed to certain periodicals because they appealed to her students, did not meet the IRS approval. Among the periodicals she subscribed to were Architectural Digest, Consumer's Union and House Beautiful. A definite 'have not.'

The travel expenses of a businessperson's spouse generally are not deductible because of the presumption the spouse is along for pleasure rather than business.

Yet when a Walt Disney production executive traveled on business, he almost always took his wife. On these trips she did nothing classified as business-related. But because the company specializes in family-type, wholesome entertainment based on the ideals of mom and apple pie, Disney's management believed the company's image would be enhanced if its executives traveled with their spouses. The deduction was allowed on the grounds the dominant purpose of her presence on the trip was to serve in her husband's business purpose. Mickey Mouse scores a 'have.'

Another 'have' and 'have not' situation: A taxpayer with a cardiac condition who purchased a recliner on his doctor's advice was allowed a medical-care deduction. But he was cautioned the deduction would only be allowed under the condition such "equipment" was not generally used as a piece of furniture. So, if your neighbor asks you to not sit in his favorite rocker, please understand.

If you're not sure whether a deduction you seek is a 'have' or 'have not,' CPAs suggest you consider getting professional advice. Don't be an April Fool.

Expert on lawn care dislikes chemical use

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watering," he stressed.

Yancho's method of soil testing differs from the soil tests performed by most other companies in that he focuses on what nutrients are available to the plant.

He claims that an excess of nitrogen will cause a potassium deficiency and disturb bacteria in the soil.

"If you use fertilizer beyond the corrective point, it will lead to massive disruption of the life system in the soil and a stressed lawn will be the result.

"If you feed your lawn a well-balanced diet and learn a few tricks of the trade, your lawn will be healthy and stress-free," he emphasized.

Maintaining a lawn without using toxic chemicals is less expensive once the soil is back in balance, according to Yancho.

"A chemically-abused lawn takes a little extra care the first season, but minimal upkeep (one treatment a season or less) is the long-term benefit.

"Organic fertilizers are slower acting than chemical fertilizers and take longer to break down, so they will still be in the soil the next year. And your lawn will not be as susceptible to burning while using organic fertilizers," Yancho continued.

Diazinon is a chemical that is commonly used on lawns by his competitors, Yancho said. It has been restricted from use this year on golf courses and sod farms due to the high number of bird kills.

Another chemical, referred to as 2,4,D, and used by most lawn maintenance companies, has been identified as a cancer-causing and gene-altering chemical.

"That's too close for my comfort," he protested.

"We are now just starting to see the devastating effects from 10 to 20 years of using chemical lawn treatments.

"In two counties in Michigan, FHA (Federal Housing Administration) and VA (Veterans Administration) loans cannot be obtained because of unsafe drinking water attributable to the overuse of lawn and agricultural fertilizers," Yancho said.

Yancho believes the use of lawn chemicals actually encourages weed growth by robbing the soil of its nutrients.

He claims that if consumers put the proper amount of calcium back into the soil, they will be able to combat dandelion growth.

Persons interested in purchasing Yancho's toxic-free products or obtaining his lawn maintenance services can reach him by calling 1-636-2317.

Detroit Edison holds line on costs and prices

The Detroit Edison Company held the line on costs and prices in 1986 — resulting in more value to the dollar for its 1.8 million customers and contributing to the overall effort to encourage jobs and economic development in southeastern Michigan.

Detroit Edison's rates, on average, were essentially the same in 1986 as in 1985. Moreover, in the all-important industrial sector, the company actually lowered rates, helping to retain and attract business and jobs to the area.

The average industrial customer paid 6.17 cents per kilowatt-hour sold in 1986 — 1 percent less than the previous year, according to the newly-released 1986 Annual Report to Shareholders, titled, "Serving Customers Through Competition, Innovation, Leadership and Performance."

Detroit Edison's extensive internal cost-control program — the most ambitious in its history — helped the company hold the line on costs.

In addition to Detroit Edison's cost-control achievements, the company surpassed the 1.8-million-customer mark for the first time in 1986 — reflecting its aggressive economic development programs and a healthier economy in southeastern Michigan.

Electricity sales reached an all-time high of 38 billion kilowatt hours, up 3.7 percent from 1985. The previous record of 37 billion kilowatt hours was set in 1978.

"Increased sales reflected the continued resurgence of Michigan's economy, successes in the continuing shift to a more diversified economy, the increasing shift to electricity in the overall energy mix and Detroit Edison's own aggressive marketing efforts," the report says.

In addition, the report notes than 1986 "marked a spirited rededication to a principle that has guided the company since its founding in 1903 — serving customers in ways which effectively meet their needs to enable the company to grow and prosper."

Overall, earnings for common stock rose for the eighth consecutive year, reaching a record $378.3 million, up 13.2 percent over 1985. Earnings per share, also a record, increased 10.7 percent to $2.58, up 25 cents from $2.33 in 1985.

Operating revenues reached a record $2.869 billion, up 2.9 percent from the $2.788 billion in 1985.

"But these (accomplishments) must be viewed in context with the major disappointment of not bringing Fermi 2 into commercial operation, as well as in perspective with many anticipated 1987 internal and external pressures," the report notes.

Specific achievements during 1986 covered in the report include:

- The Monroe Power Plant's use of a complex mixture of three different types of low-sulfur coal with the aid of computer-controlled coal-blending equipment, saved the company $6 million in 1986.
- The company was the industry leader in developing the technical standards for successfully connecting cogenerators, the report says. Cogeneration typically involves larger industrial customers producing their own electricity and heat.
- SYNDECO, a Detroit Edison subsidiary, is helping the company deal successfully in a competitive environment. Its Powerscan service, for example, tests, inspects and maintains emergency battery systems supporting back-up power for large computer operations.
- Detroit Edison, continuing its long history of leadership, initiated special "incentive rates" to help companies locating or expanding in southeastern Michigan.

Pollution booklet aids small business owners

A new booklet on state pollution control and hazardous waste management programs and services for state businesses is now available, according to State Commerce Director Doug Ross.

Entitled "Pollution Control and Hazardous Waste Management: State Assistance for Michigan Business," the booklet outlines services and incentives available to Michigan businesses to help them meet regulatory requirements and reduce the related costs, Ross said.

"The State of Michigan, while firmly committed to a clean and safe environment, recognizes that pollution control equipment and proper hazardous waste management can be costly," Ross said. "This booklet describes programs and services available to state businesses to help them meet those goals."

Sources of financing, tax incentives and technical assistance services for financing pollution control and hazardous waste management equipment are covered in the booklet's three sections.

The booklet also outlines specific programs and services of the Michigan Strategic Fund, which includes the Industrial Development Revenue Bond Program, the SBA Guaranteed Pollution Control Financing Program and the Capital Access Program.

Other state funding sources cited include the State Research Fund and the Michigan Resource Recovery Loan Program.

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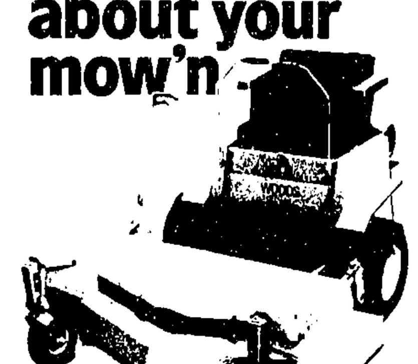

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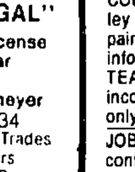

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LOST. Solid gray male cat. Woodland Lake/Hope Lake area, Brighton, (313)227-2743.

MALE Beagle, female German Shepherd lost Saturday, Latson Road between Golf Club and M59. (517)546-0890.

SHELTIE, black/white. Lost near Dutcher and Coon Lake, Reward. (517)548-1864.

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MALE Doberman. (313)878-3956.

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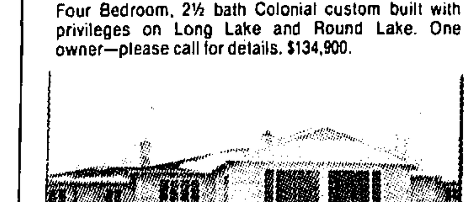

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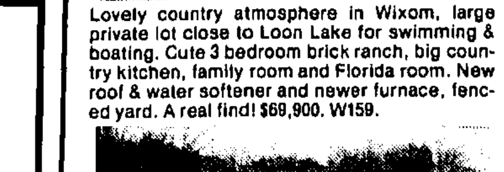

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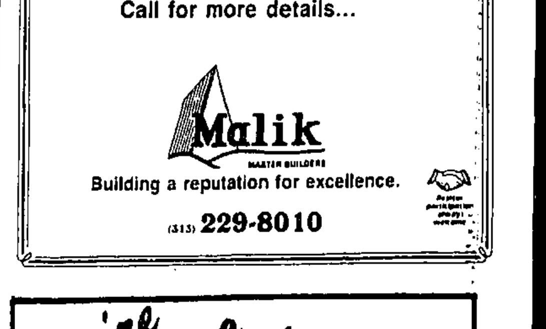

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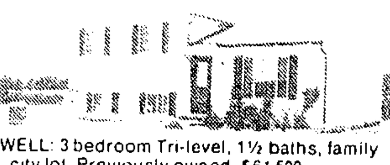

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HOWELL. By owner, in town, 2 story, 3 bedrooms, garage, fenced yard. By appointment only. $69,900. 209 North Tompkins. No realtors. (517)548-3262.

HOWELL. Church Rectory in Ghost Town of Pingree. 10 minutes from I-96. 3 bedroom, 2 story frame, new: carpet, cabinets, dishwasher, well-pump, water heater. Block, 1½ car garage. 24x40 shop. Heated insulated and wired. 1/n acres and pond. $55,000. (517)546-4037.

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SOUTHLYON. 2.88 commercial acres. 1,000 feet. Pontiac Trail frontage. House, garage, city water, sewer. Land Contract terms. Novi Real Estate. (313)348-2525.

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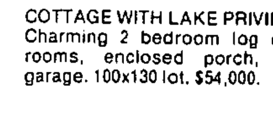

FOWLERVILLE — This 1880's farmhouse is a "MUST SEE," situated on 4 acres of picturesque land, 4 bedrooms, newly remodeled kitchen, some oak woodwork. $57,000. HO-701.

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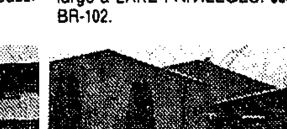
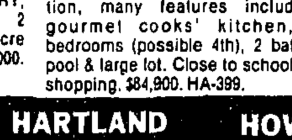


BRIGHTON — 3 bedroom ranch, (1320 sq. ft.), fireplace, 1½ baths, large & LAKE PRIVILEGES. $58,900. BR-102.

PINCKNEY — DON'T BE SORRY, BUY NOW! This delightful 2 bedroom mobile home on ¾ acre with an enclosed porch. $25,000. BR-107.



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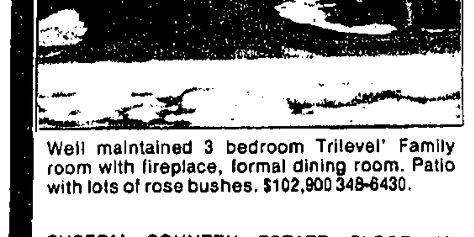

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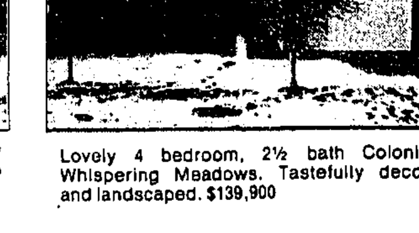

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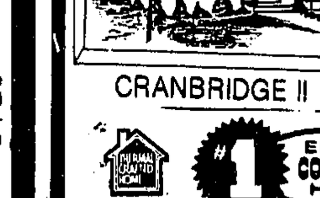

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039 Cemetery Lots For Sale

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061 Houses For Rent

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068 Foster Care

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072 Mobile Home Sites For Rent

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HOWELL area. Housemate wanted: Mature adult (prefer female, non-smoker) to share lakefront home. Private bedroom, lake privileges, $265 a month plus half utilities, rent negotiable to right person. References required, call (517)546-8908 after 6 p.m.

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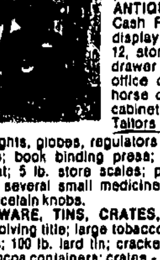

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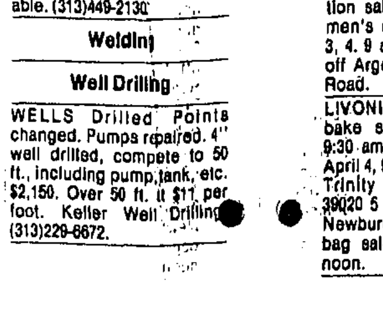
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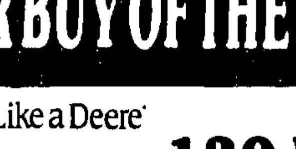
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SECRETARY/WORD Processor. Rapidly growing general contractor requires additional individual. The ideal candidate should have one year of experience in preparing and administering detailed construction proposals. Frequent contact with outside individuals required. Forward resume in confidence to Box 2589, c/o The South Lyon Herald, 101 North Lafayette, South Lyon, MI 48178.

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TYPIST, part-time to start, possible future full-time. Flexible hours. Call (313)344-1200 ask for Kathleen or Mr. Mascar.

161 Help Wanted Day-Care

BABYSITTER. My Brighton home. 2 school aged children, 2 babies. Days, no holidays or weekends. Pay negotiable. (313)229-2828.

BABYSITTER. High School Girl after school. Some evenings. My Brighton Home. (313)229-2628.

BABYSITTER wanted. 1 child. Approximately 12 to 15 days per month, including most Saturdays. Reliable, responsible person with references. (313)437-6458.

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BABYSITTER wanted in my Hartland Home. Monday thru Friday. 7:30 am to 5:30pm. 3 children ages 8,6 and 4. Start April 1. (313)632-5895.

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Mature lady to baby sit in my home. 1 or 2 days per week. 7:30 am to 1 pm. Ages 4½ and 2. 9 Mile and Meadowbrook area. (313)349-1571.

MIDDLE aged trustworthy woman to part-time babysit with elderly woman in Howell area, in private home, Box 2592, Livingston County Press, 323 E. Grand River, Howell Mi. 48843.

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SITTER needed Monday through Friday, 7:15 a.m. to 8:00 a.m. half a day or no school days, part-time summer hours, Hugh-Grand River area. (517)546-7877.

SOMEONE to keep two children ages 11 and 7 in my South Lyon home after school. Must have own transportation and references. Call (313)437-4524 evenings only.

162 Help Wanted Medical

CARE givers needed for private home care. No experience necessary. Flexible hours to fill your schedule. (313)229-5431.

CLARKSIDE DENTAL ASSISTANT. Our growing practice is searching for a bright, well-organized, self-starter who is cheerful and productive under pressure. Experience and education in 4-handed dentistry preferred. Non-smokers call Vern Rile DDS, (313)632-5700.

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DIRECT Care Staff needed. Family Home Care. (313)229-5683.

DIRECT care worker for Highland - Milford area. Group home, M. O. R. C. training preferred but will consider motivated individual with high school diploma or equivalent. Applicants must have flexible schedule and reliable transportation. Contact (313)887-3021.

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Health Care
COORDINATOR OF HEALTH PROMOTION
McPherson Community Health Center, a 136-bed acute care facility, will be establishing a Health Promotion Department and is seeking experienced Coordinator to develop and implement this new service.
Must possess a Bachelors Degree in Health Profession, Education or Marketing. Minimum 1 year experience in community and/or patient education program required.
We are located in Howell, Michigan, a pleasant suburban area between Ann Arbor and Lansing, approximately 45 minutes from Detroit. Excellent salary and contributory benefit program offered. Interested candidates may apply at or send resume to:
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PROFESSIONAL Health Services needs Nurses Aids, LPN's and RN's for immediate openings in Private Duty Home Care and Supplemental Staffing for Livingston and Oakland Counties. Call (313)229-0612.

PROFESSIONAL Health Services seeks part-time/full-time driver for patient transportation. Must have impeccable driving record. Ask for John: (313)229-0619.

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RADIOLOGY ASSISTANT
McPherson Community Health Center has a position opening for a part-time Radiology Assistant to work the day shift.
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McAuley/Mcpherson Urgent Care has a opening for an on-call Registered Radiologic Technologist to work various days and shifts.
Must be currently certified in Basic Life Support and have 6-12 months' radiologic technology experience.
Duties include providing patient care, operating x-ray equipment, conducting tests and working in an emergency environment. Excellent salary and some benefits.
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REGISTERED NURSES
McPherson Community Health Center is a 136-bed hospital that provides a special quality of caring. The Center meets the needs of our patients with a high level of individualized compassion as well as being conducive to professional nursing at its best. We currently have both full and part-time positions available. If you are committed to nursing excellence, join us in one of the following areas:
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RESPIRATORY THERAPIST
McPherson Community Health Center, a 136-bed acute care hospital, is actively recruiting a part-time Respiratory Therapist.
Must be currently certified as a Respiratory Therapist or registry eligible, and have a minimum of 1 year experience. Excellent salary and some benefits.
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163 Help Wanted Nursing Homes

ACTIVITY Director sought for 189 bed health care facility in Livingston County. Experience desireable. Energetic, creative persons. Send resume to: Greenbriar Care Center, 3003 West Grand River, Howell MI 48843. E.O.E.

AIDES and orderlies are needed in our Geriatric Department. All shifts available. Experienced or we will train. Contact: Personnel at Greenbrier Care Center, Howell. (517)546-4210. E.O.E.

AIDES and orderlies - RCU Unit at Greenbriar Care Center has full-time and part-time openings on the AM and PM shift. Contact Cheryl Hanna DON, (517)546-4210. E.O.E.

ASSISTANT to the activity director needed for 101 bed nursing home. Experience not necessary. Energetic and caring person. Call (313)685-1400, or apply at: West Hickory Haven, 3310 W. Commerce Rd. Milford, 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. weekdays.

COOK: Full-time day position in Nursing Home in Novi. Prefer experience but will train. Excellent Benefits and Career advancement opportunities within Beverly Manor: 24500 Meadowbrook Road, Novi.

163 Help Wanted Nursing Homes

COOKS and Dietary Aides for 50-bed Nursing Home. Training available. Apply: West Winds Nursing Home, Union Lake, (313)363-9400.

DIATARY Department at Greenbriar Care Center Howell has part-time openings for PM shift, 4 pm to 8 pm. (517)546-4210 for interview.

FEEDING help needed in our nursing home. 7 a.m. to 9 a.m. or 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. No experience necessary. Will train. Call (313)685-1400. West Hickory Haven, 3310 W. Commerce Road, Milford. 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. weekdays.

HOUSEKEEPING
Full-time day shift position available. 6:30 am to 2 p.m. No experience necessary. Call (313)349-2640. Whitehall Convalescent Home, 43455 W. 10 Mile, Novi.

HOUSEKEEPING Aide: Nursing home in Novi needs your caring attitude to help keep our facility clean. Full-time or Part-time on days. Excellent working enviroment. Apply within Beverly Manor: 24500 Meadowbrook Road, Novi.

LIVINGSTON Care Center is now accepting applications for RNs and LPNs. Full-time and part-time. Apply at 1333 W. Grand River, Howell. E. O. E. (517)548-1900.

LIVINGSTON Care Center is now hiring aides and orderlies, full-time, part-time, flexible hours available on all shifts. Apply at Livingston Care Center, 1333 West Grand River, Howell. (517)548-1800. E.O.E.

LIVINGSTON Care Center is now accepting applications for part-time RN's, DAY SHIFT. 210 bed nursing home. Pleasant atmosphere. Excellent orientation and benefits. Apply at: Livingston Care Center, 1333 West Grand River, Howell or call (517)548-1900, ask for Marlene Smith. E.O.E.

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LPN'S needed for weekends, both day shifts and afternoon shifts. Please apply at: Martin Luther Memorial Home, 305 Elm Place, South Lyon. (313)437-2046.

LPNS. Respiratory Care unit at Greenbriar Care Center, Howell, has the following openings. Part-time every other weekend on afternoon shift. Full and part-time on the Midnight shift. Contact Cheryl Hanna, DON. (517)546-4210. EOE.

NURSE AIDES
Full and part-time positions available day and afternoon shift. No experience necessary. Call (313)349-2640. Whitehall Convalescent Home, 43455 W. 10 Mile, Novi.

NURSE Aides needed, full-time days, and part-time afternoons. Please apply at the Martin Luther Memorial Home, 305 Elm Place, South Lyon. (313)437-2046.

NURSE Aide needed, 5 a.m. to 10 a.m. to help residents with morning care. Call (313)685-1400 or apply: West Hickory Haven, 3310 West Commerce Road, Milford. Weekdays, 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

NURSE'S Aides. We train for Certification. All shifts. West Winds Nursing Home, (313)363-9400.

NURSES Aids and Orderlies needed afternoons. Will train. Call (313)685-1400 or apply at: West Hickory Haven, 3310 W. Commerce Rd., Milford. 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. weekdays.

PHYSICAL Therapist needed part-time in the geriatric and specialized units care. Pleasant rural environment. Accessible from Ann Arbor and Lansing. (517)546-4210.

163 Help Wanted Nursing Homes

RN, director of nurses, for 50-bed basic nursing home, training provided. Westwinds Nursing Home, Union Lake, (313)363-9400.

RN needed every other weekend on the day shift. Please apply at Martin Luther Memorial Home, 305 Elm Place, South Lyon. (313)437-2046.

TAKING applications for nurses aides, all shifts, immediate openings at Stanmarie Nursing Home. For further information call (313)729-3113, Monday-Friday, between 9 a.m. and 3 p.m.

164 Help Wanted Restaurant

BARTENDERS, wait people. Apply in person: Elks Club, 2830 East Grand River, Howell. (517)546-9196.

BREAKFAST cook or afternoon cook. Northville Crossroads Restaurant, 18900 Northville Road. Apply in person after 4 p.m.

BUS BOYS
Dishwasher, days or nights. Full or part-time. Will train. Flexible hours. (313)348-8234.

CONEY Joes reliable full time person for waitressing and food preparation. Flexible schedule but able to work all shifts. Apply in person 116 W. Grand River Brighton.

COOK for days. Apply in person. 117 N. Michigan Ave, Lynn's Side Street Cafe, Howell.

COOKS
Days or nights, part-time. Will train. Flexible hours. $3.50 per hour. (313)348-8234.

COOKS. Denny's is now interviewing for cooking positions. Full and part-time openings are now available. We offer a starting salary of up to $6.50 per hour. Paid vacations, medical/dental benefits and profit sharing. Apply at: Denny's Restaurant at 27750 Novi Road, next to 12 Oaks Mall Monday through Friday. Equal Opportunity Employer.

COOKS, Dishwashers, and pantry help. Above average pay. Day and night Wait staff and Bus staff. Apply at: G. Wilkins, 1200 Brighton Rd. Fenton, New Hudson. (313)437-7693.

COOKS, experienced, flexible hours. Apply at Country Coach Dairy, 21300 Novi Road, Northville.

DISHWASHERS, bus help. Denny's now interviewing for dishwasher help. Full and part-time openings are now available. We offer a starting salary of up to $4.50 per hour. Paid vacations, medical/dental benefits and profit sharing. Apply at: Denny's Restaurant at 27750 Novi Road, next to 12 Oaks Mall Monday through Friday. Equal Opportunity Employer.

DISHWASHER, full-time, days. Also, cook and wait person positions open. Apply in person: Lil' Chef Restaurant, Brighton. (313)227-5520.

EXPERIENCED part-time evening cook, Tuesday through Saturday, 3 p.m. to 9 p.m. Crawfords of Northville, 160 E. Main. (313)349-2900.

FULL-TIME day dishwasher. Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Crawfords of Northville, 160 E. Main. (313)349-2900.

164 Help Wanted Restaurant

KITCHEN help and waitpersons needed. Flexible Hours. (517)548-2900.

LOOKING for full-time day help and part-time night help. Flexible scheduling. Up to $5 an hour starting pay with experience. Apply at A&W, Twelve Oaks Mall between 2 p.m. and 5 p.m., Monday through Friday.

MCDONALD'S of Brighton now hiring for all shifts. Above minimum wage pay. Apply within.

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Great opportunity for career minded individuals. Salary commensurate with experience. Minimum starting rate $13,000 Benefits. Apply at the following locations
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Wixom Rd. & I-96
WIXOM
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NEW Carry out opened, E.G. Nick's, looking for counterpersons, pizza makers, and mature person for day shift. Full and part-time. Also cooks for full-service restaurant next door. Apply in person at E.G. Nick's, 9060 West Maple, West Bloomfield.

O'CONNORS Deli seeking night counter help and delivery persons. Apply at 5974 Grand River, Brighton.

PART-TIME HELP NEEDED. TOUCH OF ITALY PIZZERIA. APPLY IN PERSON ONLY AFTER 4 P.M. 5684 E. GRAND RIVER, HOWELL.

SALAD bar attendants, cooks and waitresses needed for days and afternoons. Full-time or part-time. Apply in person, Brighton Big Boy.

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WAITPERSONS
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WAITRESSES and salad bar persons needed for midnights. Midnight to 7 a.m. Full-time. Brighton Big Boy. Apply in person.

WALDENWOODS Resort dining room Manager/lead waitperson. Experienced only. Seeking mature and social supervisor with flexible schedule for resort djining. Serving experience a must. Compensation open. Phone for appointment. (313)632-6400.

165 Help Wanted

1987 Start something new. World's largest needlecraft company seeking 5 demonstrators for in-home classes. Top dollars, free crafts. Call Becky, (313)227-1698.

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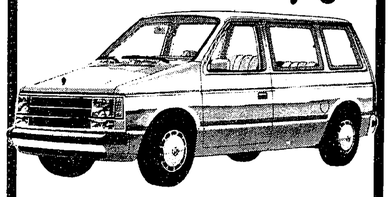
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19th century vegetables take root

By Michele M. Fecht

For our 19th century ancestors, Boston Marrow, Early Jersey Wakefield and Red Wethersfield were common fare on the American dinner table.

While the names may be unfamiliar to most modern cooks, these varieties of squash, cabbage and onion could be found in virtually any 19th century garden.

Though vegetables such as Egyptian beets (introduced from Europe around 1865) and Hollow Crown parsnips (a variety grown before 1850) cannot be found in the produce section of today's market, these antique varieties are making a comeback in heirloom gardens.

Alongside the zucchini, beefsteak tomatoes and acorn squash, more and more modern gardeners are planting seeds of 19th century vegetable varieties.

While many old fruits and vegetables are lost forever — there are few seeds remaining for old pea, cucumber or muskmelon varieties — heirloom seeds and plantings are cropping up in today's gardens.

"The idea of heirloom gardening appealed to me because of its history," explains Margaret Schmidt, Novi 4-H leader and avid gardener. "It really put new life into my garden."

Schmidt tried her hand at heirloom gardening last year on her five-acre homestead off Wixom Road. Among the varieties she sampled were Yellow Plum tomatoes (better for preserving than eating raw), Boston Marrow squash ("it's the best squash we've ever eaten") and Scarlet Runner beans (distinguished by their bright red blossoms).

In addition, Schmidt planted Egyptian beets and Green Boston lettuce (also called Tennis Ball).

With seeds purchased from the Cornell University Heirloom Vegetable Garden Project, Schmidt says she hopes to duplicate the success she had with her first heirloom crops when planting begins this month for her new garden.

She notes that some of her ideas for her garden came from Monticello, Thomas Jefferson's home in Charlottesville, Va. Jefferson is said to have grown some 250 varieties of vegetables.

"I would never want to grow a whole heirloom garden," Schmidt explains, noting that some heirloom varieties are not to her liking. She also notes she's partial to certain modern varieties such as her Illinois extra sweet corn.

She explains that many gardeners will try companion planting, although the results may be unexpected.

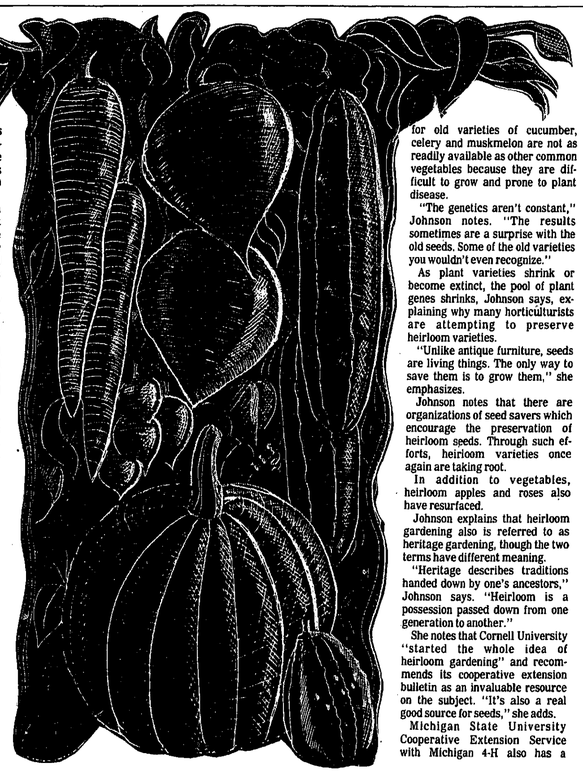
"I crossed Green Hubbard squash with Connecticut Field pumpkin," Schmidt notes, "and got orange-green Hubbard squash."

The varieties of heirloom vegetables are limited, explains Gail Johnson, a former 4-H agent for Livingston County who now is working with Michigan 4-H.

She says that many old varieties fell out of favor and eventually became extinct with the introduction of improved, higher quality varieties. (Some 19th century crops such as sea kale, cardoon and burnet have been preserved because of their uniqueness.)

Johnson says that because many old varieties of common vegetable types have been replaced by heartier varieties, gardeners should not expect the same yield from heirloom vegetables.

Gardeners also should realize that modern vegetable varieties have the advantages of hybrid seeds, Johnson explains. Heirloom seeds — authentic in their antiquity — may need special care and attention and are susceptible to plant disease. For instance, some seeds



for old varieties of cucumber, celery and muskmelon are not as readily available as other common vegetables because they are difficult to grow and prone to plant disease.

"The genetics aren't constant," Johnson notes. "The results sometimes are a surprise with the old seeds. Some of the old varieties you wouldn't even recognize."

As plant varieties shrink or become extinct, the pool of plant genes shrinks, Johnson says, explaining why many horticulturists are attempting to preserve heirloom varieties.

"Unlike antique furniture, seeds are living things. The only way to save them is to grow them," she emphasizes.

Johnson notes that there are organizations of seed savers which encourage the preservation of heirloom seeds. Through such efforts, heirloom varieties once again are taking root.

In addition to vegetables, heirloom apples and roses also have resurfaced.

Johnson explains that heirloom gardening also is referred to as heritage gardening, though the two terms have different meaning.

"Heritage describes traditions handed down by one's ancestors," Johnson says. "Heirloom is a possession passed down from one generation to another."

She notes that Cornell University "started the whole idea of heirloom gardening" and recommends its cooperative extension bulletin as an invaluable resource on the subject. "It's also a real good source for seeds," she adds.

Michigan State University Cooperative Extension Service with Michigan 4-H also has a publication available on heritage gardening.

"Heirloom gardening is definitely something that is catching on," she says.

Aside from the actual growing process, the history and folklore behind the heirloom varieties enhance the experience, Johnson says.

She notes, for instance, that tomatoes once were regarded as poisonous and only used for ornamental purposes (Thomas Jefferson grew tomatoes in 1781). By the mid-19th century they were quite common. Among the heirloom tomato varieties currently available are the Ponderosa (introduced in 1891), the Red Pear (grown before 1850 by the Indians of Mexico and Central America) and the Yellow Plum (circa 1865).

Johnson explains that cooking with heirloom vegetables is no different from cooking with any other vegetable. While the texture and taste of heirloom vegetables may differ slightly from the modern varieties, their uses are the same.

Schmidt notes that the heirloom vegetables in her garden are similar enough to modern varieties that she has had no trouble cooking with them.

"Basically, vegetables are vegetables," she says.

Information available on heirloom gardening includes:

☐ *"The Heirloom Vegetable Garden: Gardening in the 19th Century," Bulletin No. 177, Cornell University. Copies of the booklet are available for $3 each. Write to Roger A. Kline, Senior Extension Associate, Heirloom Vegetable Garden Project, Department of Vegetable Crops, Plant Science Building, Cornell University, Ithica, N.Y. 14853-0327.*

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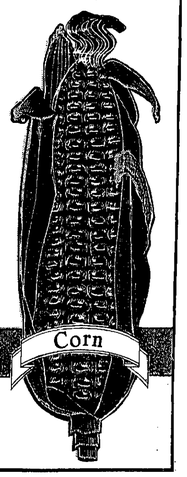

'Storytellers' featured at Novi library program

By JEANNE CLARKE
special writer

Storytellers Mary Hamilton and Sarah McCoy will present an evening of family entertainment at the Novi Public Library on Thursday, April 9, at 7 p.m.

Reservations are not necessary, but seating will be limited. The program is geared for anyone five years old or older, including adults.

A children's movie titled "Santiago's Ark" will be shown at the library this Saturday, April 4, at 1 p.m. A children's craft day is slated for Saturday, April 11, when children will learn about the Easter Bunny. Four and five year olds will meet at 1 p.m. and children six-and-over will meet at 2 p.m. Advance registration is required. Call the library at 349-0720 to register or for more information.

The Friends of Novi Library will hold their annual patron drive during the week of April 5-11. Anyone who makes a contribution to the group will receive a pen.

The Friends continue to look for more members to assist them with their various projects on behalf of the library. They recently sponsored an author/luncheon attended by more than 80 people. The Friends also are joining forces with the Novi Community Education Department to bring "Project Literacy" to Novi. Volunteers are needed to serve as tutors for adults who wish to improve their reading skills through the program.

The Friends also are accepting donations of used books for their annual book sale which will be held in October. Donors can receive receipts for tax purposes. For more information call the library at 349-0720.

Novi Highlights

ORCHARD HILLS PTO: The Orchard Hills PTO will sponsor its next "school spirit day" this Friday, April 3, when the theme will be "Frontier Days." Students and teachers are encouraged to come dressed as cowboys, indians and pioneers, but guns may not be worn. There will be a school assembly featuring the Novi 4-H Club's Jug Band.

March has been a busy month at Orchard Hills with numerous school activities. The school celebrated National Teachers Day, enjoyed an assembly by the Mercyaires from Mercy High School and attended an assembly on wildlife put on by the Huron-Clinton Metroparks nature team.

Fourth graders took a field trip to Cranbrook, attended a MEAP Honors Night and traveled to the Upper Elementary School to see the spring musical put on by fifth graders. The school also celebrated Reading Incentive Month during March with special thanks going to Annmarie Buggell and Gerry Resciniti for their help with moving into the new media center.

The next family rollerskating party will be held at the Bonaventure on Wednesday, April 8, at 6:30 p.m.

The annual Art Fair/Ice Cream Social will be held Thursday, April 30. The PTO has purchased four sets of risers and two sets of large motor skills equipment for the school.

The PTO meeting for April has been cancelled. The next PTO meeting will be held May 11.

FAITH PRESBYTERIAN: Faith Community Presbyterian Church is celebrating the Lenten season with a series of sermons on the theme "Pilgrimmage in Faith." The sermon this Sunday at the 9:30 and 11 a.m. services is entitled "These Bones Will Live."

Faith Community will celebrate Palm Sunday (April 12) by passing out palm fronds and collecting donations for One Great House of Sharing.

The church will present a Seder Meal on Maundy Thursday and join other Novi congregations for the annual Good Friday ecumenical service at the Holy Family Catholic Church on April 17.

The Fellowship Group has reserved 50 tickets to see "South Pacific" at the Marquis Theatre in Northville on April 10. Tickets can be obtained at the church office by calling 349-5666.

Plans are under way for Daily Vacation Bible School which will begin July 27 with a theme of "Marketplace — 29 A.D." Coordinating plans are Sheila Henderson, Debra Hurt and Wendy Harfoot.

NOVI BAPTIST CHURCH: The First Baptist Church of Novi is sponsoring a "Focus on the Family" film series featuring one of America's leading Christian authorities on the family, James C. Dobson.

Dobson is an associate clinical professor of pediatrics at the University of Southern California's School of Medicine and author of "Dare to Discipline: The Strong-willed Child."

The series will continue this Sunday, April 5, at 6 p.m. when the film is entitled "Preparing for Adolescence — Peer Pressure and Sexuality."

On Wednesday, April 8, at 7:30 p.m. the program will be titled "What Wives Wish their Husbands Knew about Women: Money, Sex and Children." And on Sunday, April 12, at 6 p.m. the program will be titled ""What Wives Wish their Husbands Knew about Women: The Lonely Housewife."

Special guests at the 11 a.m. service this Sunday, April 5, will be the choir from the New Tribes Bible Institute. A potluck luncheon will follow the service and concert.

Sunday school students are involved in a contest to win prizes. Dave Wybo is captain of the "Bounty" team, Dave Stanley is captain of the "Buccaneer" team and Ron Harlow is captain of the "Jolly Roger" team.

Teams will earn gold coins for bringing vistors, rubies for attendance, diamonds for bringing Bibles and emeralds for good behavior. The winning team will earn a trip.

Bus transportation is available to anyone wishing to attend services at the First Baptist Church of Novi. To arrange for transportation call 349-3477.

BOY SCOUT TROOP 407: Dick Russel from the Boy Scout Council attended Court of Honor ceremonies for Novi Boy Scout Troop 407 to present awards for boys and leaders who hiked the Chief Pontiac Trail last November.

Scouts who received awards were Brett VanDyke, Brian Miller, Scott Gross and Jeff Simancek. Adults receiving awards were Jim Young and Jay Simancek. The Chief Pontiac Trail is an 18-mile hike from M-59 at Highland to Proud Lake and Kensington Lake.

Jeff Simancek also received a safety merit badge and his Star Award. Scott Gross received a communications merit badge and the Life Rank. Brett VanDyke received merits badges for communications and metal work. And Matt Hoffman received the Life Rank.

Stewart Myers received his first rank, and Dan Lykins and Josh Riggs received their second ranks.

LIONS CLUB: District Govenor Ed Janis of Sterling Heights was the special guest when the Novi Lions Club held its annual Ladies Night program at the Country Epicure last Wednesday.

The nominating committee of Earl Bailey, Dick Faulkner and James Patera has prepared a slate of officers for next year. Elections will be held at the April 23 meeting, and new officers will begin their terms in July.

The Lions sponsored a charity basketball game last Friday under the direction of Todd Faulkner and Tom Marcus. Members of the club played a team from radio station WHYT. Profits will be used for the club's service projects.

The Lions have acquired a wheel chair which can be loaned out for special purposes. Steve Surowiec is in charge of screening applicants for the wheel chair. The Lions also have purchased several pairs of glasses for individuals who are unable to afford them.

President Leo Buffa will attend the state convention in Battle Creek this weekend.

NOVI: NOVI is the name of a new group being formed by the Novi Community Education Advisory Council and the Novi Parks and Recreation Commission to coordinate the activities of Novi's numerous community service groups and avoid duplication.

One project being studied is the possibility of purchasing a bus that could be used by community service groups when the need arises. Organizations that have been represented at exploratory meetings include Novi Youth Assistance, Novi Jaycees and Novi Parks and Recreation.

The group will hold its next meeting on April 29 at the Novi Upper Elementary School at 7 p.m. More information is available from Clara Porter at 348-1200 or Dan Davis at 349-1976.

AGAPE SINGERS: The Agape Singers is a group of 25 men and women who provide musical entertainment for senior citizens and other groups throughout the area.

The Singers are led by Ron Ward and rehearse every Monday night at the Church of the Holy Family on Meadowbrook Road. Greg Liptow and Ed Ringel accompany the group on guitars.

The Agape Singers currently are presenting a program titled "American Adventure." The program begins with songs like "New York, New York" and then musically across the United States to the west with songs like "Oklahoma" and "Deep in the Heart of Texas." The program also includes a magic act by "The Great Renaldo."

The Singers have presented their program at the Marion West Senior Citizen Center and the Parmington Place Senior Citizen Center. They have an upcoming performance at the McNamara Towers in Livonia.

PERSONALS: Ed and Winnie Dobek belatedly celebrated their 45th wedding anniversary with a five-day trip through Kentucky, West Virginia, Pennsylvania and Washington, D.C.

Karen Harding was guest of honor at a bridal shower given by Kathy Dahlin, Helen Tewkesbury, Tiffany Lenzi and Lisa Mroz. Eighteen guests attended, including Karen's grandmother, Elsie Rodie of Windsor. Karen will marry John Dron of Redford in May.

The Rev. and Mrs. Terry Domstad, missionaries from Thailand, visited the Holt Baptist Church last Sunday and had dinner with former Novi residents, Mr and Mrs. Kevin Hornback and their children.

Keith Schultz, a student at Faithway Baptist College in Ypsilanti, is working on his internship this year at the First Baptist Church of Novi. He is concentrating on the bus program. He was the dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Burgess last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Porter have returned from a vacation to the western states. After flying to Las Vegas, they traveled 2,100 miles by car to see the country before returning to Las Vegas and flying back to Novi.

PIN POINTERS: Adrienne Keene won the mystery game. High bowlers were Rosemary Banish (213 and 201 in 569 series), Barb Dettore (212 and 180 in 561 series), Marge Delahanty (203 and 183 in 516 series), Dorothy Bosy (192), Linda Dettore (181) and Colleen Smith (181). Standings are as follows:

Eager Beavers	66	42
Ball Busters	64	44
Ghost Busters	62	46
Lookin' Good	61½	46½
M&Ms	57	51
Bowling Bags	54½	53½
Lollipops	54½	53½
Rookies	53	59
Hi Lows	50	58

Novi Highlights is written by Jeanne Clarke. Clubs and organizations may have announcements published in Highlights by calling her at 624-0173. Information about births, birthdays, vacations and other special events for the "Personals" column may be called in to the same number.

Middle School announces honor roll

Some 180 Novi Middle School students have been named to the honor roll for the fourth marking period.

Novi Middle School names two honor rolls — a high honor roll and the regular honor roll. To qualify for the high honor roll a student must have no grade less than A-minus with citizenship marks of "2" or better. To qualify for the regular honor roll a student must have attained all grades of B-minus or higher. Citizenship grades are not part of the regular honor roll.

SEVENTH GRADE

Twenty-two seventh graders were named to the high honor roll. They were Neil Borg, Brent Butcher, David Clemens, Adam Cox, Kenneth Fenchel, Susan Gowans, Mary Beth LeMay, Melissa Lutes, Julie Munger, Jonathon Mutch, Todd Pheiffer, Joshua Riggs, Gaurav Rohatgi, Lynette Rowlands, Niloofar Said, Stacey Schaefer, Stacy Schwandt, Bryan Shipway, Raechel Streit, Jeffrey Sugamosto, Ellen Marie Surowiec and Regan Walters.

Named to the regular honor roll were Amy Lynne Ahrens, Bryan Austin, Kevin Bainbridge, Ann Marie Barker, Andrew Beal, Andrea Beitler, Mark Berend, Jeanna Biggs, Kevin Blanck, Audrey Blisko, Janine Bonner, Mikhail Borashko, Sally Bumpus, Caryn Champine, Rebecca Chinn, Daniel Cho and Jennifer Crepeau.

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EIGHTH GRADE

Seventeen eighth graders were named to the high honor roll. They were Erika Altmann, Julia Burk, Heather Campbell, Laura Clark, Helen Cottam, Amy Duthie, Elizabeth Fisher, Cynthia Greenlee, Renee Gryglewski, Laura Kleban, Nichole Kuenzel, Desiree LeBlanc, Oanh Parrett, Christine Piccirilli, Kristen Sallee, Jennifer Sieradzki and Joanne Sill.

Named to the regular honor roll were Jack Abate, Andrew Anderson, Craig Barker, David Boner, Dean Bruckman, Jennifer Buck, Kristen Buck, Brian Campbell, Rebecca Chappel, Mark Chirgwin, Andrew Christlieb, Katie Clozza, Kimberly Cosentino, Jennifer Crawford, Christina D'Agostino and Kimberly DeWitt.

Lisa Donnelly, Michael Dunn, Christina Ellis, Nathan Faulkner, Jennifer Fornwald, Jason Frank, Michael Gowans, Eric Haenke, Jennifer Harrison, Kristin Henzi, Matthew Hoffman, Virginia Jeffress, Jill Jozwiak, Donna Kadar, Holli Kendra, Janine Knight, Christine LaHaie and Jennifer Marquardt.

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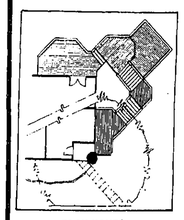

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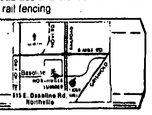

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Novi's art winners include (left to right) Laura Gray, Kristine Huotari, Carolyn Cody and Miya Park

Novi art students earn awards

It will be awhile before Kristine Huotari can take the pencil drawing she made in her Novi High School art class home to hang on her wall.

The drawing currently is in New York City where it is among the finalists in the prestigious National Scholastic Art Program.

Huotari's drawing was one of 11 pieces of art by Novi High School and Middle School students which won awards in the 1987 Scholastic Art Program.

More than 5,000 students from the metropolitan Detroit area entered the state-level competition. Some 1,000 of the entries received certificates and were selected to be displayed at a student art show at Summit Mall in Pontiac.

Of the 1,000 entries in the show, 450 were selected to receive Gold Keys, the highest regional award. Some 180 of the Gold Key winners were selected for the national competition in New York City.

In addition to the pencil drawing selected for the New York competition, Huotari, a senior, received a Gold Key for another pencil drawing and a certificate for another pencil drawing.

Carolyn Cody, an 11th grader, received a Gold Key for an ink drawing; Miya Park, also an 11th grader, received a Gold Key for a pencil drawing; and Laura Gray, a 10th grader, received a Gold Key for an ink drawing.

Novi Middle School students earned a total of five awards in the competition.

Desiree LeBlanc won a Gold Key for a pencil/ink drawing, Heather Campbell earned a Gold Key for an acrylic painting and Nichole Kuenzel won a Gold Key for an acrylic drawing.

Earning certificates were Todd Marshall for a pencil drawing and Brian Murphy for a pen/ink drawing.

Jeff Cohen cited for national honor

A Novi High School student is spending the week in Washington, D.C., where he is getting a first-hand view of the operations of the U.S. government.

Jeffrey Cohen, a senior at Novi High School, is one of 220 outstanding young men and women from across the country who have been named Congressional Scholars on the basis of citizenship, leadership and academic achievement.

Cohen joined approximately 220 other outstanding young men and women named Congressional Scholars in Washington, D.C. on Sunday for the week-long Spring 1987 National Young Leaders Conference.

The theme of the conference is "Tomorrow's Leaders Meeting the Leaders of Today" with a special focus on the bicentennial of the U.S. Constitution. Throughout the week, Cohen will meet numerous governmental leaders who represent the lifeblood of the American constitutional process.

The conference is thematically structured with each day focusing on one of the three branches of government, the media or world affairs.

Executive Day opens with a keynote address from Elizabeth Dole, Secretuary of Transportation. Terrance Scanlon, chairman of the Consumer Product Safety Commission, will discuss the role of the executive commission and its regulations. A briefing by the Secret Service on protecting the President and a visit to the Smithsonean Museums will complete the day's activities.

Legislative Day begins with welcoming remarks on the floor of the House of Representatives. The scholars will attend briefings on issues facing the 100th Congress, and Cohen also will visit to the office of U.S. Representative William Broomfield (R-Birmingham). Students will conclude the day by participating in the Mock Congress simulation of a proposed immigration bill.

A U.S. foreign policy expert will open World Affairs Day with discussion of current U.S. strategies against terrorism. A briefing at the Department of State and a tour of the Pentagon will follow. The scholars then will divide into small groups and met ambassadors from China, Pakistan, Grenada, Belize, the Federal Republic of Germany, Indonesia and India at their respective embassies.

Judicial/Media Day will examine the judicial branch of government and the role of the Washington press corps. The day begins with a breakfast meeting at the National Press Club featuring a panel of distinguished journalists — Bill Plante of CBS News, Fred Barnes of New Republic Magazine, Ellen Hume of The Wall Street Journal/ABC Nightline and Susan King of NBC News Affiliate. A mock trial presented by the U.S. Court of Appeals in conjunction with Washington area attorneys will enable the scholars to closely examine and discover the complexities of judicial review.

To culminate the National Young Leaders Conference, Cohen and the other Congressional Scholars will present "Issues for the Next Millenium" — their interpretation of the most important issues which the nation will face in the year 2001. The conference will conclude with a visual representation of the week's events entitled "The Week That Was."

Philippine native to speak at Faith

"The Christian Church and the Philippine Renewal" will be the topic of the Lenten series this Sunday at the Faith Community United Presbyterian Church in Novi.

Guest speaker will be the Reverend Jose A. Malayang, a native of the Philippines. He will discuss the recent events in the Philippines and the role played by the Christian church in assisting the transition of governments.

The Lenten meeting will be held from 5-6:30 p.m. and be followed by a dinner at 6:30 p.m.

Activities will be provided for children during the program. A nursery also will be available.

All interested individuals are invited to attend. Call the church at 349-5666 for reservations or more information.

Malayang was born, raised and educated in the Philippines before coming to the United States to do his graduate work. He is an ordained minister in the United Church of Christ in the Philippines and currently serves at the United Church of Christ in Richmond, Michigan.

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Weddings

MR. AND MRS. JEFFREY SCHROEDER

Nannette S. Couch, daughter of Marjorie and Ronald Couch of Malott Drive in Novi, and Jeffrey S. Schroeder of Sturgis exchanged vows and rings in a Jan. 31 ceremony at Trinity Lutheran Church in Sturgis.

The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Steve Schroeder of Sturgis.

Pastors Ruhlig and Mueller officiated at the service.

The bride's gown of cream-colored satin was tea length and adorned with hand beading. She carried an arm bouquet of roses, carnations and daisies tied with lace streamers.

Susan Schram was honor attendant and Pam Kraft was a bridesmaid. Both wore royal blue tea-length dresses and carried bouquets of roses.

Dave Lamb was best man. Ushers were Scott Wooster, Bob Newbury, Ron Richards and Frank Sugar.

A reception at the church followed the ceremony. Guests attended from Novi, Grand Rapids, Sturgis and Cleveland. A special guest was the bridegroom's great grandfather, George Schroeder.

The couple met while attending Western Michigan University. The bride attended Novi High School and Orchard Hills Elementary. She was a member of the Novi High School marching band throughout her school years.

The bridegroom attended Sturgis High School where he also was a member of the band.

After a wedding trip to Grand Rapids the newlyweds are living and working in Sturgis.

Church to host rummage sale

Hope Lutheran Church will sponsor a Rummage/Bake Sale on Thursday and Friday, April 30 and May 1. The church is located at 39200 West Twelve Mile, just east of Haggerty Road in Farmington Hills.

The sale will run from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Thursday and from 9 a.m. to noon on Friday. There's a price of $1 per bag on Friday only.

SWOVEC OPEN HOUSE: "Reach for it . . . the future is yours" is the theme of an open house at the Southwet Oakland Vocational Education Center (SWOVEC) on Sunday, April 5, from 1-4 p.m.

SWOVEC is located at 1000 Beck Road (north of Pontiac Trail) in Wixom.

SWOVEC is one of four regional vocational education centers operated by the Oakland Intermediate School District. The facility services students from 12 school districts, including the Novi Community Schools.

LAS VEGAS NIGHT: Fraternal Order of Police Lodge 128 will present a Las Vegas Night on Saturday, April 25, from 7 p.m. to 1 a.m.

The event will be held at Fraternal Order of Eagles Hall 3428 at 1721 Glengary Road in Walled Lake between South Commerce and Benstein Roads.

Community Notes

The admission cost of $5 per person includes $2 in chips. Games will include black jack, wheels and dice with a maximum winnings limit of $250. All proceeds will be donated to the Easter Seal Foundation.

WIXOMLIBRARY: The Wixom Public Library is sponsoring a "tall tale" contest. Patrons are invited to make up a tall tale as to why their library books were late. The winner will receive a copy of a pictorial book entitled "Main Street: A Portrait of Small-town Michigan."

Entries need not be of any particular length. Deadline for entries is April 11, and the winner will be selected by the library board. The contest is being held in conjunction with National Library Week (April 5-11).

WALLED LAKE PARADE: The City of Walled Lake's Parks and Recreation Commission is seeking groups and individuals who would like to participate in the 1987 Memorial Day Paraded on Monday, May 25, at 11 a.m.

Prizes will be awarded for the best floats in the parade. For more information call Cheryl Dowell at Walled Lake City Hall, 624-4847.

IMMUNIZATION CLINIC: The Oakland County Health Division will offer an immunization clinic at the Walled Lake United Methodist Church on Tuesday, April 7, from 9:30 a.m. to noon. The church is located at 313 Northport in Walled Lake.

Immunizations will be available for measles, German measles, mumps, polio, diptheria, tetanus and whooping cough. A parent or legal guardian must accompany children under 18 years old and should bring any previous imunization records, including notices from schools. Call 424-7000 for more information.

NOVI PLAYERS: Previously known as Stage One Productions, the Novi Players is seeking new members for its community theater group. The group meets every Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. at Novi Middle School North on Taft Road.

Anyone interested in joining should contact Helen Strout for more information at 349-7673.

WESTERN REUNION: Walled Lake Western's Class of 1972 will celebrate its 15-year reunion on Aug. 29. For more information call Ms. Squires at Walled Lake Western, 624-5020.

PARKINSON'S DISEASE: A support group for individuals suffering from Parkinson's Disease in the Novi/Northville area meets the first Wednesday of each month from 7-9 p.m. at the Holy Family Church in Novi. The church is located on Meadowbrook Road between Ten Mile ad Grand River.

In addition to people afflicted with the disease, the group includes friends and relatives of those suffering from Parkinson's. For more information call Frank Raabe at 348-2631.

ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE: The Milford-Wixom Support Group of the Alzheimer's Disease and Related Disorders Association (ADRDA) meets the third Tuesday of each month at 10:30 a.m. at the Milford Presbyterian Church.

The support groupis for caregivers, family members and friends of individuals afflicted with Alzheimer's disease and offers educational support programs. For more information call 557-8278.

'TV promotes liberal attitudes'

Allen: "Television presents a 'normative' view, or one that supports the currently acceptable cultural attitudes, not necessarily because it believes in them, but because it abhors controversy."

The more time you spend watching television, the more likely you are to accept progressive views on racial and sexual equality, a University of Michigan researcher says.

Richard L. Allen, associate professor of communication in the U-M College of Literature, Science and the Arts, based his findings on a 1985 survey of 534 randomly-selected households in a predominantly white suburban area northwest of Detroit.

Since television's impact is general throughout the country, he believes the same results would be found in similar suburban areas in other parts of the United States.

In telephone interviews, Allen measured the respondents' exposure to various forms of mass media, socio-economic status and attitudes toward racial and sexual inequality.

He found that people who watch more television, all other factors being equal, tended to disagree with the proposition: "It is better for the family if the husband is the principal breadwinner outside the home and the wife has primary responsibility for the home and children."

Television viewing was also found to result in a tendency to disagree with the statements: "There are enough women in responsible positions in government and private business" and "There are enough blacks in responsible positions in government and private business."

Television was the only mass medium in the survey to show a significant effect on responses to these statements, Allen reported. His study "points to the extent to which an attitude as important as inequality is shaped by our exposure to television."

Allen said this effect of television has not been measured before, but its impact on other spheres has been widely studied and well-documented. "If television was not capable of influencing a mass audience's attitudes, advertisers certainly wouldn't spend so much money and effort on it," he noted.

"We find it comforting to believe that we are rational individuals whose opinions and attitudes are based on first-hand experience," Allen said. "That may be why it is hard for us to acknowledge how little information actually comes to us through direct experience, and how much comes from the mass media."

The U-M scholar asserts that television programmers do not necessarily intend to advance the causes of racial and sexual equality, but merely to avoid alienating their audience. "Television presents a 'normative' view," he said, "or one that supports the currently acceptable cultural attitudes, not necessarily because it believes in them, but because it abhors controversy."

Currently, the "normative" position that prevails on television "is toward a more equitable and progressive depiction, on the general abstract level, of blacks and women," Allen said. "Equality among the races and between the sexes is now considered by most individuals to be the American creed, and television overall tends to support that perception."

Since the rise of the civil rights movement, the blatant racism that was a mainstay of television's early days, especially in the Hollywood films shown on television, is no longer acceptable to a mainstream audience, Allen said. "Although the television industry still casts blacks primarily in comic roles, it can no longer get away with portraying them as shuffling 'darkies' with low morals and no status," he added.

Allen emphasized that the changes he found were only in the perception of the roles of blacks and women in society. He says that perception may not result in the elimination of the social, political and economic barriers to racial and sexual equality.

Couple to reside in New York City

Annmarie Prine of Novi was wed to Matthew M. Neumeier of New York in services at the Church of the Holy Cross in Novi on Jan. 31.

The Rev. Mark A. Neumeier, brother of the groom, officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Prine of Novi. A Novi High School graduate, she was graduated from the College of Business at Michigan State University in 1985.

The groom is an associate at the New York law firm of Cravath, Swaine & Moore. The son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Neumeier of Escanaba, he was graduated from the University of Michigan and the Harvard Law School. Until recently the assistant to the Director of Political Affairs at the White House in Washington, D.C., he had served as law clerk to retired Chief Justice Warren Burger at the U.S. Supreme Court.

Maid of honor at the nuptials was Andrea DesCoteaux of Washington, D.C. Best man was George Cavadeas of Escanaba.

Following a honeymoon in Hawaii, the couple now resides in New York City.

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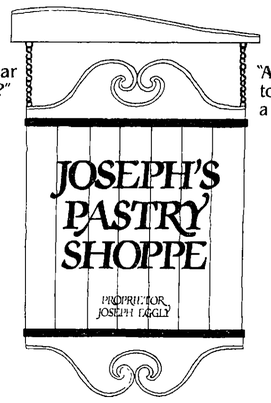

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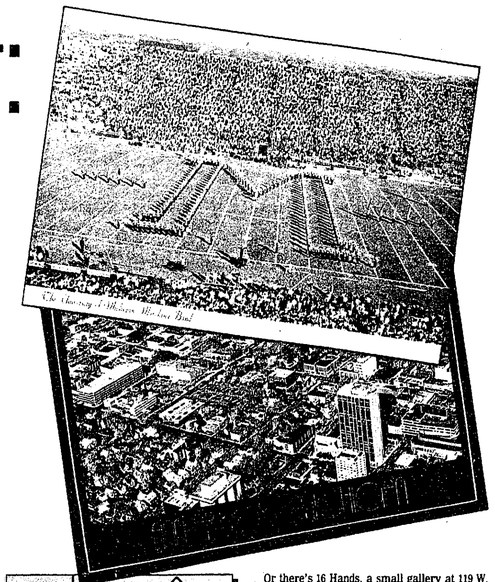

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Let's face it, Ann Arbor has something for virtually every taste or interest. It just may be impossible to get bored in Ann Arbor.

Which is why the city is ideal for "day tripping" — a one-day excursion with the spouse or the entire family.

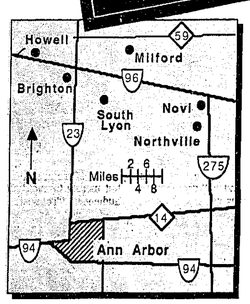
In as much as most "day tripping" occurs on Saturdays, the best place to start might well be the well-known Farmers Market.

Every Saturday morning, farmers from Saline, Chelsea, Manchester and numerous other rural locations start arriving at the Farmers Market bright and early to spread out their fruits, vegetables, flowers, herbs and all kinds of baked goods.

Even the ambience is great as farmers, students and college professors all mingle together — checking out the potatoes, radishes, onions and whatever else is in season.

Part and parcel of the scene at the Farmers Market is a trip through Kerrytown — 37 shops in a renovated warehouse immediately adjacent to the market. Kitchen Port with its vast array of cooking utensils is a "must" stop in Kerrytown, but you'll also find all types of other interesting little specialty stores — stores that feature soaps and candles, unique little toy stores and Fox Farm Pottery.

"Doing" the Farmers Market and Kerrytown shops ought to take up most of your morning.



And, as for the afternoon, the choices are endless.

Ann Arbor has all kinds of interesting little art galleries. You can go over the the Ann Arbor Art Association at 117 W. Liberty. In addition to a featured exhibit, the association has works of local artists on display and for sale.

Or there's 16 Hands, a small gallery at 119 W. Washington which features crafts in various media by some 115 artists from across the U.S. Or, the Selo/Shevel Gallery at 329 S. Main, where you'll again find a wide variety of media by artists from across the country.

If you like museums, Ann Arbor's also a good place to be. There's the Hands-On Museum at 219 E. Huron where visitors are encouraged to handle the displays — puzzle rooms, computer rooms and simple machines.

There's the Antique and Classic Bicycle Museum at 201 Nickels Arcade which has a permanent display of 50 of the finest classic and antique bicycles in the U.S.

Of course, there's also the Museum of Natural History on Geddes Avenue at North University, known for its dinosaur exhibit. Or the Kelsey Museum of Ancient and Medieval Archaeology at 434 S. State Street, the University of Michigan Museum of Art on S. State Street at S. University, and Matthaei Botanical Gardens at 1900 N. Dixboro Road.

And that's only scratching the surface of the things to do on a day trip to Ann Arbor.

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Cottage Inn: Pizza, pasta and much more

dining out
DIANE KOVACS

The menu claims it's the oldest pizzeria in Ann Arbor.

Of course, "pizzeria" is hardly the word to describe the Cottage Inn at 512 East William Street, although pizza is certainly the mainstay on the menu.

Actually, the Cottage Inn is becoming as well known for its wide variety of Italian dinners and pasta dishes as it is for its spicy Mediterranean and Greek pizzas.

Anyone who has not been to the restaurant in awhile will be quite surprised at the changes which have been made over the past 20 years.

The restaurant was started in 1948 and purchased by Nick Michos and George Petropoulos in 1960. During the mid-1960s, the restaurant was known primarily for its pizzas. Michos estimates that pizza accounted for 85 to 90 percent of the business in those days, although the Cottage Inn also featured such fare as spaghetti, meatball sandwiches and roast beef with mashed potatoes and gravy.

Michos recalls that the business was built on a "90 cent special" of pizza and a small salad.

As business flourished, the Cottage Inn began to expand. Michos and Petropoulos acquired an adjacent building in 1967 and then added another building in 1978, constantly expanding and upgrading the restaurant.

Today, the Cottage Inn is warm and cheery. There's lots of greenery and white-painted wood, which carries out the Mediterranean theme of the cuisine.

The wait staff is comprised of college students in white shirts and dark slacks hurrying to and fro between the kitchen and the three dining rooms, and there's a beautiful oak bar near the entrance way.

Although the Cottage Inn initially catered primarily to the college crowd, today the clientele encompasses a wide range of age groups. The college students are still there, but you'll also find lots of families and "yuppies" out for a casual dinner of pasta and wine.

Pizza and pasta are the mainstays on the menu at The Cottage Inn in Ann Arbor

Testimony to the restaurant's popularity is that there's usually a wait unless you get there early.

Pizza remains the specialty of the house. Michos estimates that pizza now comprises approximately 50 percent of the business. In addition to traditional pizzas; the Cottage Inn offers several specialty pizzas — Chef George's deep dish pizza; a Mediterranean pizza of pepper rings and feta cheese sprinkled with olive oil and herbs; and a Greek pizza of black olives and feta cheese with olive oil and herbs.

The other half of the menu is made up of Italian dinners — 18 different types of pastas, including spinach lasagna, manicotti, ravioli, linquine fettucine alfredo, veal parmigianna and veal eggplant parmigiana.

Dinners are served with fresh homemade bread and choice of soup or salad. Veal and chicken dinners are accompanied by a side dish of pasta.

One of the reasons for the restaurant's staying power is that the owners have continually upgraded the menu over the years. You can still get a meatball sandwich at the Cottage Inn, but a variety of exotic side dishes have been added to the fare. Deep-fried Greek meatballs served with fresh lemon makes a nice appetizer. The more adventurous may select an appetizer of calamari, squid marinated with olives, lemon and fresh herbs.

The same progressive attitude is seen in the beverage selections. First, it should be noted that the Cottage Inn offers a more than adequate wine menu. But also available are spiced and herbal teas, Perrier water, espresso and cappucino along with a variety of coffee/liqueur and ice cream/liqueur drinks.

The dessert menu is fairly typical, but adequate — Apple Mountain, strawberry shortcake, chocolate sundaes and a variety of cheesecakes. A highlight is the rice pudding.

Despite the dramatic changes over the years, the Cottage Inn retains the charm and nostalgic qualities of the days when it was a one-room pizzeria with an old-fashioned lunch counter catering to college students. It's still a good place to go for a casual dining experience with plenty of tasty food.

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APRIL What's Going ON

Theater

THEATRE: **"PLAY IT AGAIN, SAM," Meadow Brook Theatre, Oakland University, Rochester** "Play It Again, Sam," a comedy written by Woody Allen, opened a four-week run March 26 at Meadow Brook Theatre on the campus of Oakland University. The play focuses on a neurotic movie critic who calls upon the ghost of Humphrey Bogart to coach him on how to handle girls. Tickets may be purchased by calling the Meadow Brook Theatre box office at 377-3300 **"SMALL WAR ON MURRAY HILL," Henry Ford Museum Theatre, Dearborn** The romantic comedy by Pulitzer Prize winner Robert E. Sherwood opens April 10 at Henry Ford Museum Theatre. The comedy focuses on a beguiling and beautiful rebel who holds British General Sir William Howe captive of her heart and home when he should be fighting the American Revolution. For ticket information, call the Reservations Center at 271-1620 **"AS YOU LIKE IT," Hilberry Theatre, Cass at Hancock, Detroit** William Shakespeare's romantic comedy continues at the Hilberry Theatre through April 14. Romance develops when the witty and intrepid Rosalind — a surprisingly "modern" woman — dons a boy's disguise to woo her Orlando, while courtiers try out idyllic country life. For ticket information, call the box office at 577-2972 **"BACK IN THE WORLD," Attic Theatre, 7339 Third Ave. at West Grand Blvd., Detroit** The Attic Theatre's second world premiere, "Back in the World," by Stephen Mack Jones opens April 17 and continues through May 17. This riveting dramatic piece is an exorcism of memory for four black Vietnam veterans. The battle has raged silently for 15 years in their hearts and minds, and now explodes in powerful monologues. A visually and verbally haunting production in multi-media. For ticket information, call 875-6264.

Music

MUSICAL NOTES: **TOM PAXTON, The Gallery West, Dickerson Street, Salem** Songwriter Tom Paxton will take the stage at The Gallery West (formerly The Raven) Friday, April 3, with shows scheduled at 7 and 9 p.m. Tickets are $12 each. For reservations, call 349-6299 **MARLBORO COUNTRY MUSIC CONCERT, Joe Louis Arena, Detroit** The Judds, Alabama and George Strait will perform April 25 at Joe Louis Arena at the 13th stop on a 17-city schedule for the 1987 Marlboro Country Music Tour. Tickets are $16 and $18. One dollar from each ticket sold during the tour will be donated to Second Harvest, America's food bank network **FACULTY ARTIST SERIES, Center for Creative Studies, Detroit** The Institute of Music and Dance, an affiliate of the Center for Creative Studies, will host its third performance in its Faculty Artist Series at 2 p.m. April 5 in the Institute's Boughton Auditorium. Featured artists will be Kathleen Winkler on violin and pianist Deborah Berman. The faculty members will perform works by Leclair, Beethoven and Grieg. Tickets for the concert may be purchased by calling 831-2870.

And more

ART AND EXHIBITS: **MICHIGAN WILDLIFE ART FESTIVAL, Southfield Civic Center, Southfield** The 1987 Michigan Wildlife Art Festival will be held April 2-5 at the Southfield Civic Center. Sixty nationally renowned wildlife artists will display more than 1,000 of their most recent original paintings, prints, photography, carvings, bronzes and other three-dimensional art. Adult admission for the festival is $3 daily, $4 for a weekend pass, and $2 for children under 12 **ANN ARBOR SPRING ART FAIR, University of Michigan Track and Tennis Building, Ann Arbor** The annual Ann Arbor Spring Art Fair will celebrate its ninth season April 4-5 at the University of Michigan Track and Tennis Building on Ferry Field on State Street. The fair will include some 250 artists and craftspeople from 27 states who work in a variety of media including paintings, jewelry, sculpture, glass and more. Admission is $2; children under 10 are admitted free with an adult. Chamber music, featuring the Renard Quartet, will be played throughout the fair. Hours are 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. Saturday and 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. Sunday **ARTRAIN, West Pearl Street, Old Village, Plymouth** Artrain, the nation's only art museum on a train will be in Plymouth through April 5 on West Pearl Street, west of Starkweather near the Old Roundhouse in Old Village. Artrain in composed of five cars: three gallery cars housing a museum exhibition, a studio car for live demonstrations by artists, and a caboose used by Artrain's on-board staff. In honor of Michigan's Sesquicentennial, this year's exhibition will be devoted to Cranbrook Academy of Art. "The Cranbrook Vision: Past and Present" will bring to viewers the treasures of the Academy's collection including paintings, drawings, sculptures, furniture, tapestries, ceramics and silver work. Hours are 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. today and Friday; 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. Saturday and Sunday. There is no admission charge.

My Favorite Things

Valerie Hambleton, principal and founder of William Allan Academy in Northville, notes that many of her favorite things involve her leisure time pursuits.

1. **WALKING** in Maybury State Park. She enjoys five-mile hikes with her dogs.
2. **CHINA PAINTING** with Northville instructor Violet Berchem.
3. **TRAVELING** to new places. Hambleton plans to travel through Europe this summer with a stop in her native England.
4. **STUDYING** encyclopedias and sharing the information with her Academy students.
5. **PENMANSHIP.** A calligrapher, Hambleton particularly likes copperplate handwriting.

NYA set to host bowlathon

Get ready, bowlers. The fifth annual Novi Youth Assistance bowlathon is coming up.

The bowlathon will be held Saturday, April 11, at the Novi Bowl on Novi Road at 12:30 p.m.

"Right now we're looking for people who would like to help us raise money by bowling in the annual event," said NYA Secretary Joan Morris.

Anyone willing to solicit pledges and bowl three games is asked to call NYA offices at 349-8398 for more information.

Participants must secure pledges who agree to donate a designated amount of money for each pin knocked down.

Morris said the goal of this year's bowlathon is to raise $15,000 to support NYA activities and programs.

The proceeds will be used to fund such NYA activities as the Teen Center, summer and winter camp programs and family education programs.

Paul Baker, owner of The Farm, will serve as emcee of this year's annual event.

LYS plans auditions

LIVONIA — Spring auditions for the 1987-88 season will be held by the Livonia Youth Symphony (LYS) on May 2 at the Faith Lutheran Church in Livonia beginning at 1 p.m. The church is located at 30000 Five Mile between Merriman and Middlebelt roads.

There are openings in all three orchestras. Placement will be determined by audition.

For requirements or to schedule an appointment call Susan Gardner at 349-1894.

Watching Brian Deman, 16, bowl a frame in preparation for the fifth annual Novi Youth Assistance bowlathon are (left to right) Frank Pepp, Patti Barr, Paul Baker, Karen Bartholomew and John O'Brien

Novi choir students achieve state honors

"We had a great March."

That was the assessment of Paula Joyner after members of her Novi High School vocal program earned three "superior" ratings in the State Solo and Ensemble Festival sponsored by the Michigan School Vocal Association (MSVA) in Flint on March 21.

The three superior ratings at the state festival were not the only reason Joyner was pleased, however.

Novi High School choirs also won two of the 12 "superior" ratings handed out by judges in the MSVA District IV Choir Festival on March 5-6.

"It was definitely a great month," reported Joyner, director of the vocal music program at Novi High School. "Our students did extremely well in both the state and district festivals."

Soloist Tammy Jex and the duet of Heather Rosalik and Becky Prost accounted for two of the three "superior" ratings earned by Novi students at the State Solo and Ensemble Festival.

The third "superior" rating was earned by the Women's Ensemble, the advanced women's group at the high school, which earned a "1" in performance and a "1" in sight-reading for an overall rating of "1" (superior). Members of the Women's Ensemble are Becky Williams, Heather Rosalik, Julie Grabowski, Ianna Riegel, C.J. Blanchard, Tammy Jex, Jenny Borg, Becky Prost, Amy Davies, Stephanie Lyle and Heather Lynch.

Students must earn "superior" ratings in the district festival to be eligible for the state competition.

In addition to the three "superior" ratings at the State Solo and Ensemble Festival, Novi students also earned seven "2" (excellent) ratings.

Soloists earning "excellent" ratings were Ianna Riegel, Amy Davies, Heather Rosalik and Angelica Alvarez. Also earning "excellent" ratings were the duet of Jenny Connelly and Hope Turner and the duet of Julie Grabowski and Jenny Borg.

The seventh "excellent" rating at the state festival was earned by the Triple Trio, a beginning women's vocal group. The rating was particularly pleasing to Joyner who noted that it was the first time in their five-year history that the Triple Trio had qualified for the state festival.

Triple Trio members are Lara Rosalik, Julie Grabowski, Heidi Wendt, Angelica Alvarez, Jeni Lebert, Jenny Borg, C.J. Blanchard, Julia Striegel and Jenny Erwin.

Joyner also was pleased with her students' performance in the MSVA District IV Choir Festival on March 5-6. Fifty high school choirs from Oakland and Livingston counties participated in the two-day event.

Joyner noted that Novi had two of the 12 choirs which received overall "superior" ratings and one of the five choirs which received "straight-ones" for both performance and sight-reading.

Leading the way was the Concert Choir which received "straight ones" in all categories for an overall "superior" rating.

The Women's Vocal Society also had an overall "superior" rating after earning "straight ones" in performance and a "2" in sight-reading.

As a result, both the Concert Choir and Women's Vocal Society are eligible to participate in the MSVA's state choir festival in Jackson on May 1. Joyner noted that this is the third consecutive year in which both groups have qualified for the state festival.

Novi's third group at the district choir festival, the Women's Chorale, earned "excellent" (2) ratings. The group received a "1" and a "2" for performance and a "1" in sight-reading for an overall "2" rating.

Wildflower walks set

LIVONIA — The 10th annual Wildflower Walk will be held along the nature trails of the Livonia Bicentennial Park during the period of April 9 to May 23.

Sponsored by the Schoolcraft College Biology Department, the event is open to the public free of charge.

The half-mile tours last 45 minutes and re conducted by faculty members and people who have completed a wildflower class at Schoolcraft College. This year's guides include Margaret Converse and Angella Krull of Livonia, Jane Kohring of Grosse Pointe Farms, Kay Wittliff of Farmington, Grover Neirgarth of Brighton, and Roger and Mary Sutherland of Ann Arbor.

Bicentennial Park nature trails feature more than 35 different species of wildflowers which are expected to be at their peaks of beauty and color during the period of the walks. Bicentennial Park is located on Seven Mile between Newburgh and Farmington roads.

Groups and individuals may arrange for a guided wildflower tour by calling Professor Roger Sutherland of the Schoolcraft College Biology Department at 591-6400, extension 521.

Show benefits MDA

A benefit performance of the musical "South Pacific" will be presented at the Marquis Theatre in Northville tonight (Thursday, April 2).

The event is sponsored by ERA First Federal Realty of Livonia to benefit the Muscular Dystrophy Association (MDA).

The MDA offers such programs as a worldwide research program, public and professional education, clinics and recreational programs for MD patients. All MDA programs are funded by individual donations.

The benefit performance of "South Pacific" will begin with refreshments tonight at 7:30 p.m. Curtain time is 8:30 p.m.

Tickets are priced at $15 apiece and can be ordered by calling ERA First Federal Realty of Livonia at 478-3400.

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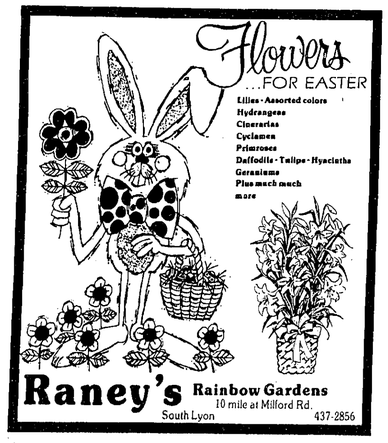

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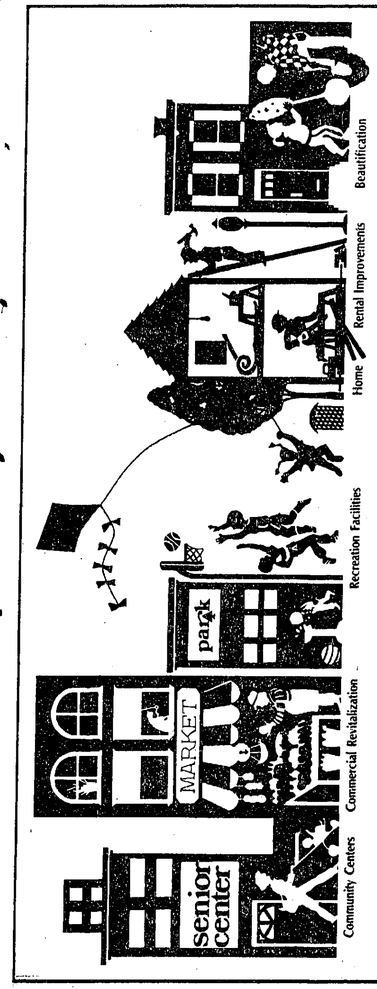

In The County Tradition

The Community Development Block Grant – Meeting needs at home, in the neighborhood and throughout the community.

Dear Oakland County Residents:

We are all interested in making our County the best place it can be. In the 12 years since Congress first enacted the Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Program, Oakland County has responded to the neighborhood and downtown needs of communities, large and small, rural and urban. The County has had a long-standing commitment to conquer the emerging problems of our low and moderate income residents.

It is a county tradition of working with those in need to provide services and physical improvements that strengthen homes, neighborhoods and communities.

Since 1975, the Oakland County Community Development Block Grant Program has funded an enormous variety of community improvement projects totalling $53 million. Oakland County receives funds from the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) annually. The County, in turn, distributes the money by formula to each of our 48 participating county block grant communities for projects they have designed to meet local needs.

In 1986, HUD granted $3.6 million to Oakland County. As a result, we upgraded streets and walkways, installed water and sewer facilities, improved housing, revitalized downtowns and completed many other projects to enhance the quality of life in our county.

By working together through this program, we can continue to meet the special community development needs of Oakland County – at home, in the neighborhood and throughout the County.

DANIEL T. MURPHY
County Executive

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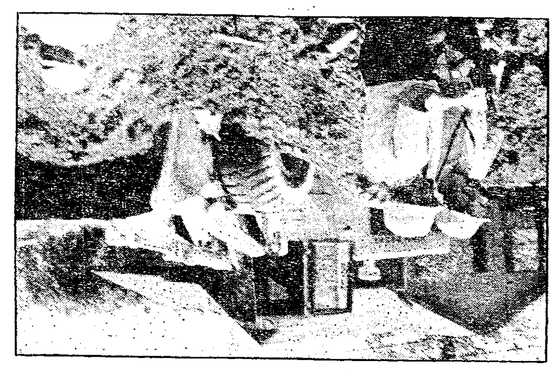
Call The Oakland County Community Development Division Toll Free:
Holly, Rose Areas: 634-4418 ext. 8-0493; South Lyon, Novi, Farmington Areas: 349-7850 ext. 8-0493; Southfield, Royal Oak, Troy Areas: 645-1150 ext. 8-0493; All others 858-0493.

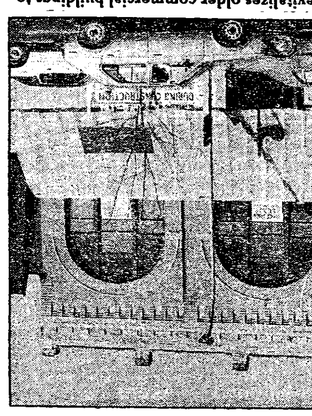
Equal Opportunity Programs/Activities

DOWNTOWN REVITALIZATION A COUNTY COMMITMENT

PUBLIC WORKS PROJECTS GIVE COMMUNITIES NEW LIFE



Twenty-one rehabilitation and renovation projects have been initiated in selected communities since the program began in 1985. When complete, these CAP projects will generate an estimated 32 new jobs as well as $2 million in increased sales and over $500,000 in new earnings for business owners.



CAP revitalizes older commercial buildings to give them that "opening day" shine once again. Government officials, civic leaders, local business groups and financial institutions are working together to provide business people like the owner of this pharmacy with the means to renovate their properties and restore original exterior features.

COMMUNITY	ACTIVITY	EXPENDITURE
OAKLAND COUNTY:		
1985	Barrier Free Design (A)	$ 9,383.37
1985	Housing Rehabilitation (A)	2,832.00
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	Total:	$ 17,081.37
1986 EXPENDITURES GRAND TOTAL:		$ 4,159,378.96
TOTAL LOW/MODERATE INCOME BENEFIT EXPENDITURES:		$ 3,372,488.89 (73%)

For specific project locations or additional information regarding 1986 CDBG expenditures, contact the Oakland County Community and Economic Development Division.

1987-1988 PROJECTED USE OF FUNDS

The County of Oakland, a Michigan Constitutional Corporation, in conjunction with the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974, as amended, will submit the following proposed projects and allocations to HUD for FY 1987 CDBG funding totaling $3,597,000 on March 30, 1987. Oakland County will supplement the 1987 entitlement HUD with $556,751.46 in County Program Income and $17,609.25 in Community Program Income. The projects are consistent with and keyed to the aforementioned Community Development Objectives (A, B, C).

COMMUNITY	ACTIVITY	ALLOCATION
AUBURN HILLS:	**SENIOR CITIZEN CENTER (A) (1)**	$ 35,093.00
	DRAINAGE IMPROVEMENTS (A) (1) Improve sanitary sewer system at 2060 Joslyn Boulevard and install 690 LF of storm drain between Greenthorpe Drive and Joslyn Boulevard.	$ 37,904.25
	Total:	$ 72,997.25
BERKLEY:	**RECREATION FACILITIES (A) (1)** Improve Lorenzo Park at Oxford, Northwood and Midway streets.	$ 42,550.00
	PLANNING AND/OR MANAGEMENT (2) Berkley Comprehensive Plan, Plan for Land Use and Housing.	$ 13,970.00
	CONTINGENCY (2)	$ 6,130.00
CLAWSON:	**BARRIER FREE IMPROVEMENTS (A) (1)** Remove architectural barriers in sidewalks city-wide.	$ 48,393.00
	FIRE PROTECTION FACILITY AND EQUIPMENT (A) (1) Replace antiquated fire hydrants in two areas; Rochester Rd. (L), 14 Mile Rd. (N), and Main (E), W. 14 Mile Road (N), S. Main (W) and southern city boundary; Maline Rd. (E), 14 Mile Rd. (N), S. Main (E), W. 14 Mile (N), Maline (W) and south city limit and S. Main (E) and south city limit and S. Main (S).	$ 36,588.00
	Total:	$ 84,931.00
FARMINGTON:	**BARRIER FREE IMPROVEMENTS (A) (1)** Construct ramps and curb cuts city-wide.	$ 9,928.00
	DOWNTOWN REVITALIZATION (B) (1) Paving and physical improvements activities for revitalizing Farmington Downtown area.	$ 52,288.00
	ADMINISTRATION (2)	$ 4,160.00
	Total:	$ 66,376.00
FERNDALE:	**CODE ENFORCEMENT (A) (2)** Code enforcement activities community wide.	$ 46,699.00
	HOUSING REHABILITATION (A) (2) Emergency Repair Grants, Home Owner Project, and Housing Rehabilitation Major Grants for low/moderate income seniors, handicapped.	$ 34,225.00
	ADMINISTRATION (3)	$ 24,060.00
	Total:	$ 125,759.00
FRANKLIN:	**SENIOR CITIZEN CENTER (A) (1)** Remove architectural barriers.	$ 1,136.00
	BARRIER FREE IMPROVEMENTS (A) (1) Remove sidewalks and curb cuts.	$ 48,393.00
	RECREATION FACILITIES (A) (1) Construct a 8 ft. wide, 1.58 mile long service road between Meadowbrook and Mill Pond Park.	$ 79,590.00
	MINOR HOME REPAIR (A) (2) Minor home improvement program for low and moderate income seniors or handicapped.	$ 1,424.00
	RECREATION FACILITY AND EQUIPMENT (A) (1) Replace Tree Fitness court, disconnected roadway, parking area and handicapped parking area.	$ 8,833.00
	BARRIER FREE IMPROVEMENTS (A) (1) Install curb ramps to Lodge Drive.	$ 1,136.00
	Total:	$ 131,512.00
GARDEN CITY:	**MINOR HOME REPAIR (A) (2)** Minor home improvement program for low and moderate income seniors.	$ 1,810.00
	ADMINISTRATION (3)	$ 3,270.00
	CONTINGENCY (2)	$ 3,270.00
	Total:	$ 8,350.00
HAZEL PARK:	**ACQUISITION/DEMOLITION (A) (1)** Acquire properties for developing Maple Lane Industrial Park bounded by Hughes (W), Beaudette (E), Woodward Heights (S) and H.P. Rice Trails (N), and provides to address blight or slide lot areas.	$ 39,928.00
	PUBLIC SERVICE ACTIVITY (A) (3) Assure Hughes provide service activities for seniors.	$ 847.00
	SENIOR CITIZEN CENTER (A) (1) Rent space at 2723 Wing Lake Rd. for senior activities.	$ 4,032.00
	Total:	$ 44,807.00
HIGHLAND:	**SENIOR CITIZEN CENTER (A) (1)** Construct a new senior center behind township hall at 205 N. John.	$ 55,152.00
	Total:	$ 55,152.00
HOLLY:	**BARRIER FREE IMPROVEMENTS (A) (1)** Construct barrier free improvements to the old township hall at 102 Front Street in Holly Village.	$ 8,286.00
	PUBLIC SERVICE ACTIVITY (A) (3) Blight clean-up effort for the township's low and moderate income households.	$ 2,517.00
	SENIOR CITIZEN CENTER (A) (1) Purchase equipment for Holly Township senior center at 111 College Street in Holly Village.	$ 1,680.00
	SENIOR CITIZEN VEHICLE (A) (1) Purchase new senior citizen van.	$ 2,517.00
	CONTINGENCY (2)	$ 772.00
	Total:	$ 13,772.00
INDEPENDENCE:	**SPECIAL ASSESSMENT FUND (A) (1)** Pay special assessment billings for municipal improvement projects for eligible low and moderate income residents.	$ 7,414.00
	MINOR HOME REPAIR (A) (2) Minor home repair program for low and moderate income, handicapped or seniors.	$ 14,828.00
	SENIOR CITIZEN CENTER (A) (1) Pave parking lot of Senior Center at 5980 Clarkston Road.	$ 9,885.00
	PUBLIC SERVICE (A) (3) Fund Consortium for Human Development, SCAMP, Clarkston Youth Assistance, Home Chore Service Program, and Home Bound Meal services for Seniors.	$ 7,414.00
	PLANNING AND/OR MANAGEMENT(3) Complete a water/sewer facility study. Identify funding needs for Township Downtown Development Area and maintain commercial district.	$ 7,414.00
	CONTINGENCY (2)	$ 2,473.00
	Total:	$ 49,428.00
LYON:	**STREET IMPROVEMENTS (A) (1)** Improve drainage along 11 Mile between Milford and Disbaro; Spaulding between 11 and 12 Mile and Martindale between 11 Mile and Grand River. Gravel 11 Mile from R.R. crossing east to Milford Road. Pave intersections of Pontiac Trail and 11 Mile, Milford and 11 Mile, Martindale and Silver Lake, Martindale and Grand River.	$ 19,339.00
	SIDEWALK IMPROVEMENTS (A) (1) Install sidewalks along Grand River from the intersection of Milford Rd. and Grand River to the intersection of Rondeau and Grand River.	$ 5,574.00
	Total:	$ 24,913.00
MILFORD:	**SENIOR CITIZEN CENTER (A) (1)** Conduct a feasibility study for and construct a senior center with Milford Village.	$ 13,320.00
	Total:	$ 13,320.00
OAKLAND:	**BARRIER FREE IMPROVEMENTS (A) (1)** Construct barrier free improvements to township hall located at 4393 Collins Road.	$ 13,343.00
	PLANNING AND/OR MANAGEMENT (3) Obtain assistance with implementing the Township Comprehensive Plan and federal CDBG grant.	$ 865.00
	Total:	$ 14,408.00
ORION:	**SENIOR CITIZEN CENTER (A) (1)** Reconstruct Senior Center at Church and Broadway in Lake Orion Village.	$ 30,118.00
	PUBLIC SERVICES (A) (3) Fund Nutrition Aide for Orion Village/Township Senior Center and Home chore services for seniors and handicapped.	$ 7,739.00
	STREET IMPROVEMENTS (B) (1) Improve Blighted private roads to county standards: Conklin, Long Lake, Clute Court, Orion Terrace, Oak Grove, Beaver Court, Shady Lane, Claremont, Highlander, Schram, Bayfield, Miller, Snyder Road, McClellan, Schick, Summit, Woodland, Oakland, Oxford, Highville, Bloomfield, Harry Paul, Clarkston Rd., Pontiac, Boston, Philadelphia, Chicago, and New York.	$ 16,620.00
	COMMUNITY CENTER (A) (1) Renovations to Community Cultural Center at 115 S. Anderson St. in Lake Orion Village.	$ 4,288.00
	Total:	$ 58,685.00

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OXFORD:	**SAFETY PATHS (A) (1)** New safety path along Lakeville Rd. from village limits, past the schools, continuing east to trailer parks.	$ 8,645.00
	SENIOR CITIZEN CENTER (A) (1) Improve parking at senior center on Washington.	$ 15,325.00
	CONTINGENCY (2)	$ 1,051.00
	Total:	$ 25,021.00
ROSE:	**STREET IMPROVEMENTS (A) (1)** Realign Cogshall Street entrance to Holly Shore Mobile Home Subdivision.	$ 10,105.00
	PUBLIC SERVICE (A) (3) Clean-up program for the Holly Shore Mobile Home Subdivision.	$ 2,080.00
	PLANNING AND/OR MANAGEMENT (3) Implement and evaluate CDBG program.	$ 848.00
	ADMINISTRATION (3)	$ 420.00
	CONTINGENCY (2)	$ 419.00
	Total:	$ 13,866.00
ROYAL OAK:	**PUBLIC SERVICE ACTIVITY (A) (3)** Fund Senior Center Services through OUMSA, and New Community Development Group food distribution program.	$ 7,142.00
	FIRE PROTECTION FACILITY AND EQUIPMENT (A) (1) Purchase fire/rescue vehicle and remodel Township fire station.	$ 24,884.00
	RECREATION FACILITIES (A) (1) Improve Detroyat Park located north of Groveview between Reimanville and Bethlown.	$ 4,198.00
	STREET IMPROVEMENTS (A) (1) Improve county roads throughout the township.	$ 5,463.00
	PLANNING AND/OR MANAGEMENT (3) Manage CDBG Program and retain planning consultant.	$ 5,837.00
	CONTINGENCY (2)	$ 1,037.00
	Total:	$ 47,631.00
SPRINGFIELD:	**COMMERCIAL REVITALIZATION (B) (1)** Revitalize commercial area along Dixie Highway between Davisburg Rd. and I-75.	$ 23,483.00
	HISTORIC PRESERVATION (B) (1) Restore "Davis House" at 12451 Andersonville Road, Davisburg.	$ 2,518.00
	Total:	$ 26,001.00
WEST BLOOMFIELD:	**SENIOR CITIZEN CENTER (A) (3)** Rent senior center at Holy Spirit Church, 4800 Orchard Lake Rd. and former Booth School, 7273 Wing Lake Road.	$ 7,563.00
	PUBLIC SERVICE ACTIVITY (A) (3) Home chore, counseling, outreach services for seniors.	$ 10,925.00
	SAFETY PATHS (A) (1) 6-8 ft. safety paths on west side Keith Rd. (Willow Keith School, 1,131 LF); north side Greer Rd. (Miller east-vacant school parcel, 2,600 LF and 1,736 LF to Rosedale).	$ 29,415.00
	BARRIER FREE DESIGN (A) (1) Barrier free improvements to Township Hall, 4460 Orchard Lk. Rd.; Fire Station #1, 4601 Orchard Lk. Rd.; Fire Station #3, Green Lk. Rd. south of Commerce Rd.; Fire Station #4, 5842 Green Rd. and Water/Sewer Dept., 2400 Haggerty.	$ 24,951.00
	Total:	$ 72,854.00
WHITE LAKE:	**STREET IMPROVEMENTS (A) (1)** Improve private roads to county standards: Bonnie Brier, Buckingham, Drury Lane, Thames, Waltham, Dover Lane, Wiggen Lane, Hampton, Kingston, Arlington and Little Farm Rd.	$ 52,786.00
	FIRE PROTECTION FACILITY (A) (1) Build fire station on three acre parcel on northeast corner of Fisk and Highland Roads.	$ 8,484.00
	ACQUISITION (A) (1) Acquire parcel in northwest corner of Bogie Lk. and Cedar Island roads for a fire station.	$ 8,404.00
	PLANNING AND/OR MANAGEMENT (3) Retain planning consultants to address CDBG program and comprehensive plan.	$ 1,476.00
	Total:	$ 72,870.00
VILLAGES BEVERLY HILLS:	**SIDEWALK IMPROVEMENTS (A) (1)** Sidewalk ramping and replacement along Evergreen, Southfield and Greenfield between 13 and 14 Mile roads and along 13 and 14 mile roads between Evergreen and Greenfield.	$ 21,073.00
	Total:	$ 21,073.00
CLARKSTON:	**SIDEWALK IMPROVEMENTS (A) (1)** Replace sidewalks and correct grade problems along Holcomb between city boundaries.	$ 2,101.00
	SAFETY PATHS (A) (1) Connect Holcomb walk to existing village safety paths.	$ 2,437.00
	BEAUTIFICATION (A) (1) Tree planting along West Holcomb.	$ 1,069.00
	Total:	$ 5,607.00
HOLLY:	**DOWNTOWN REVITALIZATION (B) (1)** Resurface 1 block of pavement on Maple, between C & O Railroad and Saginaw; install manhole at sewer main intersection on Maple; and resurface 1/8 mile of asphalt between Battle Alley and Maple.	$ 13,814.00
	HOUSING REHABILITATION (A) (2) Housing rehabilitation in area bounded by C & O Railroad, (E), Sherwood (W), Maple and Front (S) and properties on north side of North Street (N).	$ 4,207.00
	Total:	$ 18,021.00
LAKE ORION:	**RECREATION FACILITIES (A) (1)** Develop parking at Swiss Village and Bellevue Island Parks.	$ 9,298.00

COMMUNITY Villages	ACTIVITY	ALLOCATION
	PUBLIC SERVICE ACTIVITY (A) (3) Home chore services for seniors.	$ 1,671.00
	Total:	$ 10,969.00
LEONARD:	**RECREATIONAL FACILITIES OR EQUIPMENT (A) (1)** Purchase and develop land within village limits for recreational activities.	$ 5,766.00
	Total:	$ 5,766.00
MILFORD:	**SENIOR CITIZEN CENTER (A) (1)** Develop senior center with Milford Township.	$ 18,268.00
	Total:	$ 18,268.00
ORTONVILLE:	**DRAINAGE IMPROVEMENTS (A) (1)** Storm sewer for Ball Street from Cedar east to Church.	$ 3,325.00
	Total	$ 3,325.00
OXFORD:	**SIDEWALK IMPROVEMENTS (A) (1)** Sidewalk improvements along the 1st ½ block from Washington east and west, along Burdick for 1 block and north and south from existing new walks on east side of M-24.	$ 12,456.00
	Total:	$ 12,456.00
WOLVERINE LAKE:	**HOUSING REHABILITATION (A) (2)** Housing rehabilitation program to be administered by Oakland County.	$ 12,900.00
	ADMINISTRATION (3)	$ 645.00
	Total:	$ 13,545.00
COUNTY OF OAKLAND:	**HOUSING REHABILITATION (A) (2)** Implement a housing rehabilitation program for all communities participating in the county program.	$ 1,522,713.00
	ADMINISTRATION (3) Administer the CDBG program through management, accounting, planning and public information activities as well as annual monitoring of local programs and the county operation.	$ 556,114.46
	CONTINGENCY (2)	$ 140,000.00
	Total:	$ 2,219,827.46
	COMMUNITY TOTAL:	$ 1,951,333.25
	COUNTY TOTAL:	$ 2,219,827.46
	GRAND TOTAL:	$ 4,171,360.71

More than 77% of the aggregate use of 1987 CDBG funds will benefit low/moderate income persons.

KEY: **Benefit Criteria—** (A) Benefit to low/moderate income households; persons, families.
(B) Elimination of slum and blight.
(C) Meets an urgent community need.

Environmental Review Status— (1) Environmentally assessed
(2) Categorically Excluded
(3) Exempt

*1987 CDBG allocation ($3,597,000) plus county program income ($556,751.46) plus community program income (17,609.25) for a total of $4,171,360.71 as of 12/31/86.

ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW

Notice of Finding of no Significant Effect on the Environment

The County of Oakland has prepared an Environmental Review Record in respect to the aforementioned projects and has determined that the listed projects will not constitute an action significantly affecting the quality of the human environment and, accordingly, the County of Oakland has decided not to prepare an Environmental Impact Statement under the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969. The reasons for such decision not to prepare such statement are as follows:

A. Adverse impacts on the physical or natural environment are negligible and other impacts are beneficial.

B. The projects will make no significant increased demand on the public services and will create no pollution impacts.

C. The projects will not substantially change the income, racial, ethnic, age distribution or population size of the county. Other impacts on the social environment are neutral or beneficial.

D. The extent of any environmental impact is limited to the county.

E. The nature, magnitude and extent of any environmental impact on the project, whether beneficial or adverse are such that there will be no significant effect on the environment.

An Environmental Review Record respecting the aforementioned 1987 projects has been made by Oakland County which documents the environmental review of the project and more fully sets forth reasons why such statement is not required. The environmental review status respecting the aforementioned 1987 projects is keyed as:

(1) environmentally assessed
(2) categorically excluded
(3) exempt

The Environmental Review Record is on file at the office of the Community Development Division located at 1200 North Telegraph Road, Pontiac, MI and is available for public examination upon request in Room 112 between 8:30 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. All interested agencies, groups and persons disagreeing with this decision are invited to submit written comments to the Community Development Division Manager for consideration by Oakland County. Such written comments must be received from March 31, 1987 until the close of business at 5:00 p.m. on April 14, 1987. All such comments so received will be considered and Oakland County will not request the release of federal funds or take any administrative action on the within project prior to April 14, 1987.

NOTICE OF REQUEST FOR RELEASE OF FUNDS

On or about Wednesday, April 15, 1987, the County of Oakland, a Michigan Constitutional Corporation, will request the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) to release federal funds under Title I of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974, as amended to undertake the aforementioned projects for which an Environmental Review Record has been prepared. It has been determined that such requests for release of funds will not constitute an action significantly affecting the quality of the human environment.

The County of Oakland, located at 1200 North Telegraph Road, Pontiac, MI, will undertake the projects described above with Block Grant funds from HUD under Title I of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974, as amended. The County of Oakland is certifying to HUD that the County of Oakland and Daniel T. Murphy, County Executive, consent to accept the jurisdiction of the Federal Courts, if an action is brought to enforce responsibilities in relation to Environmental Reviews decision making and action, and that these responsibilities have been satisfied. The legal effect on the certification is that upon its approval, the County of Oakland may use the Block Grant funds and HUD will have satisfied its responsibilities under the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969. HUD will accept an objection to its approval of release of funds and acceptance of the certification only if it is on one of the following basis:

A. That the certification was not in fact executed by the chief executive officer of the applicant approved by HUD;

B. That the applicant's environmental review record for the project indicated omission of a required decision, finding, or step applicable to the project in the environmental review process. Objections must be prepared and submitted in accordance with the required procedure (24 CFR Part 58) and may be addressed to HUD at Patrick V. McNamara Federal Building, 477 W. Michigan Avenue, Detroit, MI, 48226. Objections to this release of funds on bases other than those stated above will not be considered by HUD.

All interested agencies, groups, and persons must specifically indicate whether the objections submitted addresses the Environmental Review or the Request for Release of Funds. No objection received after Thursday, April 30, 1987 will be considered by HUD.

Daniel T. Murphy
Oakland County Executive
Monday, March 30, 1987

HOME IMPROVEMENTS A COUNTY TRADITION

RESTORING HOUSES TO GOOD REPAIR

Community Development has a long-standing commitment to helping low and moderate income families afford necessary home repairs.

Through our Home Improvement Program, homeowners receive low interest loans of up to $7,000 to make their homes safer and more comfortable. Improvements may include roofs, plumbing, electrical, water and sewer systems or other structural repairs.

The loan program works on a sliding scale of income and family size. Depending on these two variables, interest rates vary from one to three percent. Incomes as high as $32,500 may qualify.

Our technicians inspect each home to determine which repairs are most urgent. After the homeowner and technicians decide on the work, the job is bid out to prequalified contractors. The work is inspected while in progress and after completion to ensure a job well done.

Last year, Community Development funded over $1 million in loans to make 162 homes more comfortable, healthy and structurally sound.

IMPROVED HOUSING FOR RENTERS

Low and moderate income residents sometimes have trouble finding rental housing that is both affordable and in good repair. Community Development's Rental Rehabilitation Program (RRP) encourages landlords to improve their properties, making rentals safer and more appealing for low and moderate income tenants.

Rental property investors can receive a 50% rebate on repair costs, up to $5,000 per rental unit. Investors must bring the units up to Housing and Urban Development (HUD) Section 8 Existing Housing Standards, have rents affordable to low and moderate income tenants, and agree not to convert the repaired units into condominiums for ten years.

Property owners may apply for RRP through Community Development. Technicians verify information on rents, tenants incomes, property conditions, and whether the property is in a target area. After the investor completes the work, technicians inspect the job to ensure compliance with HUD standards and to release RRP reimbursements.

RRP has benefits for tenants as well as rental property investors. In addition to the landlord's rebate, tenants, if income qualified, are eligible for a Section 8 Voucher or Certificate. Section 8 is a rent subsidy program whereby a portion of the tenant's rent is paid directly to the landlord by the government. The amount of rent paid under this program is proportional to income.

To date, 11 projects have been financed to improve 37 individual rental units. RRP financed repairs have benefitted both investors and renters in Ferndale, Walled Lake, Auburn Hills, Lake Orion, Holly and White Lake. A total of $197,000 is still available to rental property investors.

FAIR HOUSING FOR EVERYONE

April is National Fair Housing Month. Fair Housing isn't just an idea. It's the law. Every person in Oakland County has an equal right to choose housing suited to their needs and financial ability.

April 1987 marks the 19th anniversary of the National Fair Housing Law, Title VIII of the Civil Rights Act of 1968, and is an appropriate time to re-examine the rights and responsibilities we Americans have under this historic legislation.

This Act, together with State of Michigan legislation prohibits discrimination in the sale or rental of housing and calls for equal opportunity for all citizens regardless of race, color, sex, national origin, age, marital status, religion or handicap.

If you think you have been the victim of discrimination in the sale, purchase or rental of housing, call the following agencies for fair housing information and assistance:

*Oakland County Housing Counseling Service, 858-5402
*HUD Office of Fair Housing and Equal Opportunity, 266-6898
*Fair Housing Center 963-1274
*Michigan Civil Rights Commission, 334-4978

OAKLAND COUNTY GIVES YOU DIRECTION IN HOUSING

If you have any questions about housing in Oakland County and are unsure of where to go for advice, the Housing and Real Estate Section's Housing Counselor can help. In 1986, 1,746 families received help with problems of rent delinquency, mortgage foreclosures, securing affordable housing, landlord-tenant disputes and fair housing practices. If you have a housing problem or question, call Oakland County's Housing Counselor for FREE counseling and referral services regarding:

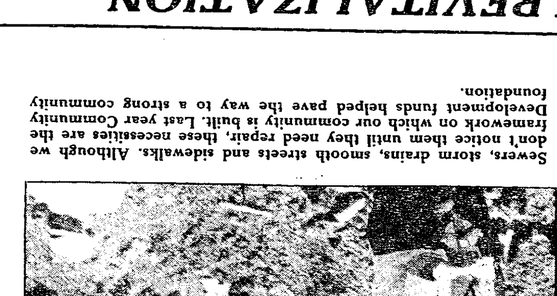
- Finding a Place to Live
- Subsidized Housing/Rentals
- Evictions
- Mortgage Foreclosures
- Landlord/Tenant Problems
- Home Repair and General Maintenance
- Discrimination in Housing
- Budgeting and Money Management
- Deciding Whether to Rent or Buy

Call Toll Free:
Holly, Rose Areas: 634-4418, ext. 8-5402
South Lyon, Novi, Farmington Areas: 349-7850 ext. 8-5402
Southfield, Royal Oak, Troy Areas: 645-1150 ext. 8-5402
All Others: 858-5402

HOME WEATHERIZATION

Community Development funds Oakland Livingston Human Service Agency's Project Warmth so that low and moderate income persons can learn how to weatherize their homes for greater winter comfort and economy.

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT SHINES NEW LIGHT ON REVITALIZING OUR DOWNTOWNS



Older downtown areas have a heritage to preserve and an economy to redevelop. Improvements such as decorative street lighting, landscaping, renovation of building facades and new sidewalks all help to make downtowns like Ferndale, Oxford, Berkley and Madison Heights more inviting and attractive places to be.

COMMERCIAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

Keeping business districts healthy while preserving their architectural heritage is the major function of Oakland County Community Development's Commercial Assistance Program (CAP). CAP provides new impetus for communities to improve the visual and economic health of their central business districts by helping merchants and property owners afford storefront and building improvements. CAP reduces the cost of bank loans to merchants and property owners through a blend of public Community Development Block Grant funds with private financing from Manufacturers National Bank of Detroit. This public/private partnership offers 100% fixed rate financing for commercial property rehabilitation at substantially below market interest rates.

Approximately $700,000.00 in CDBG funds are being used to leverage a total pool of about $4 million for commercial property rehabilitation in Ferndale, Hazel Park, Holly, Milford, Ortonville, Oxford, Walled Lake, Pleasant Ridge, Beverly Hills, Oak Park, Springfield, Rochester, Keego Harbor, Madison Heights, Rochester Hills, Berkley and Farmington.

Sewers, storm drains, smooth streets and sidewalks. Although we don't notice them until they need repair, these necessities are the framework on which our community is built. Last year Community Development funds helped pave the way to a strong community foundation.

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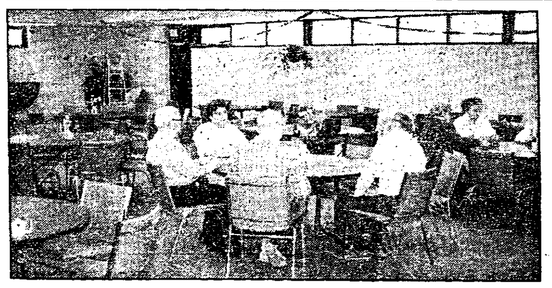


COMMUNITY CENTERS

Providing residents with a safe and convenient place to participate in educational and leisure time activities is an important aspect of Community Development. Young and old alike reap benefits from the construction and renovation of community centers in areas such as Highland Township, Royal Oak Township, Sylvan Lake, Addison Township and Madison Heights.

SERVICES FOR SENIORS

Many seniors lack basic services such as transportation, nutrition and recreation. Community Development helps local municipalities improve services for the health and enjoyment of senior citizens.

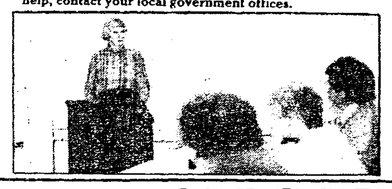
Community Development finances condemnation and demolition activities to remove dangerous and unsightly structures from neighborhoods.

YOU HAVE A SAY

Citizen participation is a cornerstone of the Community Development Block Grant program. Before your local municipality can apply for funds, it must hold a public hearing so you can voice your opinion on projects that should be initiated. This hearing is usually held during November or December.

Based on this public hearing, your community submits its projects to the County where they are assembled into a county plan. The Citizen Advisory Council for Community Development then hosts a county-wide public hearing in February or March to allow you another opportunity to provide input into how block grant funds are spent.

Your needs are important and your opinions are valued. If you have suggestions on how to improve the place where you live and you think CDBG funds can help, contact your local government offices.



PARK DEVELOPMENT

The Community Development Block Grant Program develops and improves Oakland County parklands and turns vacant neighborhood lots into community parks with attractive landscaping, park furniture and playground equipment close to home.

CDBG RESPONDS TO SPECIAL NEIGHBORHOOD NEEDS

CDBG FINANCES PROJECTS TO STRENGTHEN COMMUNITIES

PUBLIC NOTICE
COUNTY OF OAKLAND
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT (CDBG) PROGRAM
1987-88 STATEMENT OF COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT
OBJECTIVES AND PROJECTED USE OF FUNDS

Since 1975, the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) has granted over 150 million to Oakland County to administer annual Community Development Programs pursuant to the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974, as amended.

The primary objective of Title I of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974, as amended, and of the Oakland County CDBG Program is the development of viable urban communities, by providing economic opportunities, principally for persons of low and moderate income.

Consistent with this primary objective, the Housing and Community Developments Act identifies three broad national program objectives. Oakland County gives maximum feasible priority to CDBG projects which comply with one or more of the national objectives.

NATIONAL PROGRAM OBJECTIVES

A. Assure benefit to low and moderate income persons; not less than 51% of a grantee's aggregate funds shall be used to support activities that benefit low and moderate income persons.
B. Aid in the prevention or elimination of slums or blighting community conditions.
C. Meet other community development needs having a particular urgency because existing conditions pose a serious and immediate threat to the health or welfare of the community where other financial resources are not available to meet such needs.

In promoting the national objectives Oakland County Community Development has developed the following specific objectives and strategies consistent with policy statements for Federal, State, Regional and County levels of government for the 1987-88 program year.

COUNTY PROGRAM OBJECTIVES

1. Encourage communities to realistically plan for their future development and to assist communities in the development of a structure with capacity to implement activities.
2. Increase community commitment to proposed community development activities.
3. Discourage the use of Community Development funds on projects which can be funded through other sources.
4. Improve, upgrade and increase property values through the concentration of rehabilitation efforts within the neighborhood.
5. Reduce the number of substandard dwelling units within the county through rehabilitation of existing residential units.
6. Improve living conditions within housing units and reduce the financial burden of low and moderate income persons.
7. Reduce housing maintenance and fuel costs and enable lower income persons to remain in their housing units.
8. Give homeowner incentive to maintain and improve conditions in housing units.
9. Assist homeowners in using available resources to accomplish housing rehabilitation.
10. Reduce the isolation of income groups and disperse housing opportunities for low and moderate income persons.
11. Increase the supply of affordable rental housing units for senior citizens and low and moderate income persons through rehabilitation of existing rental units.
12. Encourage communities to develop and implement comprehensive business district revitalization programs.
13. Create economic climate in commercial business areas for private reinvestment.
14. Forge public-private partnerships between county, communities, merchants, property owners and financial institutions for commercial business district revitalization.
15. Minimize displacement of persons as a result of CDBG assisted activities through council and careful assessment of each project requiring displacement.
16. Relocation assistance in accordance with Uniform Relocation Act of 1970 and mitigate adverse effects of displacement on low and moderate income persons.
17. Insure that persons displaced as a result of CDBG assisted projects will be treated fairly, consistently, and equitably so such persons will not suffer disproportionate injuries as a result of projects designed for the benefit of the public as a whole.
18. Insure that tenants displaced involuntarily and permanently as a result of the use of CDBG assistance to acquire or substantially rehabilitate property will be treated the same as activities covered under the Uniform Relocation Assistance and Real Property Acquisition Policies Act of 1970.

A variety of projects are eligible for CDBG funding. The following projects are eligible uses of Community Development Block Grant funds in accordance with federal regulations of October 31, 1984 Rules and Regulations defined in 24 CFR Part 570:

Acquisition	Interim Assistance
Disposition	Relocation
Public Facilities and Improvements	Removal of Architectural Barriers
Senior Centers	Rehabilitation/Preservation
Recreational Facilities	Public Residential Rehabilitation
Centers for the Handicapped	Public Housing Modernization
Neighborhood Facilities	Rehabilitation of Private Properties
Fire Protection	Temporary Relocation Assistance
Parking	Code Enforcement
Public Utilities	Historic Preservation
Street Improvements	Economic Development
Water and Sewer	Acquisition
Pedestrian Malls and Walkways	Public Facilities and Improvements
Others: Miscellaneous	Commercial and Industrial Facilities
Clearance/Demolition	Planning and Management
Public Services	Administration

All objectives and strategy statements as well as complete definition of eligible activities are available for public review in the Oakland Community Development Division located at 1200 N. Telegraph Road, Executive Office Building, Room 112, Pontiac, MI. 48053. Appointments may be made Monday through Friday, between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.

ASSESSMENT OF 1986 CDBG PROGRAM EXPENDITURES AND RELATIONSHIP TO COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT OBJECTIVES
January 1, 1986-December 31, 1986

The following Community Development Program expenditures (listed by community project type and allocation year) were made during 1986. These expenditures are consistent with and keyed to the aforementioned National Objectives (A, B, C). Approximatedly 75% of the aggregate use of CDBG funds expended during 1986 principally benefit low and moderate income persons.

COMMUNITY	ACTIVITY	EXPENDITURE
CITIES		
Auburn Hills:		
1982, 83, 84	Drainage Improvements (A)	$ 42,348.10
1983, 84	Planning/Management	10,790.60
1985	Street Improvements (A)	4,541.43
1985	Water/Sewer Facility (A)	6,357.25
	Totals:	$ 64,037.38
Berkley:		
1983, 84	Recreation Facilities (A)	$ 35,148.00
1986	Housing Rehabilitation (A)	136,183.00
	Totals:	$ 171,331.00
Clawson:		
1984, 85, 86	Barrier Free Design (A)	$ 61,458.40
1984	Fire Facilities (A)	3,282.34
1986	Street Improvements (A)	15,407.38
1986	Water System Improvements (A)	22,836.83
1986	Housing Rehabilitation (A)	49,540.00
	Totals:	$ 152,336.79
Farmington:		
1984	Barrier Free Design (A)	$ 12,008.80
1984, 85	Downtown Revitalization (A, B)	8,554.39
1984	Sidewalk Improvements (A)	28,272.30
1985	Home Chore Program (A)	1,040.000
1985, 86	Administration	3,126.21
1986	Housing Rehabilitation (A)	12,403.86
	Totals:	$ 60,496.10
Ferndale:		
1982	Code Enforcement (A)	$ 62.58
1982	Housing Rehabilitation (A)	17,375.63
1982, 83	Neighborhood Services (A)	6087.24
1982	Street Improvements (A)	12,322.42
1983	Code Enforcement (A)	31.25
1983	Beautification (A)	6,883.00
1983	Street Improvements (A)	169.00
1983, 84, 85	Administration	22,989.98
1984	Code Enforcement (A)	29,289.78
1984	Economic Development (A)	1,317.89
1984	Housing Rehabilitation (A)	3,182.90
1984	Recreation Facilities (A)	8,997.26
1985	Condemnation/Demolition (A, B)	359.74
1986	Recreation Facilities (A)	28.32
1986	Administration	2,353.39
1986	Housing Rehabilitation (A)	96,114.00
	Totals:	$ 216,284.38
Hazel Park:		
1982, 83	Acquisition/Demolition (A)	$ 12,487.40
1983	Economic Development (A)	27,760.03
1983	Planning/Management	5,380.00
1984	Beautification (A)	13,350.00
1984, 85	Minor Home Repair (A)	6,310.66
1984	Sidewalk Improvements (A)	19,267.03
1986	Planning/Management	5,421.87
1985	Acquisition/Demolition (A, B)	4,691.47
1985	Economic Development (A, B)	6,138.47
1985	Administration	28,801.87
1986	Sidewalk Improvements (A, B)	1,499.04
1986	Housing Rehabilitation (A)	110,920.00
	Totals:	$ 250,628.21
Huntington Woods:		
1984	Commercial Rehabilitation (B)	$ 5,761.75
1985, 86	Downtown Revitalization (B)	35,523.07
	Totals:	$ 41,084.32
Keego Harbor:		
1981, 83	Removal Architectural Barriers (A)	$ 16,000.00
1983	Downtown Revitalization (A)	3,490.80
1983	Street Improvements (A)	856.07
1983	Planning/Management	1,233.00
1984	Recreation Facilities (A)	2,844.00
1985	Barrier Free Design (A)	18,132.75
1986	Housing Rehabilitation (A)	14,660.00
	Totals:	$ 56,417.82
Lathrup Village:		
1981	Park Development (A)	$ 411.54
1983, 85	Senior Citizen Vehicle (A)	2,631.96
1984	Recreation Facilities (A)	1,010.51
1986	Housing Rehabilitation (A)	7,350.00
	Totals:	$ 11,404.11
Madison Heights:		
1981	Commercial Rehabilitation (A, B)	$ 25,176.07
1982	Senior Citizen Center (A)	71,857.93
1982	Planning/Management	1,431.25
1983	Senior Citizen Center (A)	128,000.00
1983, 84, 86	Administration	36,020.97
1984	Commercial Improvements (A, B)	14,049.72
1984	Downtown Revitalization (B)	34,923.61
1984	Senior Citizen Center (A)	2,837.14
1985	Code Enforcement (A)	2,899.13
1985, 86	Public Services (A)	10,302.49
1985, 86	Recreation Facilities (A)	16,724.78
1985	Senior Citizen Center (A)	20,000.00
1986	Housing Rehabilitation	117,635.00
	Totals:	$ 479,389.98
Novi:		
1982	Planning/Management	$ 1,578.50
1983	Economic Development (A, B)	99,895.13
1984	Recreation Facilities (A)	38,176.68
1985	Minor Home Repair (A)	1,468.00
1985	Administration	2,615.46
1986	Housing Rehabilitation (A)	6,999.00
	Totals:	$ 150,732.77
Oak Park:		
1983	Commercial Rehabilitation (B)	$ 1,793.76
1983, 85, 86	Minor Home Repair (A)	71,114.95
1983	Removal Architectural Barriers (A)	19,674.33
1984, 85	Barrier Free Design (A)	73,860.40
1984	Sidewalk Improvements (A)	19,259.16
1984	Water Facilities (A)	4,163.99
1985	Beautification (A)	8,836.91
1985	Recreation Facilities (A)	25,000.00
1985	Sidewalk Improvements (A)	28,000.00
1985, 86	Administration	18,663.80
1986	Housing Rehabilitation (A)	106,969.00
	Totals:	$ 379,356.00
Orchard Lake Villages:		
1985	Public Services (A)	$ 675.00
1985, 86	Senior Citizen Center (A)	3,983.73
	Totals:	$ 4,658.73
Pleasant Ridge:		
1984, 85	Senior Citizens Center (A)	$ 6,365.00
1985	Public Services (A)	1,160.38
1986	Housing Rehabilitation (A)	21,306.00
	Totals:	$ 28,831.38
Rochester:		
1983	Removal Architectural Barriers (A)	$ 13,155.37
1983	Administration	100.00
1984	Downtown Revitalization (A)	10,000.00
1986	Commercial Assistance Program (A, B)	2,171.00
	Totals:	$ 25,426.37
Rochester Hills:		
1984	Water/Sewer Facility (A)	$ 146,000.00
1985	Water System Improvement (A)	146,000.00
1986	Housing Rehabilitation (A)	36,002.00
	Totals:	$ 327,002.00
South Lyon:		
1985	Water System Improvement (A)	$ 9,767.84
	Totals:	$ 9,767.84
Sylvan Lake:		
1985	Housing Rehabilitation (A)	$ 7,581.00
	Totals:	$ 7,581.00
Troy:		
1984	Street Improvements (A)	$ 37.09
1985	Water System Improvement (A)	64,373.40
1986	Housing Rehabilitation (A)	55,497.00
	Totals:	$ 119,929.49
Walled Lake:		
1986	Housing Rehabilitation (A)	$ 21,260.00
	Totals:	$ 21,260.00
Wixom:		
1983	Historic Preservation (A, B)	260.92
1984, 85, 86	Downtown Revitalization (A, B)	45,346.25
1984	Historic Preservation (A, B)	515.37
1984	Recreation Facilities (A)	8,711.11
1985	Minor Home Repair (A)	130.00
	Totals:	$ 55,463.65
Townships		
Addison:		
1984	Public Services (A)	$ 1,074.00
	Totals:	$ 1,074.00
Brandon:		
1984, 85	Sidewalk Improvements (A)	$ 35,605.60
1986	Housing Rehabilitation (A)	7,360.00
	Totals:	$ 42,965.60
Commerce:		
1981, 82, 83	Street Improvements (A)	$ 86,504.77
1981	Planning/Management	602.36
1984, 85	Street Improvements (A)	56,458.04
1985	Recreation Facilities (A)	1,200.00
1986	Housing Rehabilitation (A)	50,288.00
	Totals:	$ 195,133.17
Groveland:		
1983	Fire Protection Facility (A)	$ 2,092.51
1984, 85	Planning/Management	1,061.00
	Totals:	$ 3,153.51
Highland:		
1983	Street Improvements (A)	$ 9,601.43
1984	Senior Citizen Center (A)	21,262.86
1986	Housing Rehabilitation (A)	4,725.00
	Totals:	$ 35,589.09
Holly:		
1981, 83	Fire Protection Facility (A)	$ 7,968.00
1984	Fire Protection Facility (A)	21,300.00
1985	Senior Citizen Center (A)	2,970.00
	Totals:	$ 32,438.00
Independence:		
1983	Downtown Revitalization (B)	$ 1,899.82
1983	Senior Citizen Center (A)	484.75
1984	Recreation Facilities (A)	3,119.33
1985	Barrier Free Design (A)	1,867.13
1985	Minor Home Repair (A)	12,017.00
1985	Public Services (A)	3,147.00
19855	Special Assessment Fund (A)	8,364.11
1985	Administration	28.00
1986	Housing Rehabilitation (A)	60,779.00
	Totals:	$ 89,682.36
Oakland:		
1983	Fire Protection Facility (A)	$ 4,888.40
1986	Housing Rehabilitation (A)	14,364.00
	Totals:	$ 19,252.40
Orion:		
1985, 86	Public Services (A)	$ 7,682.94
1986	Housing Rehabilitation (A)	7,132.00
	Totals:	$ 14,812.94
Oxford:		
1985	Senior Citizen Center (A)	$ 5,432.99
	Totals:	$ 5,432.99
Rose:		
1986	Housing Rehabilitation (A)	$ 7,000.00
	Totals:	$ 7,000.00
Royal Oak Twp.:		
1984	Fire Facility and Equipment (A)	$ 6,837.74
1985	Demolition (A)	13,283.00
1985	Public Services (A)	4,231.00
1986	Condemnation/Demolition	363.00
	Totals:	$ 26,768.74
Springfield:		
1984	Housing Rehabilitation (A)	$ 12,360.00
	Totals:	$ 12,360.00
West Bloomfield:		
1981, 83	Safety Paths (A)	$ 8,692.78
1983	Planning/Management	778.50
1984, 85	Recreation Facilities (A)	34,370.14
1984, 85	Safety Paths (A)	48,501.93
1984, 85	Senior Citizen Center (A)	4,300.00
1984, 85	Planning/Management	450.94
1985	Public Services (A)	6,477.00
1986	Housing Rehabilitation (A)	38,857.00
	Totals:	$ 144,843.33

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KING CASES	$21.00 PAIR	$13.88 PAIR

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Full/Queen	$95.00	$69.88 EA.	$57.88 SET
QUEEN	$62.50		$47.88 SET
KING	$115.00	$89.88 EA.	$57.88 SET
KING SET	$275.00		$157.88 SET

	Comforters	Compare	db
TWIN	$65.00	$49.88 EA.	$37.88 SET
FULL/Queen	$95.00	$69.88 EA.	$57.88 SET
KING	$115.00	$89.88 EA.	$57.88 SET

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QUEEN	$85.00	$67.88 EA.
KING	$95.00	$77.88 EA.

COMFORTER SETS

		db
TWIN SET	$135.00	$98.88 SET
FULL/QUEEN SET	$200.00	$149.88 SET
KING SET	$245.00	$183.88 SET

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SHEET SETS

	Compare	db
TWIN	$32.00	$24.88 SET
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Lengths up to 126" 42"	20.10	24.00	28.80	36.60	47.10
48"	21.90	26.10	31.80	40.50	52.20
54"	23.70	28.50	34.80	44.40	57.00
60"	25.80	30.90	37.80	48.30	62.10

This chart reflects prices after 70% discount

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CONCORD 1" Mini Blinds 75% OFF ALL SIZES

Widths up to 112"	23"	29"	36"	48"	62"	72"
Lengths up to 100" 42"	16.75	20.00	24.00	30.50	39.25	44.50
48"	18.25	21.75	26.50	33.75	43.50	49.25
54"	19.75	23.75	29.00	37.00	47.50	54.25
60"	21.50	25.75	31.50	40.25	51.75	59.00

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	SIZE	Compare	db
Fiberglass	37¼ x 6	25.00	14.88
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Widths up to 142"	23"	29"	36"	48"	62"
Lengths up to 126" 42"	20.10	24.00	28.80	36.60	47.10
48"	21.90	26.10	31.80	40.50	52.20
54"	23.70	28.50	34.80	44.40	57.00
60"	25.80	30.90	37.80		62.10

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MICRO ½" BALI MINI BLINDS 67½% OFF ALL SIZES

Widths up to 120"	23"	26"	29"	32"	36"	40"
Lengths up to 120" 42"	27.34	29.66	31.97	34.28	38.46	41.45
48"	29.73	32.30	34.88	37.45	42.02	45.45
54"	32.11	34.95	37.78	40.62	45.56	49.35
60"	34.50	37.59	41.01	43.78	49.13	53.26

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KING	$48.00	$28.88

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