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1966-67 Municipal Budget Previewed; Extra 47¢ to Cover Half-Year Costs

City council and Greenbelt citizens at last Monday's meeting got a peek at the 1966-67 municipal budget, but the complete document will not be ready before the end of the week. City manager James K. Giese presented to council a preliminary tabulation of the budgetary situation for the coming year.

Based on Giese's figures, the estimated real estate tax rate for the coming year will be \$1.50 per \$100 assessed valuation. This compares with the current rate of \$1.07 per \$100.

The \$1.50 breaks down into two parts . \$1.03 is to finance expenditures for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1967; \$0.47 is the extra half-year's tax needed for the conversion of the tax year from a calendar year basis to a fiscal year basis, as required by the State legislature. The \$0.47 is thus just a one-time tax levy to cover the city's expenditures for the last half of the fiscal year 1966 (January 1966-June 1966).

Increasing Tax Base

Giese pointed out that only a few years ago (1962) the regular Greenbelt city tax rate for a 12month period was \$1.50.

The gradual reduction since 1962 in the regular 12-month tax rate to \$1.03 can be attributed mainly to a rise in the tax base (assessed valuation). The tax base, which was about \$9.4 million in 1962, rose to \$24.5 million in calendar year 1965 and is estimated at \$30.5 million for 1966-67.

The proposed budget for 1966-67 calls for expenditures of \$599,800. The current year's budget calls for expenditures of \$563,400 but because of the delay in construction of the Greenhill Rd.-Hillside Rd. and the Ridge Rd.-Lastner Lane cut-throughs, it is anticipated that only \$496,000 will be expended. The 1966-67 budget reflects the cost of these cut-throughs.

Upon questioning by council, Giese stated that the work had been awaiting the pavement of Lastner Lane so that both cutthroughs could be made simultaneously in accordance with council wishes. The city's engineering firm is now preparing specifications, preliminary to taking bids from contractors. Giese doubted. however, that such contracts would encumber funds from the current year's budget; hence, his inclusion of the expenditures, amounting to an estimated \$42,000, in next year's

Since most of the cost of these cut-throughs will be financed through special assessments on adjoining property-owner's-chiefly Greenbelt Homes, Inc. - the tax rate will be only slightly affected, Giese said.

Dept. Increases Proposed

The tentative 1966-67 budget calls for major increases of \$3.8 thousand in the police department over last year's appropriation; of \$7.8 thousand in parks and recreation department; of \$16.4 thousand in debt service; and of \$21.4 thousand in miscellaneous. These increases are offset to some extent by an anticipated drop of \$12.5 thousand in public works expenditures.

The city council will hold a series of meetings on the budget on Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday of next week. These meetings are open to the public. The date for the official public hearing has been tentatively set for Tuesday, May 31. The budget must be adopted by city council by June 10.

Regional Library Renamed

The Prince Georges County Memorial Library's Regional Library, 6530 Adelphi rd., Hyattsville, is now known as the "Hyattsville Library," effective May 1, concurrent with a change of name of the Hyattsville Branch, 4330 Farragut st., Hyattsville, to "Magruder

GHI PLANS FOR ANNUAL ON MAY 18; OFFERS DOOR PRIZES

by Sid Kastner No less than eighteen different items, big and little, occupied the board's attention at the regular GHI meeting Thursday night. The agenda for the annual meeting on May 18 has been almost completed, subject to membership approval, and door prizes have also been decided upon for the event; they will consist of three credit certificates for \$25.00, \$15.00 and \$10.00 for first, second and third prize respectively. All GHI members are eligible except board members, employees and their families.

The meeting format will depart somewhat from that of previous years , with the president's report essentially being broken up into sections each given by a board member. Edward Burgoon, who will be leaving the board, was given appreciative acknowledgment by his associates for having been one of the "original prime movers" of the corporaton.

Manager Breashears reported that architect Ball has completed preliminary drawings for the large homes, and will meet today (May 5) with the ad hoc committee, the designated owners, and any other interested people who might wish to attend.

A start has been made on an orientation program for new GHI members, with a letter that will go out soon according to Mrs. Betty Allen of the Member Relations Committee. The manager was also authorized to develop a slide exhibit to illustrate the workings of the cooperative.

Willow Trees .The hottest argument of the eve-

ning ensued over the place of willow trees in GHI's future. They are troublesome because their roots grow into drainpipes, clogging them up. Director James Smith moved to adopt a policy of discouraging the planting of the trees. Director John O'Reilly, backed by Director Nat Shinderman, made a substitute motion to refer the issue to an appropriate committee, since he felt a decision should not be made hastily. This lost narrowly, after director Gerald Gough whimsically suggested the tree should be eradicated by "seeking out its mortal enemy" on the assumption it must have one. Smith's motion was passed, so that the days of the willow tree are numbered.

A matter carried over from earlier Greenbelt Development Corporation business, held just before the regular GHI session, involved the formulation of a response to a letter from the Greenbelt Community Relations Advisory Board.

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WHAT GOES ON

Fri., May 6, 9 a.m. - 3 p.m., First Grade Registration - North End and Center Schools

Mon., May 9, 7 p.m., Co-op Dinner and Meeting, Firehouse 8 p.m., Budget Hearings, Municipal Building

Tues., May 10, 10:30 a.m. Co-op Homemaker's Open House, Co-op Hospitality Room 8 p.m., Budget Hearings, Municipal Building

Wed., May 11, 8 p.m., Budget Hearings, Municipal Building 8 p.m. Steering Committee for abor Day Festival, Youth

Amended Bill of Complaint Is Filed Against Bresler

by Elaine Skolnik

Mayor Edgar L. Smith reported at Monday's city council meeting that city solicitor Thomas R. Brooks filed an amended Bill of Complaint on April 27 against developer Charles Bresler. This action by the city was taken after receiving a demurrer from Bresler replying to the original Bill of Complant which charged Bresler with violating the 1962 covenants restricting density on the 50-acre Charlestowne Village tract to 7 units per acre.

According to popular legal terminology, a demurrer in essence says "everything you say is true, but you have no legal case."

Bresler and his wife on June 2, 1964, unilaterally filed a "Release of Covenants" declaring the covenants inoperative since the mortgage holder was not a party to the agreement. It was not until the city instituted suit against Bresler for violating the covenants when he took out a building permit on December 30, 1965, to erect an 8s t o r y apartment behind the Charlestowne Village pool, that it learned of the voiding of the covenants. Bresler now has fifteen days to answer the amended Bill of Complaint which added new information to the original suit.

Smith also reported that on May petition to intervene for Twentieth Century Investments, Inc., current owners of 25 acres of the Charlestowne tract, was filed by the corporation's lawyer, T. Hammond Welsh. Welsh contends that Twentieth Century, whose sole owner is reported to be Theodore Lerner, a partner of Bresler's in other land transactions, is not bound by the covenants on grounds that foreclosure on the 25 acres effectively destroyed the covenants. The 25 acres involved (Parcels D, E, and F) were bought at a foreclosure sale by Lunar Development Co. Inc., in September 1965, and subsequently purchased by Twentieth Century Investments, Inc., in October 1965. Bresler and his wife still retain ownership of the remaining 25 acres on Parcels A, B, and C (Charlestowne Village, nursing home and proposed 8-story apartment). The next step to be taken is for the city to reply to the petition to intervene within 15 days. Upon receiving replies from both parties, the court will decide whether to set a hearing date.

In other action to compel Bresler to honor covenants and agreements signed by him, the city is preparing to file a suit for specific performance against Bresler to force him to deed 3.33 acres of parkland at the bay of the lake to the city as promised within two vears of the agreement of 1962. As recently as May 1965, Bresler personally assured the city council that the transfer would take place in the following four or five months. The city has not yet received the land.

City Council Votes to Start Suit to Acquire Parkland

by Al Skolnik

Advisory Planning Board reports were the center of attention at the city council meeting on Monday, May 2. In addition, council unanimously voted to institute condemnation proceedings for parcels 11 and 12 north of Greenbelt Lake which the city wants to purchase for parkland. The action was taken with the proviso that the city solicitor first determine whether Federal regulations regarding initiation of bona fide negotiations have been complied

Saturday is Deadline To File for GHI Election

Saturday, May 7, is the deadline for candidates for the Greenbelt Homes, Inc. elections to file with the nominations and elections committee. Thereafter, any GHI member wishing to get his name on the ballot must submit a petition signed by at least 10 GHI members. Such petitions must be submitted to the GHI office by 5 p.m. May 11.

At stake in the elections which will be held in conjunction with the annual membership meeting on Wednesday and Thursday, May 18 and 19, are four openings on the 9man board of directors and all seats on the 3-man audit committee. The terms of directors are two-years and of audit committee members one-year.

All nominees (including incumbents) are required to signify in writing their willingness to serve. Candidate's Consent Forms can be obtained from the elections committee or the GHI office. Biographies must be submitted by Tuesday, if they are to be printed in next week's issue of the News Review.

So far six candidates have announced for the board of directors and two candidates for the audit committee.

Members of the nominations committee are chairman George Adams, Elizabeth Allen, Andrew Feeney, Richard Gramm, and Thomas White.

GCS Annual Dinner

Greenbelt area annual dinner and membership meeting of Greenbelt Consumer Services, Inc., will be held Monday, May 9, 1966, at 7 p.m. in the Greenbelt Fire Hall, Crescent Road. Co-Op members, guests and friends are invited to purchase tickets for the three course roast beef dinner. Benjamin Rosenzweig, president and Robert E. Morrow, Resident General Manager, will speak on "Highlights of the Year's Operations." Other reports will be made by speaker of the congress Irving Rotkin and local delegation chairman Matthew Amberg. Balloting for the Greenbelt Delegation, a question and answer period and a door prize (crystal from Scan, Inc.) will conclude the program.

Tickets are available now at the checkout counter, Consumer Co-Op Supermarket.

Special Voter Registration May 14 at Springhill Lake

A special all-day voter registration will be held from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. on Saturday, May 14, Registrars will be on hand in 14 locations throughout the county, including the community center in Springhill Lake, 6220 Springhill

Requirements for voters are age 21 or over, and residency of 6 months in the county and 1 year in the state prior to election day, which falls on November 8. Springhill Lake residents should note that this registration does not qualify them to vote in city elections, for which they should register separately in the Greenbelt municipal building.

FULBRIGHT TO BERKOFSKY

A Fulbright scholarship for piano studies has been awarded to Martin Berkofsky, residing at 58-J Crescent Road. He will attend the Vienna Academy of Music, Vienna, Austria for the 1966-67 scholastic year, and will be leaving September 9 from New York.

Giese stated that the city has submited offers for the land in writing to Charles and Fleur Bresler owners of parcels 11 and 12. No reply has been received though the deadline date has expired. A hearing for a special exception on parcel 11 to construct a private hospital is scheduled for May 20 and the city is desirous of settling the matter before then.

New Post Office

In report No. 60, the APB suggested a site on Parkway and Crescent, owned by the Greenbelt Homes, Inc., subsidiary, Greenbelt Development Corporation (GDC), for the location of a new post office building. Subsequent to the preparation of the report, it was learned that the GDC board was not receptive to using its land. Among the reasons given by GDC representatives was that the post office needed only part of the site (1/2 acre) which complicated plans for use of the remaining acreage. The post office is interested in leasing a building for a guaranteed minimum period with the owner responsible for construction.

The GDC site was considered best by the APB because it was located on a major artery, convenient to a majority of citizens, and would require no change in zoning.

The APB also reviewed other proposed sites for the post office. The basement under Co-op (old bowling alleys) presented problems of construction. The land adjacent to the North parking lot near Candy Cane city was intended to be preserved for parkland. Other areas in the center were considered too small. A site between the National Guard Armory and Co-op Service Station was considered too far from center of population. The land between St. Hugh's and the fire department building was preferable for extension of city facilities such as a new police department building.

The council decided to hold further meetings with the post office department, GDC, and the APB. Senior Citizens Center

In report No. 61, the APB rejected once again the request of a local housing group for a senior citizens center on a 21/2-acre, cityowned site between the North parking lot, Braden Field, the Fire Dept., and the Parkway apartments. It saw no change in the situation to justify a reversal of the APB's original action taken in report No. 55.

The APB stressed that in its opinion use of this land for a housing for the elderly project, even as a cooperative, would constitute private use of city parkland. With the city spending money to acquire new parkland, APB chairman Ed Wuermser thought it would be inconsistent to turn around and use existing city parkland for residential use. It was also pointed out that the facility would serve only a limited number of elderly Greenbelt citi-

The topic was put on the agenda for discusson at next council meet-

Urban Renewal

In report No. 62, the APB advocated council support of Title II of the 1966 Urban Renewal Act of 1966, pending before Congress. This title, according to the APB, might make it possible, if the city so decides, to purchase with Federal loans the remaining privatelyowned vacant land in the city, now zoned rural-residential, so as to assure its development in accordance with the Greenbelt Master Plan

Police Department

A petition signed by about 50 persons was presented to council Continued on Page 7, Col. 2

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Amhulance Use Restricted

The Greenbelt Volunteer Fire

Department and Rescue Squad re-

grets to announce that due to a

lack of volunteers available dur-

ing normal working hours (9 to 5)

we cannot guarantee that we will

make "Routine Transports" before

5 p.m. (A "Routine Transport" is

a request for an ambulance when

In the past, we have continually

requested 24 hours notice to as-

sure that a competent crew can be

available for this type of transport.

In almost every case, the request

was complied with regardless of

the hour; however, this type of call

is becoming more frequent, we are

receiving less notice, and are hav-

ing difficulty in meeting the re-

Recently it was necessary to

call one of our men from his job

in order to bring one of our resi-

We are still asking 24-hour no-

tice and asking you, the public, to

please keep the above information

Vic Fisher,

Cadette Troop Activities

Troop 1656 is a new Cadette

troop formed this year. It is made

up chiefly of seventh and eighth

grade girl's who attend Greenbelt

Jr. High. Mrs. Goldenberg, the

troop leader, and Mrs. Balch, the

assistant leader, lend a helping

hand with the troop's many activ-

Throughout the year the troop

has taken part in various activities.

Some of this being skating, a trip

to Baltimore, a cookout, and a

party. At the present they are

planning a campout on May 20-22.

For the past few weeks the girls

have been learning many of the

skills of camping such as first-aid,

Many of the troop's activities

menu planning, and fire building.

are requirements for badges they

are working for. Two of the badges which the girls are working on

as a troop are Good Grooming and

Hostess. The girls are also work-

ing for their challenge of Social

Since most of the activities and

badges require discussion and

planning, the troop is divided nto

two patrols. Helen Warner and

Debbie Gilmore were elected pa-

trol leaders at the beginning of

the year to act as chairman of

Through the troop's many activ-

ities and discussions the girls hope

to learn and accomplish new skills.

Dependability as a troop.

these discussions.

Lieut. of Rescue

dents home from the hospital.

it is not an emergency).

quests.

To the Editor:

Plan Now for Labor Day the Editor:

The merry month of May is upon us and with it comes thoughts of the summer season and the activities which have long been a part of the Greenbelt picture. To those of us who still consider ourselves part of the Steering Committee of the Greenbelt Labor Day Festival, it means that it's time to get orgonized and start things rolling so that we may again have a memorable holiday to climax the summer.

Preparations are already under way, with letters written and ready to be mailed, to arrange for another gala parade. Former Police Sergeant Austin Green has agreed to make all the arrangements and if it's anything like last year's, it'll be a doozey.

The first thing we have to do is form a Steering Committee. Since the reason for the Labor Day Festival is to keep folks at home over that "dangerous for drivers" weekend and to offer civic organizations an opportunity to build up their treasuries, it is the job of the Steering Committee to set up projects, hold meetings, and keep things organized.

We need help. Any sincerely interested citizen of Greenbelt is welcome to come to the first meeting of this Committee on Wednesday, May 11 at 8 p.m. at the Youth Center. Please help keep the Festival alive. We promise not to make you work too hard.

> Rita S. Fisher, Secretary Greenbelt Labor Day Festival Committee

Keep Greenbelt Clean To the Editor:

The good ladies of the Women's Club have raised a subject I had been intending to write about, and I hail their thought.

The other evening as I drove home from work, I passed a woman on Southway and noted with amazement that she was working her way down the side of the street, picking up trash and dropping it into a container. And I also recently noticed a man raking leaves and other trash from the road near his house - and it was a man whom I know not to be a city employee. And I was told about the efforts of another lady who polices the public area near her immaculately kept yard.

How wonderful of these civicminded people who volunteer their efforts that way!

But why can't to it that they and their dear children refrain from scattering trash in the streets and in other people's yards and in the walkways? And why can't the petty thieves refrain from stealing shopping carts at the store and then abandoning them in the street where kids find and wreck them, and the slowly rusting hulks litter the streams and walkways? Why must some make a mess for the rest of us?

Mat Amberg

Genevieve Leasia

Former Greenbelter Genevieve "Jen" Leasia died last week. She is survived by her husband, Leland Leasia, 7650 W. 24th Avenue, Denver, Colorado and four children. The family requests that expressions of sympathy be sent to the Genevieve Leasia Memorial Fund, Bethlehem Lutheran Church, 22nd and Wadsworth Avenue, Denver, Colorado.

ST. HUGH'S CAR WASH

St. Hugh's CYO will hold a car wash on Saturday, May 7 from 9:30 to 1:30 in the parking lot behind St. Hugh's Church. A small fee will be charged.

Convalescent Center Ready for Opening

by Virginia Beauchamp

Plans are now being completed for a ribbon cutting ceremony and open house on Sunday, May 15, to inaugurate the opening of the Greenbelt Convalescent Center. Opening day will be Monday, May 16. The new building, located at 7010 Greenbelt Rd., next to the Armory, is now receiving its finishing touches. Landscaping is also proceeding, as weather allows.

"The emphasis in the name should be on convalescent," urges Mrs. Kip Schlader, administrator of the new center. Pointing out such features as recreational facilities for patients and occupational and physical therapy programs, Mrs. Schlader also called attention to the planned 24-hour nursing care. A registered nurse will be on duty at all times, she

The main entrance to the center is located on the north face of the building, away from Greenbelt Rd. The major impression, as the visitor faces that entrance, is of a long, low building sheltered by and blending into a natural woodland setting. The design of the landscaping complements rather than contrasts with the forest background. Ground covers like vinca have been used extensively, as well shrubs like rhododendron, which are native to this area.

Both without and within, beams and planks of redwood have been used in a somewhat rustic design. Interior furnishings are largely early American.

Special Features

Patient capacity for the center is 94 beds, in both single and double rooms with private baths. Fully air conditioned, these will feature remote control television. Bedrooms are decorated in various pastel colors. Draperies are fire proof, and the entire building is protected by a fire detection and sprinkler system.

In addition to lounges and dining room, there will be a small chapel, a greenhouse, and a beauty parlor and barber shop. A large porch or raised patio runs along the Greenbelt Rd. side of the building, protected from the highway by a screen of trees. An inclined ramp from the parking lot leads to one entrance of the building.

Besides registered nurses, the medical staff will include aides and licensed practical nurses. Director of Nursing is Mrs. Charlotte Young of College Park.

McCall to Build Printing Plant on Glenn Dale Rd.

The McCall Printing Company announced on April 27 that it will soon begin construction on Glenn-Dale road of the "most modern and complete" multi-million commercial printing plant in the Washington area. The plant will replace the company's present plant in North East Washington, It will cover over 300,00 sq. ft. and more than double the company's present capacity.

GHI Members Only

Your Name on the Ballot?

for the

BOARD OF DIRECTORS or AUDIT COMMITTEE

Candidates who are running by petition must have Petitions and Consent Forms in the GHI office by 5 p.m., May 11th, in order to have their names appear on the official ballot.

Annual Meeting and Election - May 18th and 19th

Greenbelt Homes, Inc.

Haslinger - Mohan



Mr. and Mrs. Joseph T. Haslinger, 11-N Ridge Road, announce the engagement of their daughter, Joan Elizabeth, to John M. Mohan, son of Mr. James E. Mohan, Ashland, Pennsylvania, and the late Claire T. Mohan. A graduate of Trinity College, Washington, D.C., Miss Haslinger received a Master of Arts in Teaching Degree from the Johns Hopkins Univ., Baltimore. Mohan graduated from Mount Saint Mary's College, Emmitsburg, and is a candidate for a Master's Degree in Russian and Soviet Studies at the Middlebury College Summer Language Schools, Middlebury, Vermont. Both are presently with the Baltimore County school system. An October wedding is planned.

Effice Flint

Mrs. Effie L. Flint, 11 Maplewood, died on April 30. She is survived by her husband, Austin Flint, son, Richard Dethloff of the home address and four grandchildren.

George Domchick

Long time resident, George Domchick, 45-C Ridge, passed away on Aprl 30. He is survived by his wife, Elizabeth, and sons Harold G. Domchick, 11-A Ridge and George Domehick, Jr., and six grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

First Grade Registration

Enrollment of children entering first grade and of children who have moved into the county from other districts will be held Friday, May 6, and Friday, June 3.

All children entering the public schools of Prince Georges County for the first time are urged to go to the nearest school (North End-Center School) to register on either May 6 or June 3 between 9 a.m. and 3:30 p.m.

Parents who are registering their child in the first grade should bring the child's birth certificate as proof of age. Children entering the first grade must be six years of age before January 1, 1967. Verification of the child's smallpox and diphtheria immunization must be presented to the school on or before the opening of school on Tuesday, September 6.

If parents are in doubt as to the nearest school, telephone the Board of Education office in Upper Marlboro, 627-4800, Extension 213.

Golden Age Club

The carnival, May 30 - June 4, promises to be outstanding. It will be on the north parking lot in Greenbelt. Anyone desiring to assist in any way, please call 474-

COMMUNITY CHURCH

Rev. Kenneth Wyatt, Minister

9:30 a.m. - No Church School. "Inquirer's" 2B Hillside.

10:45 a.m. - Morning Worship. Family Sunday. NO CHURCH SCHOOL Guest speaker, the Rev. Mr. James Tomasek, Minister of Christian Educa-

tion, Central Atlantic. Infant Care, 2-B Hillside. 7:30 p.m. - Church Boards will

8:30 p.m. - Young Adults Meeting, 2-B Hillside.

8:45 p.m. - Church Council Meeting.

(A United Church of Christ)

MOWATT MEMORIAL METHODIST CHURCH

Perry F. Miller, Pastor

Church School

9:30 a.m. Worship Service . 11:00 a.m. Classes for pre-schoolers and Nursery provided

40 Ridge Rd., 474-9410 Parsonage, 474-7293 9:45 a.m. Sunday School 6:00 p.m. ... Training Union 11:00 a.m. Evangelistic Hour Morning Worship 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday, 8:00 p.m. Prayer Meeting GREENBELT BAPTIST CHURCH

Crescent & Greenhill

S. Jasper Morris, Jr., Pastor

HOLY CROSS LUTHERAN CHURCH

2 Ridge Road, Greenbelt, Maryland, GR 4-4477 Edward H. Birner, Pastor, GR 4-9200 WORSHIP SERVICES 8:30 & 11:00 a.m. SUNDAY SCHOOL 9:30 a.m. WEEKDAY KINDERGARTEN AND NURSERY



The following are nominees for election to the G. C.S. Congress 1966-68. The election begins Monday May 9th at the Annual Dinner for the members and friends of the Greenbelt Co-op.

MARY BARSTOW MARJORIE BERGEMANN MARY J. CLEMENTS ROBERT A. HILL SEYMOUR KAPLAN

SYLVIA LEWIS E. JOSEPH LONG ETHEL ROSENZWEIG GERARD WEBER

Six of the above will be elected to fill the vacancies in the Greenbelt Delegation to GCS Congress.

VOTE FOR SIX

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INVITATIONS - ANNOUNCE-MENTS, Complete line of wedding, bar-mitzvah, birth, social, etc. Discounts. For appointment, 474-

NURSES, registered and licensed practical, for 3-11 and 11-7 assignments. New Greenbelt Convalescent Center. Call 345-9595.

For Sale, 3-BEDROOM FRAME, semi-end. Dial GRIMNAG after 5. IRONER for sale, UPRIGHT, new roller. \$35, 345-8774.

For sale - SIX (6) 750 x 14 TIRES, one new, three used. Two SNOW TREADS with rims. Ford. \$40 or best offer. 474-7178.

For sale - TENT - attaches to Station Wagon, 9½x9½. \$40. 345-3744.

REFRIGERATOR - COLD SPOT DELUXE. Good condition, large freezer. \$50 or best offer. 345-1082 after 6.

For sale - TRASH AND TREAS-URE at 4-E Ridge Road, Greenbelt Sat., May 7th, 10 to 4 p.m.

Sale - 2-BEDROOM FRAME, separate dining area, air cond., washer, storm doors, excellent cond. Call after 6 p.m. 474-1169. Occupancy July 15.

WANTED - All Greenbelt residents to join CITIZENS FOR A PLANNED GREENBELT. \$1.00 a family. Help insure that Greenbelt's growth will be in accord with the GREENBELT MASTER PLAN. Join now - Call 474-6666 or 474-6060.

For sale - PIANO, GRAND - 5'4" -15 year old Lefter, 474-6420,

For sale - BEAGLE, male, A.K.C. Registered, 12 weeks old, all shots, loves children, HOUSEBROKEN. Call 345-9621 after 5 or weekend -\$35.

XEROX COPIES of documents, papers, etc. \$.25 per copy. Greenbelt Realty Company, 151 Centerway Greenbelt.

On July 14, the Senior Teen Club leaves the Youth Center at 6:15 a.m. for a bus trip to Ocean City,

Our Neighbors

Elaine Skolnik - 474-6060

An interested spectator at Monday night's city council meeting was James Giese's brother, Robert, of Honolulu. Just a few months ago the situation was reversed when our popular city manager vacationed in the magic Hawaiian Isles. Enjoying the family reunion in Greenbelt last week were Jim's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Giese of Elm Grove, Wisconsin. And may we say "congratulations" to Mr. Giese who was reelected to the Village Council (City Council) in Elm Grove. Wouldn't it be fun to eavesdrop when Councilman Jerome Giese and City Manager James Giese get together to discuss city affairs!

Congratulations to High Point sophomore, Ruth Amberg, 6-E Hillside, who will be a member of the school's "It's Academic" team during the next school year. According to advisor, Katherine Keene, try-outs were held at the NBC-TV studios last Saturday, with eighteen students competing.

Birthday greetings to Janet Weintraub, 25 Lakeside, who celebrated her eleventh birthday.

Its a boy for Mr. and Mrs. Eladio Martinz. 9-B Parkway, April 6 was the all-important date.

Happy birthday to Rachel Wagne.r 3C Crescent, who celebrates her thirteenth birthday on Friday.

James C. Smith, 7806 Lakecrest, was appointed Notary Public by J. Millard Tawes, on April 25. Smith is employed as Liaison Clerk with the Field Office of the Architect of U. S. Capitol in Washington.

Cub Scout Pack 202 held their pack meeting at Fort Washington. Bob Bicknell and John Leaphart received Bobcat pins and Stephen Glendening received his wolf badge. The following awards were presented at the kite flying contest: first place for best of all-around, Bobby Bicknell, and Mike Treebe second place, Russell Ball; third, Matthew Ball; neatness, first place. Mike Fuller and Mark Miedzenski; second, Buddy George, John Leaphart. Jamie Linkenhoker; design, first place, Mark Miedzenski; second, Mike Fuller, John Leaphart Jamie Linkenhoker; third, Buddy George.

Our deepest sympathy to Mrs. Elizabeth Domchick and family, 45-C Ridge, who lost her husband,

Condolences to Mr. Austin C. Flint, 11 Maplewood, on the death of his wife, Effie.

Frank R. Connor son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Connor, Jr. of Greenbelt, Md. has been elected to Tau Beta Pi, national engineering honor society, at the University of Maryland Tau Beta Pi represents the highest honor to be obtained by an engineering student. Membership is awarded on the basis of high scholarship and outstanding character. Connor is a student in electrical engineering

There was a double-birthday celebration at the Kastner home, 39-F Ridge. Judy was 12 years old and mommy just turned 29 (?). Happy birthday, kids!!

and is completing his junior year.



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Recreation Review

by Richard Stevenson Director of Recreation

Coaches Needed

With the softball season almost upon us, coaches for the Girls' Pony-Tail League are needed. If any ladies are interested in coaching, please call your Recreation Department 474-6878. Softball experience is not needed. A coaches' clinic is being planned to brush up on all aspects of the game.

Pony-Tail Registration

Registration forms have been distributed. If you didn't get one and would like to play Pony-Tail Softball, stop by the Youth Center. These registration forms must be in by Saturday, May 14th.

Slow-Pitch Softball

The Slow-Pitch League got off to a muddy start after the Spring Monsoon. A full slate of games is scheduled next week with double headers set for each night.

Arts and Crafts

The good spring weather has finally taken its toll of Arts and Crafters. There will be no more Arts and Crafts at the Youth Center, until this fall. A Crafts Program will be held on the Center School Summer Playground this summer beginning une 27.

Junior Teen Club
Tomorrow, the Junior Teen Club

romorrow, the Junior Teen Club will have a Spring Dance at 7:30 p.m. at the Youth Center. Music will be provided by the "9G's." School clothes will be the dress code for the dance.

Co-op Homemakers

The Co-op Homemaker's Open House will feature a demonstration on "Party Foods" on Tuesday, May 10 at 10:30 a.m. in the Co-op Hospitality Room located above the store. Evelyn Bernson and Sally Mroccek are the guest speakers. Everyone is welcome to attend.

Jog Along Rescheduled Other Race Results

As you may have surmised, the Jog Along last Saturday was rained out and so will be held this Saturday May 7 at 10:30 a.m. at Braden Fleld.

Seven physical fitness races of two miles were held Sunday, May

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1 at Northwestern High School, Hyattsville, to start off Maryland Physical Fitness month. The Prince George Jaycees sponsored the races and Greenbelt Jaycees won the title over 10 Jaycee areas in the statewide compettion. Congressman Machen awarded the trophies to the competitors.

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Point of View by Dorothy Sucher

To: Mr. Herbert Turner Customer Division American Express Dear Mr. Turner:

I was flattered to receive your letter asking why I cancelled my American Express credit card. I was even more flattered the next day when three more letters arrived asking the same question. All the envelopes were addressed to me, but only one of the enclosures; the other two were addressed respectively to my husband and a certain Mr. Mornay, who resides on East Sixth Street in New York.

I notice all your letters are dated December 24. Please believe that when I cancelled my card last June I never intended your office to go into a tizzy about it on Christmas

Incidentally, I use the phrase "your office," Mr. Turner, merely as a figure of speech. I know you have no office. A certain amount of square footage in the control center, yes; perhaps even a separate cubicle, if you are large enough. For just between the two of us, "Mr. Turner," let's drop the pretence and admit you're an IBM

At first your signature deceived me. It was clear but not mechanical; it was idiosyncratic; in short, it looked as though it had simply been scrawled in blue ink by a human hand. And the way the pen appeared to skip just a trifle on the "r" in your name was a masterstroke.

If the signatures on the other three letters hadn't been identical, I would never have guessed your secret. Nice try, "Mr. Turner."

Some night when business is slack, and the lights are dimmed. and your wheels are barely turning over, would you be good enough to convey a message to the machine down the hall? The one that sends out the bills - "Mrs. Fuzzy." I'll take the liberty of calling her that, if I may. I think I know her well enough.

Mrs. Fuzzy is my most devoted correspondent. Whether she be in good repair or bad, working at top speed or relaxing with her tapes curled cozily up, Mrs. Fuzzy is never too preoccupied to drop me a line. Sometimes I hear from her two or three times a week.

Mrs. Fuzzy has a nice eye for color . I wish I'd kept all her cards, but I'm sure I recall at least yellow and pink and purple ones, as well as sepia and plain white. Her stationers bill must be enormous, though.

Mrs. Fuzzy is proud to be an American, especially when she thinks I've forgotten to pay my debts. She decorates her overdue notices with bald eagles and other patriotic motifs, and often adds amusing slogans. Every succeding notice is more ingenious than the one before. I don't know how she does it. I loved the cigar-store Indian with his hand shielding his eyes, scout-fashion, and in a balloon the caption: "Are you there"

It's petty to criticize Mrs. Fuzwhen she has so many ideas, and I hope she won't cry and rust her gears when you feed in my letter.

But to tell the truth, Mrs. Fuzzy's arithmetic is erratic and so is her spelling. Athough admittedly a faithful correspondent, she is self-willed. She never acknowledges my letters or answers my questions. She insists on communicating only what happens to be on her mind when she writes, which shows a touch of egotism, don't you think? And I fear she has a tendency toward hysteria. Week after week she will reiterate one demand (e.g., "Please remit \$4.32"). When I write to explain that I have already sent it, or I never owed it, or the bill is made out to somebody else but has been mailed to me because my card number three years ago was similar, she refuses to pay the least attention.

Mrs. Fuzzy has personality, but I feel she lacks humanity.

I'm afraid you will think I have said too much already, Mr. Turner, and I also must apologize for taking so long to answer your letter. I measured the space you left

at the bottom (where it said "I

cancelled my membership be-

cause:"), but it was only 11/12 of an inch and since I have a tendency to ramble on, I couldn't compress my thoughts enough to

Finally, one current, practical problem. When I wrote to cancel my card last June, I added that my husband had a card he was not cancelling and hoped the two cards would not be mixed up. Mentioning my husband's card was probably a mistake.

Mrs. Fuzzy dunned me for months and months for the renewal fee on my card. Finally she remembered my letter of cancellation, but although she has stopped sending me bills she seems to have gotten it into her wheels that my husband has cancelled his card as well. She keeps writing to ask why he wasn't satisfied.

I am worried, Mr. Turner. What will happen to my husband if he tries to use his card? He really did renew it-I saw the check myself. Would you please try to pacify Mrs. Fuzzy until next June, when my husband's card will ex-Since she's set her heart on his cancelling, he's willing to go along; but it's awkward to do it in the middle of the year. You understand.

I hope by next December, if Santa Claus brings Mrs. Fuzzy a brand new program for Christmas, the problems our family has caused her will fade out of her memorystorage for good.

Sincerely,

A Former Customer

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The letter requested a statement of position on equal opportunity from GDC. It was made clear that a reply was not mandatory, but would be helpful in resolving problems that are arising. Director Smith put forward a motion to communicate to the Board the prescent GDC criteria for residency which are: (1) character and (2) financial responsibility. However Director O'Reilly argued against a formal reply, and the motion lost 3 to 5.

The board arrived at different decisions in two apparently similar cases of members desiring to paint their homes. In the first case, five residents of a row wished to paint but the sixth did not. The general feeling was that the majority of five should not be held up because the painting was necessary several years after an original paint job. In the second case the building had not yet been painted, but the lone dissident member did not want it painted at all; director Josephine Seay upheld the member, arguing that the colors in present use did not improve Greenbelt's appear-

Questionnaire

There was some discussion on how to develop the useful data obtained on the Long Range Planning Committee's questionnaires, which were put out some time ago. It is planned to put this on punched cards for quick reference. Director Gough urged this be undertaken, emphasizing the amount of time and energy which had gone into the questionnaire.

Chairman Charles Schwan, near the close of the meeting, told retiring Director Burgoon that "every member of this board applauds the good judgment of the GHI members in returning you so many times to the board.'

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The Police Blotter

A lecture on general law enforcement, offered by the States Attorney's office at the Prince Georges County Police Academy, Forestville, is being attended by all the officers. This lecture is being given on three different days to enable all those who are interested to attend. Five officers also attended a one-day course in Laurel offered by the US Army Intelligence School.

A ckemistry major at the University of Maryland was picked up last week for having the following items in his car: one homemade bazooka-type weapon with several projectiles, 7 boxes of miscellaneous chemical explosive goods including chemical compounds for detonation, 3 deactivated grenades, 2 packages of fuses. 600 blockbuster fireworks used for detonating the explosives, several homemade bombs of various types, and several pounds of sulphur and and zinc. When questioned, the young man said that he made them as an experiment. The young man was picked up when an officer on routine patrol at Greenbelt Lake around midnight went to his car to tell him and his date that the park was closed and they would have to leave. The FBI is investigating.

May 7 will be red letter day for the local school patrol. On this day they will be the guests of the Greenbelt police at the Baltimore Orioles vs Cleveland Indians game. This is the "Orioles Safety Patrol Day" sponsored by the baseball team and the Maryland Traffic Safety Commission.

Two cases of overdose of baby aspirin were reported recently. One involved a 4-year-old who swallowed 40, the other was a 2-yearold girl who took 20. Both children were taken to P.G. Hospital, treat-

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There is a slight charge for admission. All seats are reserved. Reservations can be made by calling the university box office at WA 7-3800, Ext. 7444, from 9 a.m. until 4:45 p.m. daily

Jr. Teen Club

The Junior Teen Club is sponsoring a dance this Friday night May 6, from 7:30 to 10:30 p.m. Entertainment will be supplied by the Midnight Marauders. School dress is required.

ed, and released.

Two men were seen near a newly constructed apartment at Springhill Lake acting suspiciously. Investigation by police disclosed a dishwasher in their car and another one next to it ready for load-These dishwashers were removed after the men broke the apartment windows to get in.

A case was closed in Lakeside North due to the watchful eyes of a resident who noticed someone she thought did not belong in the the locker area of her apartment. She reported this to the police who investigated and charged the suspect with being in possession of burglar tools.

Chief Lane wants to remind all residents that the police cannot perform their duties without the public's assistance. If you see anything suspcious, call the police at 474-5454.

April Statistics

Police made the following contacts and arrests during the month of April: juvenile contacts - 30, criminal arrests - 39, traffic arrests - 28, warnings issued - 224.

Free Rabies Clinic

The Prince Georges County Health Dept. will offer free rabies vaccinations for dogs in 91 clinics located throuhgout the county beginning May 9. Dogs owned by County residents may be taken to any of the clinics for the free rabies vaccination which will be administered by qualified veteri-

Immunization of all dogs over four months old is recommended as a protection to the human population an dto the pets.

Take your pet to your veterinarian for his rabies vaccination, or to one of the following local clinics between 6 - 8 p.m.; Tuesday, May 10 - Berwyn Elementary School; Wednesday, May 11 - Berwyn Heights Volunteer Fire Department; Saturday, May 14 - Glen Dale Elementary School; Monday, May 16 - Du Val S.H.S.; Wednesday, May 18 - Greenbelt Fire

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LITTLE LEAGUERS

by Jerry Shafer

The first week of the Little League season is history, and the big winner was the weatherman. A special meeting was called on Sunday afternoon and the rained out games were rescheduled for convenient Saturdays following the regularly scheduled game. The parade, after being rained out twice, has been cancelled completely.

One game was played last week between the Lions, sponsored by the Lion's Club and the Giants, sponsored by the G.H.I. The Giants walked off with a 10 to 0 victory, with Dean Burt pitching a no-hitter.

Games start at 6 p.m. Monday thru Friday each week and 10 a.m. on Saturday. Come on out and cheer for your favorite team.

STATION LIONS

Area disk jockeys Harden and Weaver, who customarily broadcast from Station WMAL, will be heard over a new wave length on Monday evening, May 9. Greenbelt Lions Club members and their guests will enjoy a visit from this popular pair at their regular dinner meeting, 6:44 p.m., at the American Legion Post Home.

Sr. Teen Club

Saturday, May 7, Senior Teen Club will have fun and frolic. Teen Club will be open from 7:30 - 10:30

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commending the general performance of the city's police department. The petition also approved the board of inquiry voted at last council meeting to investigate certain aspects of the department. One citizen complained about a vicious dog in 9 court of Research and commended the police department

for enforcing the law against unleashed dogs.

Charter Changes Three non-controversal amendments to the city charter were ap-

proved. They go into effect automatically unless 20 percent of the registered voters petition within 40 days for a referendum.

The first would clarify the present procedure in the charter for dismissal of a city manager by the city council and permit the manager to request a private hearing before the council as well as a public hearing. A second concerns the prosecution of a misdemeanor arising from the interference of a councilman in the appointment or removal of city employees. Such prosecution is the responsibility of the State Attorney's Office and therefore the present section rerequiring the city solicitor to prosecute such actions is not needed.

A third change calls for the elimination of a paragraph relating to such duties of the city manager as keeping records. The Charter Review Committee felt that such matters can be provided by ordinance and by administrative regulations.

fourth proposed charter change dealing with purchasing procedures was held over for consideration with other charter changes on this subject.

Other Items

The council approved the appointment of a traffic study expert, Robert L. Morris, to provide data and recommendation with respect to easing the traffic problems at Springhill Lake and adjacent areas.

The city continued to get complaints about drainage on Empire place from Boxwood Village. The developer agreed last January to correct the situation within six months. Councilman Dick Pilski also asked for a status report on the agreement regarding conveyance to the city of land between Boxwood Village and Lakewood. Giese indicated that this was to be done when all plats are recorded.

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- push for sound land and green space use in Greenbelt through active roles in GHI, City and
- help upgrade the appearance of Greenbelt through GHI, City and individual members' efforts

Return to the GHI BOARD OF DIRECTORS

As Board Member and Secretary of the Corporation has worked for:

- ● Efficient and economical management of the Corporation's activities
- Planned programs and participation in civic affairs to promote the desirable growth and development of Greenbelt
- · Continuing long range planning to meet changing
- Better communications and greater involvement of GHI members in the Corporation's activities





RE-ELECT

Josephine Seay

To the GHI BOARD

Present Member of the Board of Directors, GHI, strongly supports:

- Maintenance of stable monthly charges and adequate reserves to meet future needs
- Continuation and expansion of the maintenance and home improvement program
- • A continuation of active GHI participation in Zoning matters
- Promotion of more active member participation in GHI programs.

City Notes

In preparation for the opening of the swimming pool on May 30, last year's water has been emptied out. A new protective coating of cement paint will be applied, providing a smoother and whiter finish. The interior of the bathhouse has already been refurbished. In general, city officials are pleased with the condition of the pool this year; city manager James K. Giese said that except for some minor remedial work, it is ready to As further proof that the swimming season is almost here, notices for family and individual pass applications will be mailed out shortly. Giese noted.

City workers built two bleachers this week for the Little League field and also repaired those at the softball field. In addition, they set up street intersection signs conforming to city standards throughout Springhill Lake, at the expense of the developer. The Public Works Dept .also improved the walkway along the north side of Crescent Rd. between Northway and St. Hugh's, planted shrubs to hide the floodlights at the Municipal Bldg. and planted magnolia trees in front of the swimming pool.

Other activities of that department were normal for the time of year-preparing the ball fields for the new season, sprucing up the picnic site at the lake park with new tables and trash barrels, painting the doorway entrance to the Youth Center, cleaning up trash, leaves, and other debris along the roadways. In addition, they have repaired the leaf vacuum, which had lost a couple of wheels. Now back in circulation, it will resume its regular rounds.

Police officer John Pugh, Private First Class, has announced his resignation effective May 1. Pugh, a Greenbelt resident, will join a family business.

Some relief of the drainage problem on Empire place is expected soon. When the soil has dried out sufficiently, the WSSC will install a sanitary sewer at the end of the street. Following this, the developer will install a storm sewer line, and finally, will repave the street itself.

Not the city, but GHI, has been doing the sodding of the playground area near the Westway underpass. A contractor for WSSC put in a permanent patch in the pavement of Greenbelt Rd. opposite the old Walker farmhouse ruin. The area had been dug up during the winter to correct a leak in a water main.

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We could go on pointing out similarities, but why bother. The fact remains that Georgetown is quaint and fashionable, and Greenbelt ain't.

Fellow Greenbelters, arise! Let's put Greenbelt on the map. Here are a few suggestions for a Master Plan that's like different.

To begin with, let's forget about the perimeter road. Instead, we can have a canal feeding out of Greenbelt Lake, that would en-

121 Centerway

the above dates.

Tuesday, September 6.

circle the town. In the summer there would be barges, drawn by mules. Very picturesque, no?

Our local stores, naturally, need an entirely new image. An antique shop is a must, and fortunately we do have a furniture store. If only they would stop advertising new and used furniture. The groovy phrase is Originals and Antiques.

A sidewalk cafe is another of Greenbelt's assets, but the atmosphere needs souping up. Expresso would be a neat addition, and maybe a guitar playing while some cat with a beard reads poetry aloud.

The local food store ought to get hip. It would be cool to shop at the Consumers A Go Go. Our dairy store could put in cute little leaded windows and shutters and call itself High Camp. The variety store already has a name reminiscent of the early Federal period, but Mr. Harry might consider displaying something like the original copy of Poor Richards Almanac for added color and interest.

We in Greenbelt have an art gal-

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lery, traffic jams, and plenty of characters. In short, Georgetown has nothing on us. Well, maybe we could use a few historical markers, so if anybody has a house that George Washington slept in, please let us know.

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Resolution Number 89

Resolution of the City of Greenbelt adopted Pursuant to the Authority of Article 11E of the Constitution of Maryland and Section 13 of Article 23A of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1957 Edition as amended) title "Corporation-Municipal", sub-title "Home Rule", to amend the Charter of the City of Greenbelt, said Charter being Section 40 of Article 17 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland (1963 Edition) and containing in whole or in part the Charter of the City of Greenbelt, by Repealing and Reenacting with Amendments Section 40-14 title "Date; non-partisan" thereof to provide for the City Clerk to give at least ten days notice of every election by an advertisement published in a newspaper of general circulation in the City.

Resolution Number 90

Resolution of the City of Greenbelt adopted Pursuant to the Authority Article 11E of the Constitution of Maryland and Article 23A of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1957 Edition as amended) title "Corporation-Municipal", sub-title "Home Rule", to amend the Charter of the City of Greenbelt, said Charter being Section 40 of Article 17 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland (1963 Edition) and containing in whole or in part the Charter of the City of Greenbelt by Repealing and Reenacting with Amendments Section 40-15 title "Voters" thereof to delete the requirement that in order to be a qualified elector a citizen must have resided in the State of Maryland for one year immediately preceding the election.

Resolution Number 91

Resolution of the City of Greenbelt adopted Pursuant to the Authority of Article 11E of the Constitution of Maryland and Section 13 of Article 23A of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1957 Edition as amended) title "Corporation-Municipal", sub-title "Home Rule" to amend the Charter of the City of Greenbelt, said Charter being Section 40 of Article 17 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland (1963 Edition) and containing in whole or in part the Charter of the City of Greenbelt, by Repealing and Reenacting with Amendments Section 40-18 title "Registration" to Provide for the Voter Registration of any Person at Any Time During Business Hours Except during the Period of Time Between the Close of Business on the Fifth Monday Preceding the Election and the Election by Swearing or Affirming Upon Oath That He Possesses the Necessary Qualifications Instead of Providing for the Registration at Any Time Except During the Thirty Days Preceeding a Municipal Election by Swearing Upon Oath He Possesses the Necessary Qualfications.

Copies of the above resolutions in their entirety may be obtained from the City Clerk, City Offices, City of Greenbelt, 25 Crescent Road, Greenbelt, Maryland.

> James K. Giese City Manager

House pen

Sunday, May 15 1 - 5 p.m.

Ribbon Cutting Ceremony - 1:30 p.m. - The Public Invited

OPENING DATE - May 16

- 24-hour nursing care
- recreational program
- full air conditioning
- beauty shop barber shop
- "stay hot" food service
- fire detection and sprinkler system
- remote control room TV
- physical therapy and rehabilitation programs

Greenbelt **Convalescent Center**

7010 Greenbelt Rd.