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## Three Polling Places to Open For City Election Sept. 16

About 2,000 Greenbelters are expected to trek to the polls next Tuesday, Sept. 16, to cast their votes for the five city councilmen who will head the city's government for the next two years. For the first time in the city's history there will be more than one polling place. Council established two additional polling places besides the council chambers in the Municipal Building—Springhill Lake Community Center and North End elementary school. All polls will be open from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Ten candidates will compete for the five vacancies. All five incumbents—Mayor Edgar Smith, William Hoff, Richard Pilski, Francis White, and Leo Gerton—are running.

The challengers are John Bogumill, Milton Hoffman, Joel Katz, Elizabeth Maffay, and Thomas White.

Biographies of the candidates appear on the inside pages.

In addition to electing a new council, voters will be asked to vote on an advisory referendum on firearms control. The question asked is: "Shall the City Council of Greenbelt, Maryland, advise the members of the Maryland General Assembly, the Governor and the Attorney General that it is the desire of the electorate of Greenbelt to have enacted new legislation to extend existing firearm control laws?"

### Election Procedures

All councilmen are elected at large. In order for a candidate to be elected, he must receive more than 40 percent of the votes cast. If fewer than five candidates receive such a vote, a run-off election will be held one week later on Tuesday, September 23.

In the run-off election, the ballot will consist of those unsuccessful candidates receiving the highest number of votes, up to twice as many names as there are positions to be filled. Candidates polling the greatest number of votes are declared winners in the run-off election, regardless of the percentage of votes received.

The 40-percent requirement for election was introduced at the last election. Prior to that a majority vote was required, usually resulting in run-off elections. The election two years ago did not require a run-off.

Each voter is entitled to vote for five candidates. Voting for fewer than five candidates increases the possibilities of a run-off election.

The number of Greenbelters registered to vote is 2,991. In 1967 the number was 1,904, of whom 1,290 voted.

If all five councilmen are elected on September 16, there will be an organizational meeting on Monday, September 22. (This meeting is set by charter.)

Upon being sworn in, the newly-elected councilmen will elect the mayor. Although the charter is silent on this point, there has been a tendency in the past to choose the top vote-gatherer.

### SHL Circulation Manager

Theodore Reiss, 6304 Breezewood Dr., has joined the staff of the News Review as Circulation Manager for Springhill Lake. His telephone number is 474-0982. Copies of the paper are being left at the Springhill Lake Pharmacy for the convenience of residents who may not have received the paper in their apartment buildings.

### WHAT GOES ON

Thurs., Sept. 11, 7:45 p.m. GHI Board Meeting, Hamilton Pl.

Tues., Sept. 16, 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. City Elections

### Sports Ticket Agency Opens

The opening of the Metropolitan Sports Ticket Agency at 111 Centerway was announced last week by Harry Randolph. The agency will handle tickets for the Baltimore Orioles, Washington Senators, University of Maryland, "M" Club at U. of Md. and the U.S. Naval Academy.

Tickets are now available for the Penn State-Navy Football game on Sept 20 at Annapolis and for the Baltimore Bullet - Cinn. Royals basketball game on Oct 4. at Cole Field House, U. of Md. Sports fans interested in a package deal with bus and tickets for the football game can phone 474-0090.

Randolph is a former three-letter athlete from Greenbelt High School and played baseball in the Dodger system.

### City Questionnaire

A questionnaire to be given to voters at next Tuesday's city election has been prepared by the City Manager's office. Designed to elicit opinions and attitudes of Greenbelt residents concerning various city services, the questionnaire will assist the management in keeping the newly elected council informed of citizen desires.

City officials have expressed the hope that all voters will take a few extra minutes to fill out the information. Boxes will be provided at the polls for the completed forms.

### Art Festival Winners

Those who missed the wide display of creative talent at the Youth Art Festival held as part of the Labor Day Celebration may still avail themselves of the opportunity to see the winners on display. The current exhibit at Twin Pines features the work of the Best in Division winners, Ann Evanosky and Wendy Lewis in Senior and Junior High respectively, and Eric Crabtree in the Elementary division. Several ribbon winners in the various categories are also represented, including Susan Slyter, Alice Plaster, Richard Bates, and Randy Pitelski.

## Festival Queen Is Crowned Contestants Wined and Dined

Highlighting the end of four presentations, nineteen lovely contestants from Greenbelt appeared on stage in cocktail dresses on Sunday night for the final decision of the judges in selecting the new Miss Greenbelt of 1969 during the Labor Day Festival.

Pretty dark-haired Debbie Freeman was the unanimous choice of the judges to be crowned. Miss Freeman is the daughter of Tom and Joan Freeman, 9 Lakeview Circle, and was sponsored by the local Lions Club. The new Miss Greenbelt, a 15-year-old student at Parkdale Senior High School, is interested in swimming, horseback riding and water skiing. She also serves as a candy-striper at Prince Georges Hospital. Miss Freeman would like a career as an airline stewardess or as a model. She was crowned by Donna Austin, Miss Greenbelt of 1968.

The first runner-up was Cindy Hampton, 15, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hampton and a student of Parkdale. Miss Hampton was sponsored by the Greenbelt Pool.

Second runner-up was Sharon Raley, 15, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Raley and also a student at Parkdale. Miss Raley was sponsored by the Greenbelt Little League.

The contestants were judged on their poise, personality, appearance and beauty by the following judges: Miss Karen Hennings, instructor and professional model from the Patricia Stevens Model Agency; Capt. John P. Bevans, Professor and Instructor of Aero Space with R.O.T.C. at Catholic University; Jay Morris, president of the Maryland Young Republican Club; Drew Marecks, sports editor at the Prince George's County News and Bruce Cohen, program director at W.M.U.C. Radio.

The other contestants and their sponsors were as follows: Miss Cathy Hyland (Greenbelt Sport Center); Miss Mary Ann Eisler (Greenbelt Teen Club—"Miss Kava"); Miss Helen Silvers (High's Dairy); Miss Sue Perry (Co-op); Miss Margaret Domchick (Greenbelt Homes, Inc.); Miss Cathy Webb (Kash, Realtors); Miss Debbie West (Greenbelt Variety); Miss Sue Dredger (Ben Franklin); Miss Lynn Klukowski (Greenbelt Theatre); Miss Carol Leech (Myers Vending Co.); Miss

Mary Lou Horswood (Greenbelt Professional Pharmacy); Miss Kathy Boswell (Beltway Liquors); Miss Lynette Brafford (Greenbelt Volunteer Fire Dept. and Rescue Squad); Miss Gayle Pennoyer (Springhill Lake Villa Carry-Out); Miss Bernadanne Werner (Tanners Cleaners); Miss Helen Siehl (Greenbelt Carry-Out) and Miss Lynda Naylor (Springhill Lake Community House), who was unable to participate because of illness.

To commence the four day activities, the contestants were guests at a luncheon at the Fire-side Beef Restaurant, Greenbelt Rd.

On Friday, August 29, the girls appeared in cocktail dresses and were escorted by: Robert Klem, Steve Davis, Mike Davis, Jeff Casels, Curtis Frambes, Ronny Huffendeck, Wayne Coulter, Chuck Cook, Bob Barton, Don Dryman and Arthur Siehl, Jr. These escorts were also on hand at the Saturday night appearance, when the contestants appeared in sportswear, and again on Sunday night for the final judging in cocktail dresses.

Sunday afternoon was a perfect day for the bathing suit competition, when the girls made their appearance circling the pool area during the aquatic events.

The queen and her court rode in the Labor Day parade on Monday in open convertibles; they then viewed the rest of the parade from seats in the reviewing stand.

Emory Harman, Greenbelt Postmaster, served as emcee throughout the presentations.

To close out the festivities, a party was given at the home of Mrs. Shirley Meredith, 206 Lastner Lane, Queen Contest Chairman, for the girls and their escorts. Guests were Capt. and Mrs. John P. Bevans, Tom R. Meredith and Janet K. Landis, both students from Shepherd College, Shepherdstown, W. Va., and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Meredith, Jr.

## MNCPPC Staff Recommends Against Apartment Rezoning of Parcels 1-2

The Technical Staff of the Maryland National Capital Park and Planning Commission (Prince Georges component) submitted a 7-page report on August 29 recommending denial of R-30 apartment zoning (14 units per acre) for parcels 1 and 2 — the land between the Greenbelt Homes, Inc. property and the Baltimore-Washington Parkway. The land is presently zoned R-R (Rural Residential). A hearing is scheduled for October 1.

The report dealt with four zoning applications reactivated by the owners, Charles Bresler and Theodore Lerner. These applications were originally filed several years ago but no action was taken on them pending adoption of a master plan for the Greenbelt area.

One of the major reasons given by the Technical Staff for recommending denial is that the requests are in conflict with the proposals of the College Park-Greenbelt Master Plan, which was adopted on March 12, 1969, by MNCPPC. The Master Plan proposes R-80 (single-family homes) and R-T (townhouses limited to density of 10 units per acre) for the 125 acres remaining in parcels 1 and 2 (after deductions for schools, rights-of-way, and parks).

Other reasons given were that the R-30 zone would create an imbalance of multi-family dwellings, producing a density detrimental to the public interest and incompatible with the surrounding development and proposed public facilities. The R-30 zone, the report said, would produce 1,674 dwelling units. This would be 954 more dwelling units than recommended by the Technical Staff. A breakdown of the area recommended for R-T and R-80 zones by the Staff would produce 266 detached dwellings and 355 town house units for a total of 721 dwelling units.

The report continued: "The emphasis on reasonable densities is a result of the profound concern of the staff, the community of Greenbelt, and the county government with possible overburdening of public facilities in the area — roads, schools, parks, etc. . . . Adequate public facilities to serve the subject properties as well as the surrounding area of Greenbelt and adjacent areas are dependent on the land use arrangement proposed on the Plan. To approve the requests for the R-30 zone would substantially increase the densities beyond the Plan proposals and would inevitably diminish the efficiency of public facilities or require additional facilities at great public cost."

### A Traffic Projection

Turning to the traffic situation, the report said: "Using a figure of 6 trips/day dwelling unit, the requested R-30 zoning would initiate 5724 more traffic movements per day than the land use arrangement suggested by the Staff. With regard to student yield, the requested R-30 would produce 469 elementary students as compared

with 390 students, if developed in R-80 and R-T zones."

On the other hand, the Technical Staff said that in view of the existing single-family (row-house) character of adjacent development, the R-T and R-80 zones proposed by the Staff would be a compatible and logical extension of the existing housing within Greenbelt without adversely increasing the residential density. They would also offer an increased variety of housing types. The R-T zone housing, the report noted, is intended for individual ownership, rather than rental.

Furthermore, the R-T zone, since it requires site plan development approval, would assure compatibility with the prevailing housing pattern.

The exact breakdown of the recommended zoning for the four applications is as follows:

### Breakdown of Acreage

	(numbers in acres)		
	R-T	R-80	Other
A-5343	—	13.3	.4
A-5344	15.6	74.3	15.0
A-5345	—	.1	4.5
A-5346	19.9	—	—
	35.5	87.7	19.9

The first three applications deal with property located north of Northway Rd. Extended. The fourth application deals with property south of Northway Rd. extending from Hamilton Place south to the Holy Cross Lutheran Church.

Application A-5344, which involves the most acreage (109.7 acres), would be divided, according to the Technical Staff recommendation, so that R-T zoning would prevail west of the perimeter road and R-80 east of the perimeter road. Fifteen acres would be reserved for parkland and 4.8 acres for a 80-foot right-of-way for the perimeter road. The report indicated that this would be a minimum footage for the right of way and should not be construed as meaning that additional right-of-way dedications will not be required prior to development of the property.

Proposals for rezoning parcels 1 and 2 have had a long history. As long ago as February 1962, a request by the previous owners (Garvin and Martin) to zone the land from R-P-C (rural-planned-community) to R-18 (21 apartment units per acre) was denied by the county commissioners who rezoned the land to R-R. The Technical Staff at that time had also recommended denial.



DEBBIE FREEMAN, MISS GREENBELT 1969

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# Freedom to Choose

Citizens of Greenbelt again have an opportunity to participate fully in the democratic process, through the referendum included in the coming city elections. The referendum is on the question of firearms control, on which it is well known that there are all manner of viewpoints. It seems to us that two points should be brought out in this connection.

First, as emphasized by city council in its formulation, the referendum does not commit the voter to any particular policy of firearms control. It has only the more basic goal of allowing the people to express themselves on whether the issue should, or should not, be carried further.

Secondly, those who know Greenbelt's history know that open discussion of public issues is a hallmark of this community. We have seen time and time again that what divides people is not that which is brought out in the open, but that which is hidden and allowed to fester. Only when views are clearly expressed can honest discussion begin.

The city council is to be commended for putting the question to the people, and the voters should be encouraged to exercise their prerogative.

# Letters to the Editor

**Thanks**

I would like to take this opportunity to publicly announce my sincere thanks and appreciation to the following for their cooperation and support during the Greenbelt Labor Day Festival Queen Contest: Miss Karen Hennings, instructor and professional model from Patricia Stevens Model Agency; Capt. John P. Evans, professor and instructor of Aero Space with R.O.T.C. at Catholic University; Jay Morris, president of the Maryland Young Republican Club; Drew Mareks, sports editor at the Prince George's County News and Bruce Cohen, program director at W.M.U.C. Radio who all served as judges. Tom Freeman, Associated Press photographer, who took pictures of contestants for posters, during the presentations and also the parade; Emory Harman, Greenbelt postmaster serving as emcee for the Queen Contest; Academy Ford, Lustine Chevrolet and East-West Mercury for donating cars for the parade, also Chuck Cook, Sam Jones, Edward Fox, Bob Klem, Weldon Drake, George McKenney, Clifton Raley, Larry Weintraub, Stanley Attick, Rudy Guerre, Izzy Peltin, Walt Bockmiller and Mrs Pat Cook for donating cars and driving in the parade for the contestants.

To the following escorts who served preceding and following each presentation: Steve Davis, Mike Davis, Jeff Cassels, Curtis Frambes, Ronny Huffendick, Wayne Coulter, Chuck Cook, Bob Barton, Dan Dryman and Arthur Siehl, Jr. Mrs. June Pennoyer and Mrs. Robert McGee for securing drivers, Mrs. Sue Taylor and Arthur Siehl, Jr. for making posters, Mrs. Barbara Lawson, Leo Gerton and Emory Harman as drivers in taking the girls to lunch, Joe Natoli of the Greenbelt Carry-Out for storage of flowers, Mrs. Merilyn Reamy or helping with the girls preceding and following each presentation, Miss Donna Austin, Miss Greenbelt of 1968 for crowning of the new Miss Greenbelt of 1969, Shirley's Dress Shoppe and all the sponsors for their generous support.

It was an enjoyable, pleasant and rewarding experience for me, working with the contestants whom I found to be truly wholesome and typical American teenagers. It is my belief and faith that these fine girls will find their places of opportunity in the world of tomorrow. Today's youth are tomorrow's leaders. Thank you all very much.

Mrs. Shirley Meredith

**In Evaluating Candidates**

The following checklist, adapted from Christopher News Notes of October, 1968, might be useful to Greenbelters in evaluating candidates for the City Council. Major questions to ask ourselves are:

- Does he promise that "everything will be all right" if you vote for him? Or does he pledge that he will strive for attainable goals?
- Does he spend most of his time attacking his opponents? Or does he develop constructive programs of his own?
- Is he eloquent in stating the problems that face our city but vague and evasive in proposing solutions?
- Does he merely "tell them what they want to hear" when speaking to special interest groups? Or does he present to each audience the truth as he sees it?
- Is he modest enough to admit that he does not have all the answers?
- Does he have the practical "know-how" to get things done without needless antagonism?
- Has he demonstrated a capacity to make intelligent judgments under stress?
- Does he know the value of reasonable compromise? Or does he stubbornly cling to a rigid position that frustrates any hope of progress?
- Where does he stand in regard to: the extent and limits of Greenbelt's economic involvement . . . measures for overcoming unemployment, poverty, crime . . . taxation and fiscal policy . . . cities' and states' rights and responsibilities?

Stephen Polaschik

**Tennis Court Lights**

The Greenbelt Tennis Association would like to urge all Council candidates and citizens off Greenbelt to support its plea for tennis court lights on the Braden Courts. Our four courts are wasted during summer hours after 9 p.m. daily and after 5 p.m. during October, November, March, and April due to darkness. All of the above months are ideal for tennis months (the temperature is usually in the high 40's or low 50's) and the cost of lighting existing courts would be much more economical than purchasing and developing new lands.

Our Association is actively soliciting (in the form of petitions) to determine the strength of our support. To date, some civic organizations the Parks and Recreation Advisory Board and over 700 Greenbelt residents join our association to support this issue.

We strongly urge the citizens and candidates for Council to support this fiscally sound, recreation campaign issue.

John "Jay" Ferrell, President  
Greenbelt Tennis Association

**"A Vote of Thanks"**

I would like to tell you of an incident I observed late this Sunday afternoon. Hearing lawn mowers going in the common area that lies at the rear of and between the 7 and 9 Courts of Research, I went over to have a look see. There were two ladies of 9 Court, Mrs. Geraldine Shafer and Mrs. Jeanne Colgan, pushing power mowers and cleaning up that rather large area. Several admiring kids, theirs and some others - and myself of course - were their only audience. I inquired if it was a neighborhood cleanup campaign. "No," they said, "Our kids play here and we want it to look nice and be safe for them." "Well, somebody owes you a vote of thanks," I said. No, they didn't think so and, no, they would not mind if I wanted to tell someone about it; they were just doing something they thought ought to be done and they just went and did it.

I cannot tell you, Madam Editor, how humbled I felt, for here was true humility of the sort of which a certain Personage once said "Blessed are they—" I did not tell them that I was myself a sort of Aedile, a Power of the Corporation, an Auditor of the Audit Committee, and all that jazz. I merely retired to my bench beneath my tree and resumed reading my newspaper, well content with the human race of which I had just been vouchsafed a particular glimpse of its simple unassuming beauty.

M. Hoffman

**Thanks**

I want to thank each and every one who sent me cards and their prayers for my recovery during my recent illness.

Mrs. Leo R. Mullen

**That Is The Question**

To bullet vote or not to bullet vote, that is the question. Whether 'tis nobler in the mind to vote for only one man, and allow my other four votes to go uncast, or whether having suffered those famed "slings and arrows of outraged fortune" from my favorite "son" should I not choose another four council members, since it will indeed take more than one outraged fortune to decide council issues for the next two years

Ann Kelley

**PERSONAL** Will one of the gentlemen presently on council yield his seat to a lady? All replies confidential.

**REPLY -**  
ELIZABETH MAFFAY 6A

**Greenbelt Community Church**

(United Church of Christ)  
Hillside & Crescent Roads  
The Rev. Robert L. Field, Pastor  
474-6171

Saturday, Sept. 13, 4-7 p.m. A "Festival of Fun" on the Church lawn.

Sunday, Sept. 14  
10 a.m. Family Worship Service. Guest minister: Rev. John T. Walker, Canon, Washington Cathedral.  
11 a.m., Church School Program. Nursery and Kindergarten at Fellowship Center. Grade classes in Social Hall and Church Office. Discussion groups for Senior Highs and adults in Auditorium.  
12 a.m. Coffee Hour in Social Hall.

9:45 A.M. Sunday School 6:00 P.M. Training Union  
11:00 A.M. Morning Worship 7:00 P.M. Evening Worship  
8:00 P.M. Wednesday Midweek Service

**GREENBELT BAPTIST CHURCH**

Crescent & Greenhill Rds. S. Jasper Morris, Jr., Pastor 474-4040

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Edward H. Birner, Pastor

**Fall Programs Being Offered at the Recreation Dept.**

The adult and children's fall programs are now ready to begin pending registration. The following adult classes are being offered and may be registered for by calling 474-6878. Arts and Crafts, Arts & Oils, Band, Bridge Club, Cake Decorating, Ceramics, Dog Obedience, Flower Arranging, Guitar, Golf, Improvization, Jogging, Karate, Liquid Embroidery, Men's Gym, Square Dancing, Tennis, Weightlifting, Women's Exercise and Women's Gym. Babysitting service will be available for many of the daytime activities. The following is a schedule of children's classes and may be registered for by calling the Recreation Department.

Children's Activities	Day	Time	Location	Age	Cost *
Archery Lessons	Sat.	11 - noon	Braden Field	8 & over	Free
Arts & Crafts	Mon.	3:30 - 5	Youth Center	6 & 7	Free
Arts & Crafts	Wed.	3:30 - 5	Youth Center	8 & 9	Free
Arts & Crafts	Fri.	3:30 - 5	Youth Center	10 & over	Free
Ballet	Tues.	10 - 11 am	Youth Center	Pre-School	\$5/10 lessons
Ballet	Sat.	1 - 2	Youth Center	6 & over	\$5/10 lessons
Ballet	Sat.	2 - 3	Youth Center	6 & over	\$5/10 lessons
Ballet	Sat.	3 - 4	Youth Center	6 & over	\$5/10 lessons
Baton	Sat.	9 - 10	Youth Center	6 & over	\$6/10 lessons
Baton	Sat.	10 - 11	Youth Center	6 & over	\$6/10 lessons
Baton	Sat.	11 - noon	Youth Center	6 & over	\$6/10 lesson
Bowling	Sat.	2 - 5 pm	College Parl.	6 & over	\$1.50/session
Boys Model Building	Fri.	7 - 9 pm	Youth Center	8 & over	\$1/10 lessons
Clay Modeling	Sat.	10 - 11 am	Youth Center	8 & over	\$5/10 lessons
Creative Dramatics	Fri.	4 - 5 pm	Youth Center	8 & over	\$5/10 lessons
Greenbelt Chucks	Sat.	2 - 4 pm	Youth Center	6 & 7	Free
Guitar	Sat.	1 - 2 pm	Youth Center	8 & over	\$7/10 lessons
Guitar	Sat.	2 - 3 pm	Youth Center	8 & over	\$7/10 lessons
Guitar (electric)	Sat.	4 - 5 pm	Youth Center	8 & over	\$7/10 lessons
Hawaiian Dance Lessons	Sat.	noon - 1	Youth Center	6 & over	\$5/10 lessons
Modern Dance Lessons	Sat.	9 - 10 am	Youth Center	6 & over	\$5/10 lessons
Modern Dance Lessons	Sat.	10 - 11 am	Youth Center	6 & over	\$5/10 lessons
Oils & Sketching	Sat.	1 - 3 pm	Youth Center	8 & over	\$5/5 lessons
Oils & Sketching	Sat.	3 - 4 pm	Youth Center	6 & 7	\$2.50/5 lessons
Riflery (E-B gun)	Fri.	7 - 8 pm	Youth Center	8 & over	\$1/10 lessons
Roller Skating	Tues.	4 - 5:15	Youth Center	6, 7, 8	.25c
Roller Skating	Wed.	4 - 5:15	Youth Center	8 & over	.25c
Tap Dance Lessons	Sat.	9 - 10 am	Youth Center	6 & over	\$5/10 lessons
Tap Dance Lessons	Sat.	10 - 11 am	Youth Center	6 & over	\$5/10 lessons
Tap Dance Lessons	Sat.	11 - noon	Youth Center	6 & over	\$5/10 lessons
Tennis Lessons	Sat.	9 - 10 am	Braden Field Cts.	8 & over	\$1/10 lessons
Tennis Lessons	Sat.	10 - 11 am	Braden Field Cts.	8 & over	\$1/10 lessons
Trampoline	Sat.	10 - 11 am	St. Hugh's School	6 & over	\$7/10 lessons
Trampoline	Sat.	11 - noon	St. Hugh's School	6 & over	\$7/10 lessons
Trampoline	Sat.	Noon - 1	St. Hugh's School	6 & over	\$7/10 lessons

There are many activities for the senior citizen of Greenbelt. Call us for further information.

### Alternative C-O Zoning On SHL Property Approved

On Wednesday, September 3, the Prince Georges County Planning Board modified the original petition of Springhill Lake owners to zone a 7.7 tract for a motel-convention center by permitting an alternative zoning of C-O for commercial office buildings. This modification was requested by the owners (Albert H. Small, Theodore N. Lerner, and Harold Kramer) because of the possibility that the motel-convention center would not materialize.

The modification is in accord with the city's original recommendations, which called for a conditional C-2 zoning of the tract restricted to a motel-convention center or for an alternate C-O zone.

The tract is located north of the Beltway and west of Kenilworth Ave. and is presently zoned R-18 for apartments.

This petition (A-7158) plus a second petition (A-7159), which requests C-O zoning for a 22.8 tract in the same vicinity, are scheduled to be heard on Friday, September 19 by the County Commissioners, sitting as the District Council, at 10 a.m. in the County Service Building in Hyattsville. The latter petition was approved on June 4 by the Prince Georges Planning Board after it had received the city's favorable recommendations.

In approving these petitions on June 4, the Planning Board had stipulated that the development of the acreage must be "confined to those uses related to a motel-convention center complex, the specific uses to be approved as part of an overall development plan to be approved by the Prince Georges Planning Board." A further condition of the approval was that a necessary access road be dedicated to the city.

The city council, at last Monday's meeting, decided to recommend to the District Council that Greenbelt, as well as the County Planning Board, be given an opportunity to review and approve any site plans for the combined 30.5 acre tract.

In a related development, the Springhill Lake owners have submitted to the County Planning Board a new petition for a gas station on a 0.8 acre wedge of land near the State Roads Commission building on Kenilworth Ave. The original petition had been withdrawn at the June 4 meeting because a separate petition was needed in light of the move further south of the 7.7 acre tract for a motel-convention center.

The owners stated that the filling station is needed to complement the other proposed development in the area and that the acreage cannot readily be used for R-18 development because of its location.

### Thanks

To the Editor:

I wish to take this method of thanking the many Greenbelt residents who have called me and wish me to continue as chairman of the ever popular Labor Day decorated bike contestants. However, I must retire in favor of a new chairman. Perhaps Mr Leo Gerton can get after the new chairman, as he has done to me for six years, always reminding me to be "Civic or Community" wise. If anyone deserves credit, it is Mr. Gerton. Thank you, Greenbelt.

Henry R. Fisher

### Summer Playground Comments Asked

The Greenbelt Parks and Recreation Advisory Board would like to know how you enjoyed the summer playground at North End School and Springhill Lake School.

What can be done to improve the program? Come to the City offices on Wednesday, September 24, at 7:30 p.m. and give us your comments. Or meet us later at the Springhill Lake shopping center in October (the date will be announced later). Bring the children.

For further information and/or commentary call the Recreation Department 474-8696 or Virginia Moryadas 474-9427.

Or send a note explaining your position to PRAB Playground Committee, Recreation Department, Greenbelt, Maryland 20770.

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and  
TUNE IN  
with

**TOM WHITE**

VOTE  
NEW  
LEADERSHIP

### Greenbelt Theatre

Greenbelt, Md. 474-6100  
Adults \$1.25 Child, .50

### Ice Station Zebra

Rock Hudson - Ernest Borgnine  
Shows Thur. 6:30-9:10  
Fri.-Sat. 7:00-9:40  
Sun. 1:00-3:45-6:25-9:05  
Mon.-Tues. 6:30-9:10

Saturday Matinee

### Tarzan and the Great River

Shows 1:00-2:50

Wed. Where Eagles Dare

### Registration For Education Courses

Registration for classes offered through the Adult Education Program sponsored by the Prince Georges County Board of Education will take place Tuesday, September 16, from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m., at the schools and centers where the classes will be held.

Enrollment in the 12-week session is limited to individuals who are 16 years of age or over and who are not regularly attending a day school program below the college level. Courses are offered in basic reading, writing, arithmetic, electronics, arts and crafts, business education, data processing, health education, home economics, industrial education, foreign languages, and citizenship. There is no charge for naturalization and English for the foreign born, the citizenship courses.

The names of schools and centers where the courses will be given and other information may be obtained by calling the Adult Education Office, Board of Education, telephone 627-4800, extension 248.

Fifth Avenue

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# Biographies of Council Candidates

## JOHN BOGUMILL

Bogumill is President of the Lakeside Citizens Association and presently works as a professional economist with the U.S. Government. After coming to Greenbelt several years ago, Bogumill immediately became active in the Lakeside Citizens Association. Since becoming president of the Association he has attended every regular meeting of the City Council. Bogumill has also been active for some time in the CANA Club and Project Commitment at St. Hugh's Parish. His wife, Avis, recently served as Financial Chairman on the Board of Directors of the Greenbelt Cooperative Nursery School. The Bogumills have three small boys aged six years, four years, and six months.

Bogumill was born and grew up in a small town in Northern Wisconsin. He served in the U.S. Air Force from 1951 to 1955, during which time he earned the Korean Service Medal with battle stars. He worked his way through college at the University of Wisconsin and at UCLA. While at college Bogumill was a member of the Board of Directors of the student-owned University Co-operative Housing Association. This is an organization founded on the same principles and functioning much like G.H.I.

John Bogumill came to the Washington area in 1962. He had been active in civic groups in Bowie, Md., before being assigned overseas. Just prior to coming to Greenbelt, Bogumill served as Foreign Agricultural Affairs Officer at the U. S. Embassy in Kinshasa, Congo. He is a member of the American Economic Association and a former member of the American Farm Economics Association.

## LEO GERTON

Leo Gerton is a long time resident of Greenbelt; he was an original member of the Greenbelt Veteran's Housing Corporation and has resided in the area for 33 years. He is the manager of High's Dairy store in the Greenbelt Shopping Center.

During the years he has lived in Greenbelt, Gerton has accumulated a long record of community and civic service. In March 1969, he was elected to City Council to fill out the term of former councilman Gerald Gough, who had resigned. He represents Greenbelt on the Community Resources Policy Commission of the Washington Metropolitan Council of Governments. Recently he received the Distinguished Service Award from the Greenbelt Jaycees.

Earlier, as zoning committee chairman for Greenbelt Homes, Inc., he was responsible for the development and adoption of policy recommendations. He has also served on the city's Advisory Planning Board and was chairman of its "Committee I," a planning committee for residential, commercial, and industrial development.

The implementation of Greenbelt's Master Plan has been one of Gerton's main concerns. As a former member of the steering committee of Citizens for a Planned Greenbelt, he was active in cases involving planning and zoning in Greenbelt.

Leo Gerton is a Navy Veteran of World War II and belongs to Chapter 23 of Greenbelt's Maryland City Disabled American Veterans and to Post 381 of the Jewish War Veterans. He is a member of the Board of Directors of the Twin Pines Savings and Loan Association and of the Greenbelt Freedom of the Press Committee, and also chairman of the Greenbelt Labor Day Festival Committee. In the past he was a member of the Greenbelt Library Association, until that organization disbanded when it achieved its aim by securing appropriations for a future Greenbelt Library.

## WILLIAM HOFF

William Hoff has resided in Greenbelt for 16 years and was elected to the City Council of Greenbelt in 1963, 1965 and 1967. He has served as chairman of the city's Personnel Board, 1961-63 and has been a member of the nomina-

tions-elections committee of Greenbelt Homes, Inc.

Hoff and his wife, the former Amelia Ann Enkemann, live at 71-E Ridge Road. Mrs. Hoff is a registered nurse with a degree in psychiatric nursing education who is presently employed at Glenn Dale Hospital. The Hoff's have two daughters.

A lifetime resident of Maryland, Hoff was born and reared in Cumberland. He graduated from the University of Maryland in 1949 with a degree in public and business administration. Since then he has been director of the university's student union, gathering center for the 30,000 students at College Park.

During World War II he was commissioned a lieutenant at Fort Benning, Ga., and served in the 29th and 98th Infantry Divisions.

Hoff has been a member of the 29th Infantry Division Association, the Society of Personnel Administration, the National Association of College Unions, and Sigma Nu social fraternity. Twice he has been president of Chapter 21 of the Maryland Classified Employees Association, and was in charge of conducting for that organization a nationwide survey of longevity-pay programs in various states. He is a member of and an advisor for the University of Maryland chapter of Omicron Delta Kappa national honor society, which recently presented him with a certificate of meritorious service.

## MILTON HOFFMAN

Hoffman has lived in Greenbelt for the past seven years and is retired from the Armed Forces in grade Lieutenant Colonel, after having moved up through the ranks from his enlistment as a private in the latter part of 1939. During the Berlin Airlift he was Accountable Officer for all supplies sent into that beleaguered city; he built a mile-long railroad from scratch along the aircraft docking ramps to expedite traffic into the waiting cargo planes. In those days a Corps of Engineers Officer was a jack-of-all-trades. This was at Rhein/Main, Frankfurt, Germany. He was Command and Staff Materiel Inspector when he retired.

Hoffman is a graduate of the University of Maryland. He took his A.B. in Philosophy and History. He worked as an unpaid volunteer at D.C. Village while still on active duty stationed at Bolling Field. He is an active working member of Drew Pearson-sponsored BIG BROTHERS of the National Capital-P.G. Area.

Hoffman is an amateur experimental gardener: in a 20 sq. ft. area he experiments with corn, tomatoes and pedigreed cucumbers.

Hoffman is a member of the Planning Committee of Greenbelt Homes, Inc., and is presently making an inventory of the structural maintenance of the approximately 1600 homes in GHI. He is also an elected Auditor of the corporation and is making an independent and continuing study of the Maintenance Expense Accounting Systems in the books of the Corporation.

Hoffman has a son and daughter-in-law and two grandchildren.

## JOEL KATZ

Joel A. Katz serves on the steering committee of the Citizens for a Planned Greenbelt. He is President, SHL Civic Association, vice-president of the Friends of the Greenbelt Library, past president of the Springhill Lake Democratic Club and a member of the Greenbelt Lion's Club.

Katz was born and grew up in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, and has lived in Greenbelt for three years. He has a B.A. degree in Labor-Management Relations from Pennsylvania State University, a Master's Degree in Secondary Education from the University of Pittsburgh and a year towards his doctoral degree in Special Education and Rehabilitation.

Katz is employed at the District of Columbia Children's Center as an Education Officer. He administers a program for juvenile delinquents and the mentally retarded. He also served as Program Director for the Montgomery Coun-

ty Heart Association and is a former artillery officer. He is thirty years old, married and has two children. His wife, Lana, is a former teacher in the Prince Georges County School System.

Katz was awarded a Ford Foundation Teaching Internship and a Department of Health, Education and Welfare fellowship for advanced studies of children with special learning problems.

## ELIZABETH MAFFAY

Elizabeth Maffay, a resident of Greenbelt since 1957, is the wife of John W. (Jack) Maffay, and the mother of five children.

Educated at the University of Munich with a major in languages and a minor in journalism, Mrs. Maffay is at present a housewife. In the past she has found time to put her training into practice as a reporter for the Prince Georges Post and Bel Air Express.

An officer and charter member of Citizens For a Planned Greenbelt, Elizabeth Maffay has long been active in civic affairs. She has served as a Greenbelt Delegate to the P.G. Civic Federation, Petition Co-Chairman for Operation Charter 1968, a Delegate to O.C.D.N. Charter Convention, and a former den mother, pack 746.

Currently she is chairman of Greenbelt's Labor Day Festival Talent Contest, which she has coordinated for the past several years.

She is on the Advisory Board of A.P.T. (Against Poverty Together), an officer in Greenbelt Republican Club, and Chief Judge of Elections precinct 6.

Mrs. Maffay is also a member of St. Hugh's P.T.A., Greenbelt Lion Belles, and P. G. Young Republicans.

## RICHARD PILSKI

Richard Pilski, a native of Kingston, Pa., moved to Greenbelt ten years ago. He and his wife Claire, a registered nurse, have three children. For the past eleven years, Pilski has been employed as a Tax Representative for Prentice Hall, Inc., Englewood Cliffs, N.J. Before joining Prentice Hall he held the position of Merchandising manager for the American Tobacco Co. Pilski attended Kings College, Wilkes Barre, Pa. He holds a B.S. degree in Business Administration from Syracuse University. He served three years in the U.S. Navy.

Pilski, a two-term member of the City Council, is also a former member of the Advisory Planning Board, Charter Review Committee, Greenbelt Dedication Committee, Board of Directors of Greenbelt Federal Credit Union, and member of St. Hugh's School Board. He is also past president of the Lake-wood Citizens Association. He has served on the Environmental Health Committee, and presently serves on the Traffic Safety Committee of the Council of Governments.

He is currently active in the Greenbelt American Legion Post 136, serving as a member of the Americanism Commission, a Counselor at Prince Georges County Boy Scouts and Greenbelt Troop 746. He is also a member of "Lambda Chi Alpha" Fraternity and Knights of Columbus.

## EDGAR SMITH

Edgar L. Smith is serving his third term as Mayor of the City. He is an attorney with law offices in Greenbelt and is admitted to practice in the State of Maryland and the District of Columbia. He has an Associate of Arts Degree from the Maryland State Teachers' College at Salisbury, a Bachelor of Science Degree from the University of Maryland at College Park, an LL.B. Degree from the University of Maryland School of Law in Baltimore, and received a Juris Doctor's Degree from the Univ. of Md. School of Law this year.

Smith was selected "Outstanding Young Man of America, (1964-1965)" by the United States Junior Chamber of Commerce, a member and past president of the Greenbelt Democratic Club, a member and past president of the Greenbelt Business Men's Association, an associate member of the Greenbelt

Volunteer Fire Department and Rescue Squad, a member of the Board of Directors of the Greenbelt Boy's Club, and a member of the Greenbelt American Legion.

Smith was one of the organizers and is a member of the "Citizens for a Planned Greenbelt." He served on the Greenbelt City Council from 1959-61, was City Solicitor from 1962-63, and was again elected to the City Council in 1963, at which time he became Mayor.

He is a member of the Board of Directors of the Metropolitan Council of Governments, was Chairman of the Prince Georges County Municipal Association, served for five years as Assistant Attorney General of the State, served as Treasurer of the County Engineers' Association of Maryland for three years, was State Advocate Judge of the American Legion (1962-63), and is presently assistant State Judge Advocate of the organization.

Smith, a 16-year resident of Greenbelt, is married to the former Paula Elaine Phillips of Salisbury, Maryland, and has a 19-year-old daughter, Sandra Lynne, a sophomore at Salisbury State College.

## FRANCIS WHITE

Francis W. White was born in Olney, Maryland in 1922. He has been a resident of Prince Georges County since 1946 and a Greenbelt resident for 20 years. White and his wife Edna have three children: Francis White has served as Mayor of the 1961-63 City Council, he served on the 1965-67 Council as Mayor pro-tem and is an incumbent member of the present city Council.

He attended the University of Maryland, receiving a degree in Engineering in 1951. White is a Registered Professional Engineer and is listed in "Who's Who in Consulting" in America. White also serves as Vice-Pres. of the Board of Directors, Engineering Alumni Society, Univ. of Maryland.

During the past 14 years Councilman White has been employed by the Univ. of Maryland as a planning engineer. In this capacity White is involved in the planning and programming of new construction, the development of long range expansion plans and the preparation of feasibility studies for the development of the University.

A Navy veteran, Francis White flew with a bomber squadron in the Pacific, where he was decorated. He has served as Commander of the Disabled American Veterans Chapter No. 23 and is a longtime member of the American Legion Post No. 136.

As a member of the Community Church, White has taught for a number of years in the Christian Education Program and has served on the Bd. of Trustees for eight years.

Francis White participated for 5 years in the Greenbelt Little League program, later serving as League President. He served as Chairman of the Recreation Advisory Board for the years 1960-1961, and has been a member of the City's Charter Review Committee.

White has served as Treasurer of the Greenbelt Lions Club; Steering Committee Citizens for a Planned Greenbelt. Recently White accepted appointment as the Liaison Representative to the County Commissioners or the Pr. Georges Municipal League.

White serves on the Land Use Committee as a representative to the Metropolitan Washington Council of Governments.

## THOMAS WHITE

Thomas X. White is a lifelong area resident. He attended Gonzaga College High School and studied at Georgetown University before entering the Navy in 1954. He served five years as a Navy Hospital Corpsman and is now an active Naval Reservist, performing his drills at nearby Adelphi, Md. White attended the University of Maryland, receiving a BS in Microbiology in 1962.

Tom and his wife, Helen, have six children. They have been GHI members for 10 years.

White is now serving his fourth term as chairman of the GHI Au-

dit Committee. He has served on the GHI Nominations and Elections Committee, Select Committee, Ad Hoc By-Laws Comm. and the recently formed Committee on Committees.

The Whites are members of St. Hugh's Church. Tom serves on the Finance Committee and Helen is active in the Woman's Sodality.

White has also served as Vice President of the Greenbelt Jaycees and as Vice Chairman of the Steering Committee for Citizens for a Planned Greenbelt.

White has been employed for the past seven years at Microbiological Associates, Inc., Bethesda, Md. He is presently working towards a Master's Degree in Business Administration at the George Washington Univ.

## City Notes

Three city employees are recuperating from broken legs — J. Paul Williams of the Public Works Dept., Police Officer Alvin Hall, and Mrs. Merylyn Reamy of the Recreation Dept.

The Public Works Dept. was particularly hard hit during the first week of September when three men were off duty on annual leave, one man was ill, one out with an injury, and the summer crew of high school and college students back in school. In addition, the Parks crew has two vacancies at present.

The city was able to run only one refuse collection truck on Labor Day, which meant that many homes were without trash pick-ups that day. No special projects were undertaken by the Dept. during the week since cleaning up after the Festival weekend was a major job in itself for a depleted work force.

Contract work on widening Woodland Way is almost finished. Curbs and gutters have been poured and the base surface of the widened street also laid. Still to be done are the final asphalt surfacing for the street (awarded in a contract at the Sept. 8 council meeting) and repair of grass lawns behind the new curbing, which will be done by the city's Parks crew.

Two small pieces of curb and gutter near the 4 court of Crescent were removed and repoured recently to meet specifications. Other curb and gutter work was completed near Research and Ridge. On Sept. 6 the city crew removed broken gutters along Laurel Hill Rd. south of Ridge, the next piece of work to be performed by the contractor.

A major valve breakdown at the municipal swimming pool forced intermittent closure of the pool during an 8-day period while the necessary part was on order. The pool could be operated by hand control for the water flow, but the extra staffing made it difficult to maintain full operations.

This is the first breakdown of the butterfly valve in several years to force the closing of the pool. Another component part of the valve which frequently wears out has been regularly kept in reserve supply. Previous to this year there had been no trouble with other parts of the valve assembly. The Public Works Dept now plans to keep other spare parts on hand to avoid future shutdowns of the pool.

There's always plenty of work for the city crew before, during, and after the Labor Day Festival. This year, as always, they erected booths, put in electrical connections, ran overtime clean-up details, and following the weekend, dismantled and stored all the booths and special equipment.

For a while it looked as though there might be special problems about getting the wiring done, since J. Paul Williams, who has always done that job, broke his leg one week before the festival. As it turned out, he was able to do the job after all.

Police officer James M Carroll recently resigned, leaving a vacancy on the force.

# Speaking Sternly . . . by David Stern

## Roughing it in the West

We have just come back from a month's vacation in the Rockies. Oh, those great, wonderful mountains! As you travel day after day on that seemingly endless ribbon called Interstate 80, through plains and cornfields, you begin wondering whether they really exist — and then suddenly there they rise above the horizon, at first vague and shimmering in the distance, then solid and tall, with pinetrees and snowcaps and rushing, foaming streams below them.

We traveled in contemporary style — we camped. Ask any camper for the reason why and he'll start talking about saving motel costs. Nonsense! You camp because that's the fun way, because the whole idea is to toss away — for a while — the thick insulation between yourself and nature, and that you don't get in an airconditioned room with TV. Besides, in camp you are kept pretty busy pumping the Coleman, shaking out sleeping bags and swatting bugs, and there never arises the question of what you should do with your time — as could conceivably happen in more comfortable surroundings.

But, most of all, you camp because of the people you meet in campgrounds. What a collection of wonderfully unique characters! What a bunch of nuts, sometimes! The couple of not-quite-married — and quite naive — college kids from New York, hitch-hiking through the West; the shaggy mountaineers out to conquer Grand Teton; the self-declared Communist with whom you have a long argument; the redhead gal, a literature major who fell in love with math and now — with two grown kids — plans to go for her Ph.D., as soon as her husband starts his medical practice in California — you can hardly help meeting them, as their campsites are next to yours and it's only natural to join together with them for a chat by the campfire. This is how you wind up with a lot of quick friendships, addresses scribbled on random bits of paper and promises by people from all over the U.S. to look you up if they ever happen to camp in Greenbelt Park.

Frankly, there also exists another kind of camper, which we have never been able to figure out, and that's the fisherman. You meet a lot of those, especially in the National Forests; indeed, one suspects that but for them, the National Forest campgrounds would be quite deserted (just as one wonders whether there would be any National Park Rangers if it were not for a host of schoolteachers eager to combine a summer job with a summer vacation). Fishermen live in a world of their own, in which the beauty of nature and the clear fresh mountain air figure only incidentally, in a manner of accessories. When they come over to your campsite, it's not to ask for the time or for a match, but the question is always, "Caught anything here?"

We once asked one of them, how come they did not get bored sitting by a lake all day long, especially if — as it happens so often — they don't catch a thing. "Ah, but you don't just sit there," came the reply, "you cast and reel in, cast and reel in, trying out different methods all the time." So you do, so you do.

Then there are the mountains, those glorious mountains towering above your campsite and greeting you anew every morning. There is the taste of the water from little lakes up among the snowfields ("Water may be unfit to drink" warns the ranger as he scoops up a drink for himself), and the discovery of a moose browsing beside the trail you are walking on, and the view of the crescent moon setting behind the jagged pinnacles of Teewinot mountain: there is no way of adequately describing these things, my friend, and there exists no shortcuts to find out about them, either. You'll just have to go to Wyoming.

We also won't quickly forget the

lady — middle aged, wide at the beam and very motherly-looking — following that bear in Yellowstone trying to get him to eat a sandwich. The bear would have none of it, and the lady patiently picked up the sandwich from the ground and followed him, at a few paces distance and holding out the sandwich all the time. They have very well trained beasts in that park, for the bear just turned his back and walked away with hardly a growl.

Neither shall we forget the storm that pelted us with marble-sized hailstones just as we crossed a high ridge in the Tetons — how we huddled and waited for it to pass, with lightning crashing into the peaks all around. Nor shall we forget the precarious log on which we crossed the swollen St. Vrain river in the absence of any bridge. And we shall always regret missing seeing the bear which raided a breakfast table one morning on the other side of our campground and which, after being shot with a tranquilizing dart by park rangers, climbed onto a tree overhanging Jenny Lake and fell asleep there. We would have loved to have been there with a camera

when they lowered him in a sling, to be carted away into the far hills: the nearest thing we have in our photographic scrapbook is the outhouse next to the site, neatly clobbered by a falling lodgepole pine during a brief but violent thunderstorm.

And we shall certainly remember how, while driving from here to there in the middle of nowhere,

we pulled the car over to the side of the road — hemmed in by canyon walls, the radio reception was terrible — to listen to man's first landing on the moon. As the astronauts were describing their descent in thousands and then hundreds of feet, we mentally compared their altitude to the scale of the wooded mountains all around us and imagined what the lunar

module would look like, slowly descending towards the cascading Hoback river in front of us. Then we heard, "The Eagle has Landed," and that wonderfully descriptive phrase, "Tranquility Base — and realized, suddenly, that Tranquility Base was not only up There, but also down Here, very much so. And this is what camping is all about.

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<b>Candidates</b>										
	1 A John P. BOGUMILL	2 A Leo GERTON	3 A William L HOFF	4 A Milton HOFFMAN	5 A Joel A. KATZ	6 A Elizabeth K. MAFFAY	7 A Richard R. PILSKI	8 A Edgar L. SMITH	9 A Francis W. WHITE	10 A Thomas X. WHITE

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## Recreation Report Urges One County-Wide Agency

A recommendation to consolidate into one body the Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission (MNCPPC) and the Prince Georges County Recreation Department has been made by park and recreation planners, the Allen Organization of Bennington, Vt., as part of their inventory and evaluation of the parks and recreation program in Prince Georges County.

The Allen Report was prepared as a result of a joint request by the Prince Georges County Board of Commissioners and the MNCPPC to study recreation facilities, programs, personnel and the administrative and organizational structure existing in Prince Georges County, and to make recommendations which would provide for the coordination of these services.

The MNCPPC is responsible for providing parks, recreational areas and facilities, and their maintenance. It has jurisdiction over the entire Prince Georges County except for the municipalities of Green

belt, District Heights, and Laurel. The County Recreation Department is responsible for the organization and direction of a public recreation program within the County.

The report recommended that meetings be held with the municipal governments of Greenbelt, District Heights, and Laurel to see what methods can be employed to coordinate the development of areas and facilities, program, and personnel. Later, the report continued, discussions should be held to determine whether there is any common ground for the merger of these separate departments into the new County system.

In noting that Greenbelt has its own active recreation and parks department with full-time leadership, the report gave this description:

"A full-time Director heads the Greenbelt Recreation Department, and two full-time positions have recently been created for an Assistant Recreation Director and a Park Superintendent. The 1967 Greenbelt budget appropriation was \$132,950 for Parks and Recreation. A year-round program

for all ages is operated in and around a twenty-three acre complex containing a youth center, swimming pool, lighted athletic field, Little League baseball park, four tennis courts, and a picnic area. The county Recreation Department cooperates with Greenbelt by furnishing leadership for two summer playgrounds, spring and fall playgrounds, teen clubs, and Sunday gym program."

Mention was also made of other recreational facilities furnished by

private groups, such as apartment complexes. "A notable example," the report said, "is the Springhill Lake comprising 5,000 units, which has a community building, swimming pool, tennis courts, a par-3 golf course, children's play area, etc. under the direction of a social director. A wide variety of recreation activities are offered to the residents."

On October 27 and October 29, the Prince Georges County Recreation Advisory Committee will

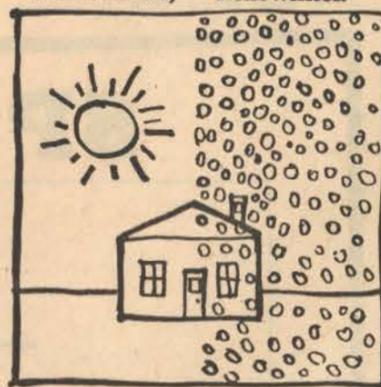
hold public hearings for the purpose of letting interested citizens express their views on the subject of the Allen Report.

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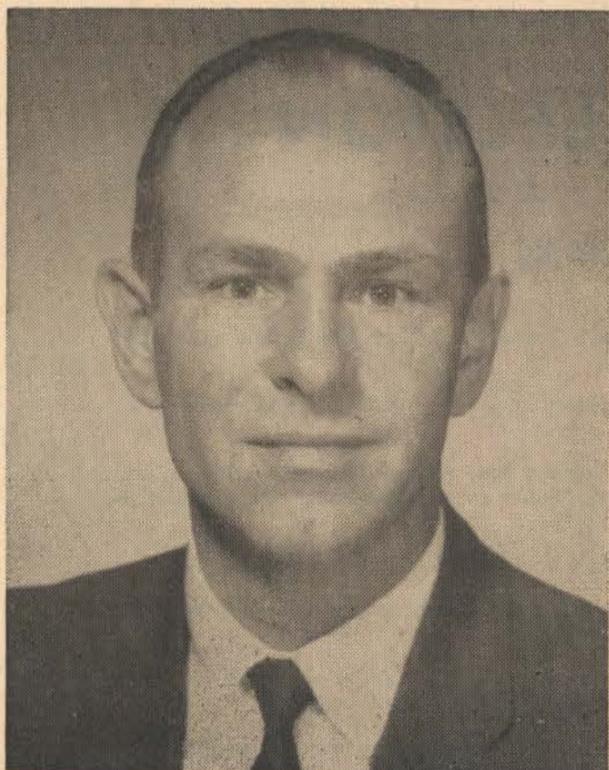
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Councilman Francis W. White has served for six years on the Council, two of them as Mayor. His responsible judgment and experience are needed by Greenbelt.

On September 16th you will elect five people to the Council. Choose, as we will, four others with great care — but be sure to vote for FRANCIS W. WHITE.

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| George J. Berg        | Marge Feeney      | Kathy Gough            | Marie Loutsch     |
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| Joseph W. Brubaker    | Lydia P. Fominaya | William W. Hand        | James E. McCully  |
| John W. Churchill     | Joan B. Freeman   | Ken Kennedy            | Willie A. McCully |
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| Marvin G. Clute       | Mary A. Geiger    | Donald G. Kern         | Robert H. McGee   |
| Shirley L. Clute      | Lois Getis        | Mildred Kern           | Jean Mogel        |
| Vilma V. Cormack      | Mark Getis        | Mary H. King           | R. W. Mogel       |
| Evelyn J. Costa       | Ben Goldfaden     | Marsha Krasnick        | Lloyd L. Moore    |

### PERSONAL NOTE

I want to thank the many, many friends of Francis White who wanted to be included here — I just ran out of time and couldn't get around to visit all of you.

I want you to know that I didn't forget you and that we appreciate your personal support.

Thanks to all of you, all over town.

George E. Beauchamp, Jr.  
Chairman  
Citizens for White Committee

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**VOICE LESSONS** - Oberlin Conservatory graduate currently enrolling new students. Beginners through advanced. 474-7382.

**Our Neighbors**

A speedy recovery to Alphonso Geiger, 101 Lakeside who is recovering from surgery at Pringe Georges Hospital.

Elaine Lewis, 119 Northway will spend a year abroad studying at Aix-en-Provence, France

Tom R. Meredith and his fiancée Janet Landis visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Meredith, Jr. 206 Lastner Lane over the weekend. Both Tom and Janet are students at Shepherd College, Shepherdstown, West Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo R. Mullen, of Fort Lauderdale, Fla., are at the home of their daughter and son-in-law, Al and Lorraine Nuzzo, where Mrs. Mullen is resting after a heart attack which she suffered while in Connellsville, Pa.

Rabbi and Mrs. Maurice Weisenberg announce the arrival of a daughter. Ariela made her debut on August 28, weighing 6 lbs. She joins Atara, Ellen Esther and Shira. Rabbi Weisenberg is spiritual leader of the Mishkan Torah.

The Reverend and Mrs. William Ravenscroft are the proud parents of a son. Arley was born September 5, weighing 7 lbs. 6 oz. The Reverend Ravenscroft is pastor of the Mowatt Memorial United Methodist Church.

A very happy birthday to Marla Lynn Goldstein, 6-Y Plateau, who celebrates her eleventh birthday on September 15

Charles Craig has been promoted to senior associate at Planning Research Corporation. He is a member of the firm's Intelligence Applications Department and holds a B.S. degree in math and engineering from Auburn University.

Private Martin B. Greenbaum, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry I. Greenbaum, 23-A Ridge, completed an aircraft armament repair course July 25 at the Army Ordnance Center and School, Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.

**RELIABLE WOMAN** wanted care for 2 children and L.H.W. 5 day week call 773-1300. After 6 p.m. Call 345-8862.

**Junior Highlights**

by Carol Collins

Greenbelt Junior High had a record breaking enrollment of 1145 for its opening day of school, Sept. 2. This year there are 398 seventh graders, 347 eighth graders and 372 ninth graders. The seventh graders came from Center Elementary School, North End Elementary School, Springhill Lake Elementary School, Berwyn Heights Elementary School, and College Park Elementary School.

**Stevens Leaves GJHS**

Clifford Stevens, a former math teacher and guidance counselor, has been appointed vice-principal at Robert Goddard Junior High. He was the backbone of the Student Council and sponsored many of the school trips.

**Construction**

For the first time the classrooms have been grouped by departments; English, Science, Social Studies, Math, Home Economics and Industrial Arts.

Air conditioning is being installed in the cafeteria, library and music departments.

The classrooms in the new wing have provisions made for future air conditioning and there are separate heating units in each classroom. The sidewalk in front of the school extending from the parking lot to Edmonston Road will be 22 ft. wide.

**P.T.A.**

Parents will have an opportunity to see the construction work that was done during the spring and summer by attending Back-to-School P.T.A. on October 14.

**SEX EDUCATION**

The Springhill Lake Chapter of Women's American ORT will hold its first meeting of the season on September 16 at 8 p.m. in the Community Room over the Shopping Center. The guest speaker of the month will discuss a topic pertinent to all - sex education in the elementary school. All new members are welcome.

**Jaycees Sponsor Meeting On Influence of Drugs**

The Greenbelt Jaycees will hold a public meeting on drug control and its influence on youths and adults. The panel of speakers includes Jaycee pharmacists, psychologists, and others who are concerned with mental health and drug abuse and the relation of drugs to crime.

The meeting will start at 8 p.m., Thursday, Sept. 18, at the Municipal Building. All persons, and especially young men between 18 and 36, are cordially invited.

**Volleyball Next Week**

The Greenbelt volleyball season will start next week. Every week throughout the fall, winter and next spring volleyball will be played every Monday and Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. in the Center School Gym. Monday evenings will be for men only and Wednesday will be for men and women. This is the 4th year of play and if enough people come out we will have leagues and a volleyball team to represent Greenbelt in competition throughout the area and in the Greater Washington Area Annual Volley ball tournament in the spring. Everyone is urged to come out and play.

**Mishkan Torah Sponsors Antique Show and Sale**

Mishkan Torah sisterhood announces its second annual antique show and sale, to be held at the Greenbelt National Guard Armory, November 2 and 3. Dealers from several states will be displaying their unusual wares, consisting of brass beds, stoneware, rare coins, and many beautiful oil and water color paintings. An old fashioned bake sale will be included to make this an exciting two-day show. There will be an admission charge. Hours: Sunday, 12 noon to 10 p.m.; Monday, 10 a.m. to 8 p.m.

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**LEOPARDS** do not change their spots, but this house will. See this fine 4 BR 2 bath brick home with fireplace near Greenbelt (with a real leopard room-honest). However, you will get a nice paneled rec. room with bar and loads of storage space. Nice patio and level yard. Assume this low cost 4 1/2% loan and pay \$120/mo. after down payment. Total price \$25,500

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**SAFARI?** No, this home is not "safari" out that you cannot get to it by a fifteen minute drive from Greenbelt. Get in on this beautiful 4 BR 2 1/2 bath home with C/A. You can use your equity to assume this low interest 5 1/2% loan with payments of \$145/mo. Total price \$27,900.

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FOR

**City Council**

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*ELECT . . . .* A Councilman who would work to preserve and enhance the essential character of Greenbelt.

**ELECT THOMAS X. WHITE**

to

*Greenbelt City Council*

Auth. Cand.

**BIOGRAPHY**

**Profession**

- \* Juris Doctor, University of Maryland School of Law, 1969.
- \* LL.B. Degree, University of Maryland School of Law, 1959.
- \* Admitted to practice before the Maryland Court of Appeals, the Federal District Court for the District of Maryland, and the Federal District Court for the District of Columbia.
- \* Assistant Attorney General for the State Accident Fund, 1960 - 1965.
- \* City Attorney for the City of Greenbelt, 1962 - 1963.
- \* Presently serving as town attorney for the Town of Berwyn Heights.

**Governmental and Related Services**

- \* Mayor of the City of Greenbelt, elected in 1963 and presently serving in this office.
- \* Outstanding Young Man of America Award by the United States Junior Chamber of Commerce, 1964 - 1965.
- \* President of the Prince George's County Municipal Association, 1966 - 1967.
- \* Member of the Board of Directors of the Washington Metropolitan Council of Governments, 1968 and 1969.
- \* Greenbelt City Councilman, 1959 - 1961.

**Military Service and Veterans Affairs**

- \* United States Navy, 4 years.
- \* Member of Greenbelt American Legion Post 136.
- \* State Judge Advocate of American Legion, 1961.
- \* Assistant State Judge Advocate, 1962 to present.

**Community Service**

- \* Member and past president of the Greenbelt Junior Chamber of Commerce.
- \* Member and past president of the Greenbelt Democratic Club.
- \* Member and past president of the Greenbelt Business Men's Association.
- \* Associate member of the Greenbelt Volunteer Fire Department and Rescue Squad.
- \* Member of the Board of Directors of the Greenbelt Boys' Club.
- \* Democratic Precinct Chairman in Greenbelt's 6th Precinct.

**Further Biographical Information**

- \* University of Maryland, College Park, B.S. Degree in Business Administration.
- \* Resident of Greenbelt since 1953.
- \* Residing at 118 Grenhill Road, Greenbelt, Maryland, with wife, Paula, and daughter, Sandra Lynne, a sophomore at Salisbury State College.

**PLANNING FOR THE FUTURE**



- \* To continue vigorous opposition to any development which would adversely affect the character of Greenbelt as a single family residential community.
- \* To continue acquisition on Parkland to assure a healthy environment for future conservation.
- \* To continue to provide the high level of municipal services with the least possible burden to our residents.
- \* To make all Greenbelters feel a part of our community and to take an active role in molding our future.
- \* To continue the city's efforts for an early completion on the Perimeter Road.
- \* To provide additional access roads as Gentry Drive for our Springhill Lake residents.
- \* To continue to take an active role in solving Metropolitan problems through such organizations as the Metropolitan Council on Governments.
- \* Through advanced planning to meet the challenge of the future brought about by the growth of our city.
- \* To continue the development and beautification of our parks and recreation areas.
- \* To continue to provide a modern, efficient, and well staffed police department to make our homes and streets safe for our families.

**Re-Elect**

**Edgar L. Smith**

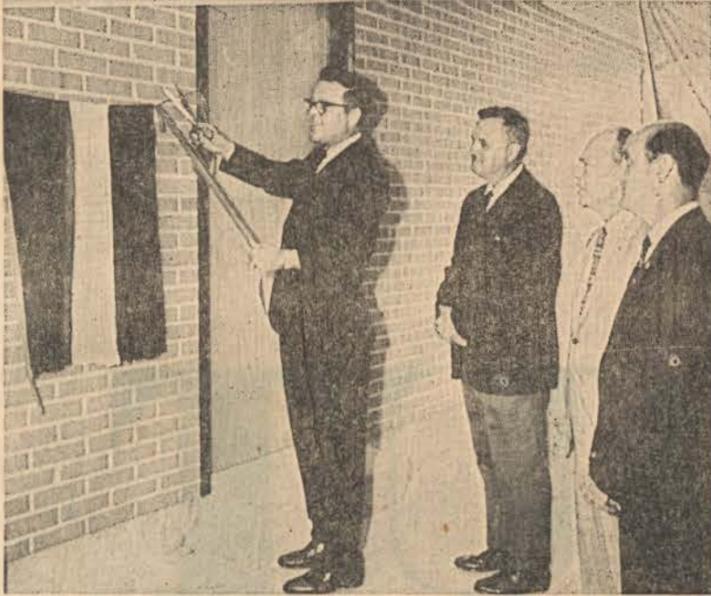
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**City Council**

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# Greenbelt Dedicates New Municipal Service Building



Councilmen William Hoff, Francis W. White, and Richard Pilski watch as Mayor Edgar L. Smith unveils the plaque at dedication ceremonies on August 30 for the Municipal Service Bldg.

## LAST REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING FEATURES USUAL VARIED AGENDA

by Al Skolnik

The last regular meeting of the 1967-69 council on Monday night featured an agenda which reflected in miniature the wide diversity of affairs that a council normally encounters during its term. There was a citizen petition requesting city action, zoning reports to consider (see accompanying article), notice of a city lawsuit, a recreation report, bids to be opened for purchase of city equipment, even a few critical words exchanged regarding advisory board activities.

Reacting to a petition signed by 67 citizens, council authorized management to construct a permanent sidewalk from Parkway to St. Hugh's Church. Since this could not be done immediately because of the need for making certain engineering studies with respect to grade lines, the council also directed the city manager to clean up the present sidewalk and make temporary repairs which would eliminate flooding conditions.

City Solicitor Emmett Nanna reported that a bill of complaint against the city had been filed by center mall property owners (Greenbelt Professional Building, Inc.) seeking a declaratory judgment invalidating the establishment of a special taxing district. The district was set up by council as part of its method of financing the \$40,000 center mall improvement program (as well as maintenance of the center). Under this method, the city would pay half the cost of the project and the balance would be paid through assessments on the center mall property owners running over a 10-year period.

Following up the Parks and Recreation Advisory Board's concern for making the facilities of the new senior high school available to the city during after-school hours, council has requested a meeting with the county school board. This request was included in a letter to the school board, dated August 28, which pleaded the desirability of having outside toilets and storage and office facilities in close proximity to the athletic fields.

Low bids were awarded to Gaithersburg Equipment for pneumatic-tired tractor (\$4,211); to John C. Louis Co. for leaf collector (\$8,050); to Zone Marking Co. for tennis court color surfacing (\$2,761) and to Contee Sand and Gravel for miscellaneous road paving (\$10,916).

It is proposed to two-tone color the tennis courts with the courts themselves being colored green and the surrounding outside area being colored beige. The road paving contract involves the resurfacing of Crescent from Lakeside to Gar-

denway and from the Lake parking lot to the Municipal Service Building; of Woodland Way from Forestway to Hillside; and of Edmonston Road from Greenbelt Road to Springhill Court.

The meeting concluded with the presentation of certificates of appreciation to departed members of advisory boards. Words of advice were offered by Mrs. Rose Amberg, who had served on the Community Relations Advisory Board. She felt that the Board's scope of activities should be broadened and not limited to items referred to it by council. Mayor Edgar Smith said he was not aware of such a limitation and that he would seek clarification of this matter.

## Long Distance Race Results

On Sunday, August 31, a 15 Kilo (9.3 miles) race was held through the streets of Greenbelt and the Agriculture Farm starting and finishing at Braden Field. This is the oldest regularly scheduled long distance race held by the D.C. Road Runners in the Washington area. Twenty-five finishers on a hot and humid afternoon were led by nationally-ranked, former U.S. Marathon champion, Gar Williams of the Washington Sports Club, from Vienna, Va., who won in the good time of 51:46, less than six minutes behind the course record of 46:15 by Bob Scharf in 1967.

Greenbelters finished 2, 3, 5, 13 and 18th Leander Aulisio was second in 54:07; Larry Noel, Jr. 3rd in 54:48, winning the D.C. AAU Jr. 15 Kilo Championship; Milt Greenbaum, 5th and Second Junior in 55:26; Martin Greenbaum, 13th in 59:42; and Al Barnes 18th in 64:25.

In the Two Mile Run For Your Life Race 12 Greenbelters were among the 43 finishers; Harvey Geller, Jim Wooddell and Tom McCauley were among the first three. In the Ladies One Mile race, six Greenbelters competed, with Ellissa Weidaw winning a large trophy for second place. Information about future races can be had from Larry Noel, 474-9362.



Greenbelt's new Municipal Service Bldg., showing office building on the right and garage-warehouse structure behind. The new facility is located off Crescent Rd. near the lake parking lot.



Albert S. ("Buddy") Attick, Director of Public Works, center, leads a group of visitors on a tour of the garage portion of the new Municipal Service Bldg. following dedication ceremonies on Aug. 30.

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2nd Place

### BANDS

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**Community Church: Probe**

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PROBE will offer four discussion groups this Sunday, Sept. 14 at 11 a.m.: "Parent-Child Relationships" is a series which will run for six weeks. This week Dr. Katherine Groff, Behavioral Scientist, will discuss "What is Behind Your Child's Behavior." "Tomorrow's Political and Moral Issues" is also a six week series. Commander Daniel Charter U.S. Coast Guard will show a film entitled, "Water," and discuss pollution. "How to Change an Attitude" is a two week discussion being lead by The Reverend John T. Walker, Canon, Washington Cathedral. The Reverend Mr. Walker will also preach the sermon at the worship service this week. "King David" will be the subject of the bible study group who will discuss the book of Second Kings and the Monarchy.

The new family worship service has been designed with the entire family in mind. During the first part of the worship service children are invited to attend with their parents. Participants will sing a children's hymn and welcome each other. This week the children will be taught why members take communion. Then during the hymn, children who want to leave, will be guided to creative activities related to the church school curriculum. There is a child care program and church school activities offered from 10:00 on so parents can keep their children with them in the worship service or have them attend planned classes. Do not be embarrassed to keep the children in worship, for their presence only enhances the service, the planners urge.

The church school program for the children has been greatly improved by the addition of many new teachers, the sponsors state. Parent Helpers have volunteered to help on a five month basis. Child care is now offered in the Fellowship Center behind the church, so parents and children will no longer have to cross the street.

**Woman's Club News**

The President's Membership Tea of the Woman's Club will be held on Sunday, September 14, at the home of Mrs. Duane E. Edge, 237 Lastner Lane, Boxwood Village, from 3 to 5 p.m. for members and invited guests. A special welcome is extended to all new members.

**Extension Homemakers**

The Greenbelt Extension Homemakers Club will hold its first meeting of the 1969-70 season with a Pot Luck supper and Guest Night, Wednesday evening, Sept. 17 at 6:45 p.m. The meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Virginia Schuldiner, 5 Pinecrest Court in Greenbelt. Beverages and rolls will be provided. If you are planning to attend please contact Mrs. Schuldiner so that she can plan accordingly. Phone number is 345-7810. It is hoped that each member will bring a guest, and any woman in the area that is interested in the Homemakers group is welcome to join with us at this time.

**Bishop Method Classes**

A revised schedule for the Bishop Method sewing classes sponsored by the Prince Georges County Board of Education - Adult Education is as follows: Introduction to Bishop Method (Basic) - Sept. 18, 9:15 a.m.; Dressmaking I, Sept. 17, 12 noon; and Dressmaking II - Sept. 17, 9:30 a.m. Registration and payment of fees will take place at the first lesson. Classes will be held at the Mowatt Memorial Methodist Church, 40 Ridge Rd. For information about Basic, call Mrs. Witt, 937-2229; for Dressmaking, call Mrs. McCarty, 474-8575.

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- To continue high level police and other services at the lowest possible rate.
- To acquire parkland on parcels 7 and 8 to insure the scenic entrance to the city.
- To make Greenbelt Lake Park the finest recreational area in the state, without its commercialization.
- To strive for the construction of the Perimeter Road in the school site, Springhill Lake, & Smith-Ewing Tract; To insure the citizens access, with the maximum safety.
- To provide recreation facilities and programs for all citizens, regardless of age.
- To make full use of the city's advisory boards.
- To take full advantage of all federal aid programs and membership in the Council of Governments.

**Elect**

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**To City Council**

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# VOTE "YES"

## On the Referendum If You Want A Responsible Firearms Policy

"The easy accessibility of firearms is a significant factor in murders committed in the United States today. It is a problem which the American public needs to examine closely . . . The questionable traffic in deadly weapons in many sections of our country is a disgrace. To my mind, the public has a right to expect that the distributor and the purchaser of weapons so deadly and easily concealed such as handguns must meet certain regulations and qualifications."

**J. Edgar Hoover**  
Director, Federal Bureau  
of Investigation

FOR RESPONSIBILITY

FOR PUBLIC SAFETY

# VOTE "YES"

on the  
Referendum in the City Election, September 16, 1969

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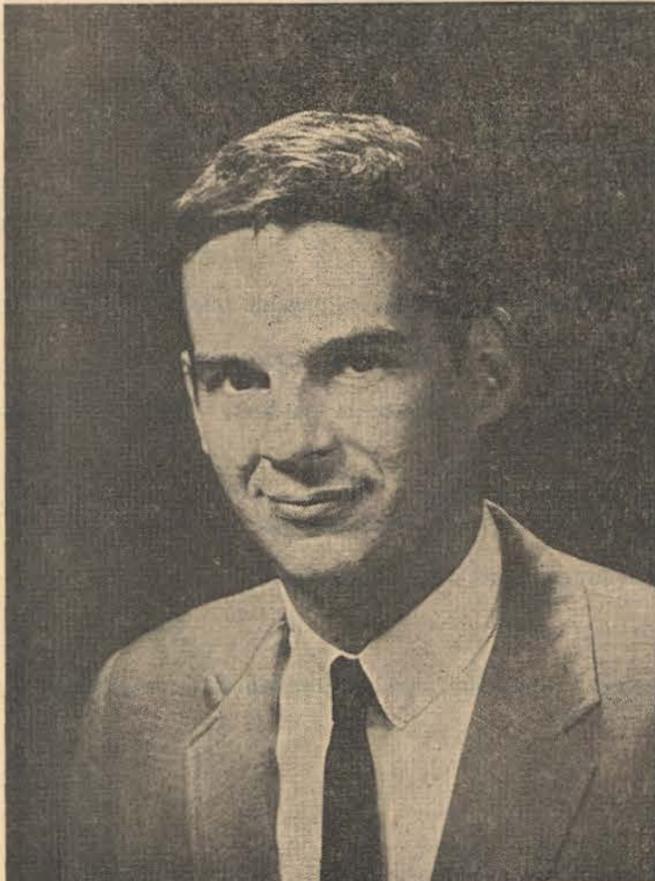
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Greenbelt Committee for a Responsible Firearms Policy  
13-M Ridge Road  
Greenbelt, Maryland 20770  
By Authority of: Charles T. McDonald, Chairman

When we go before the county and state to fight for the things our city needs . . . Let's go as a united City!



ELECT

# Joel A. Katz

## To Greenbelt City Council

Conservationist, advocate for minimum density zoning, will work to make center shopping area more attractive, supports the Master Plan and Perimeter Road, supports City & GHI purchase of Lutheran Church site to prevent commercial development.

**Young, Dynamic Leadership**

Age 30; President, Springhill Lake Civic Association, Vice President, Friends of the Greenbelt Library, Past President, Springhill Lake Democratic Club, former artillery officer.

**Involved in the Total Community**

Steering Committee, Citizens for a Planned Greenbelt; member, Greenbelt Lions Club.

**Dedicated to Serving Others**

Administers program for juvenile delinquents and mentally retarded at the District of Columbia Children's Center, former Program Director of the Montgomery County Heart Association, former volunteer teacher for the Washington Urban League.

**Well Rounded Education**

B.A. Labor Relations, Penn State; M. Ed. Secondary Education, University of Pittsburgh; Advanced Studies - Special Education and Rehabilitation.

**Award Recipient**

Ford Foundation Teaching Intern, Department of Health, Education & Welfare Fellowship.

Your friends and neighbors in all areas of Greenbelt support Joel

Jim Cassels	Darwin Beck	Jean Turkiewicz	Angela Livingston	Gerry Gough	Rhea Cohen
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by auth. Bob McGee, treasurer