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GHI BOARD DEBATES PERIMETER ROAD LOCATION, ELDERLY HOUSING

by Sandra Barnes

Although no Greenbelt Homes, Inc., board member felt the perimeter road was imminent (indeed some felt that the bridge portions in particular would never be built), the board, at its regular meeting June 25, took its stand on where it wished one section of the road to be constructed.

In a 6-1 decision (Alex Chavrid dissenting as he felt GHI was being pushed into deciding before it had studied the matter more closely) the board recommended to the city council a middle route which would, however, swing west to join a route close in to GHI property along the settled portion of Plateau Place.

Discussion over the question was prolonged. Bill Lathom delivered the Ad Hoc Perimeter Road Committee's report, which recommended the most westerly route closest to GHI property. The reasoning was that with the road in that position it would reduce density of future development of parcel 1. Lathom reported that his committee understood that if a middle road were taken there would be 65 more units on parcel 1. This would also mean additional traffic. (It was estimated that one family makes 8.5 car trips per day.) In recommending this route, the committee noted that the road would be 120 feet from the closest GHI home.

Board members either vehemently supported or objected to the committee's recommendation. Katherine Keene felt 120 feet was much too close for even one member's home to be to the road. Thomas White felt that a middle route would have least all-around impact on GHI. Charles Schwan also opposed the route most contiguous to GHI.

Norman Weyel, on the other hand, supported the close-in route in order to deter future development. David Lange also felt he wanted to control development and traffic near GHI property. Darwin Beck felt the traffic problem would not be that great.

Some wanted to know why the decision had to be made that evening especially in view of a probable change in the school site. It was explained that the Prince Georges District Council had certain zoning applications to decide on, and the amount of R-T (townhouse) and R-80 (single family) zoning was dependent on the position of the perimeter road. Schwan also noted that July is the deadline for the county commissioners to accept zoning applications.

As a sort of compromise, Schwan proposed the middle route, which would join the close-in route near Plateau Place. If the city council did not approve of this compromise, the board then favored the middle route.

Senior Citizen Co-op

In a 6-1 decision, with one abstention, the board recommended to the city council that it endorse the proposed senior citizens housing project on the city-owned site behind Candy Cane City. The committee which made its recommendations to the board had one reservation, namely that Greenbelt residents be given priority for renting the units but decided not to encumber their approval with this item.

Most of the board felt the loss to the city of the parkland would be more than offset by the worthiness of the project. Only Chavrid objected, stating that he was against a 7-story building in the center of town and that the city might not have the engineers to properly oversee the grading for the project.

The board did make one recommendation to the Senior Citizens Board. This was to urge that it call on the resources of the University of Maryland or other qualified organizations to judge the ef-

fects of the concentration in a single residence of 100 elderly persons who formerly lived in neighborhoods integrated with respect to age and income. This review, they noted, should consider the effect on both the elderly persons and the former neighborhoods and the effect of locating such a residence adjacent to a youth recreational area.

Parking Problems

After having a committee meeting with area residents, the board decided not to construct a parking lot between 2 Court Laurel Hill Rd. and 14 Court Hillside Rd. Another area on the corner of Hillside and Laurel Hill was decided upon as a better site, and the question was referred to the parking committee for its recommendation.

The board voted not to make an exception to a member who wanted to park a trailer in a court, since space for the trailer was available in the trailer lot. A motion to require a \$5 deposit for the key to

See GHI, p.2, et

COUNCIL APPROVES CONSTRUCTION OF TWO YOUTH CENTER ADDITIONS

by Mary Lou Williamson

In a special meeting Monday, June 29, the City Council determined to include at this time the second phase of the addition to the Youth Center, awarding the contract to Hitt Decorating Contracting Corp., for \$24,611. In another action Council set Monday, July 6, as the date for a public hearing on a proposal by the Senior Citizens Housing Cooperative to build an apartment building for the elderly behind Candy Cane City on city-owned land. The Advisory Planning Board has reported favorably on the proposal.

The portion of the Youth Center addition in question would add a shower room, weight-lifting room, terrace, outdoor restrooms and steps down to Braden field. The decision on whether to go ahead with this part of the work was left over from the previous meeting at which council awarded the major portion of the contract to Hitt Corp. for \$139,211 (plus architectural fees of \$11,125). Since the total cost of \$174,947 (including both portions) was significantly above the amount budgeted in 1968—\$150,000—council had asked City Manager James K. Giese for a rough cost analysis of the \$950,000 Capital Improvements Program to determine whether sufficient extra funds are available. Giese's quick survey was optimistic that such funds do exist.

Contributing factors include federal open space funds already obtained (parcels 7, 8), optimism that federal funds will be forthcoming on current applications (Lutheran Church, Furey property), other state and federal aid not yet applied for and mandatory dedication of parkland in new developments (Smith-Ewing tract)—none of which were fully taken into consideration in the original 1968 capital improvements budget. Also there are savings of \$15,000 on the Fire Dept. addition and an expected \$50,000 in interest on unused portions of the money (\$17,000 already earned).

Continuing on the same note of optimism, Mayor Francis White pointed out that savings made thus

WHAT GOES ON

Fri. July 3, 11:30 a.m. Bake sale, Center mall

Sat. July 4, 8 p.m. Greenbelt Band Concert. Lake Park / Followed by Fireworks at Dusk.

Mon., July 6, 8 p.m. Public hearing on Senior Citizens Housing. Council Chambers.

The Police Blotter

On June 20 Officer Bingham stopped a car on Lakeside Dr. containing an adult male. The driver's license and registration did not match. Further investigation revealed that the car had been stolen in Hyattsville last April. Still further investigation revealed that the driver was wanted by the Prince Georges County Police on a larceny and destruction of private property charge. The suspect was arrested and charged with possessing a stolen car.

In another incident a woman and her son were walking their four dogs in a wooded area on Research Rd. in the early hours of June 21. Another man was also walking his two dogs. The two adults got into an argument about littering. The man later told police that the woman set her dogs on him and that he was bitten. As he was walking away, the woman and her son followed him; he told police the boy tried to choke him and the woman struck him with a stick. He managed to reach a neighbor's house, called the police, and swore out a warrant charging the mother and son with assault and battery. Both are awaiting trial.

Fireworks and Concert Will Mark Fourth of July Here

by Joy Cowell

Fourth of July, 1970, will be celebrated with a bang all over Greenbelt from the fireworks display at the lake, to backyard picnics all over town. In keeping with tradition, the Greenbelt Concert Band will perform at the Lake Bandstand at 8 p.m. Following the concert there will be a fireworks display at dark. The best view can be had from the north shore where the usual large crowd is expected.

Beginning the holiday festivities this year was the Fire Cracker Tournament, a double elimination slow pitch softball finals. Involving over twelve teams, the games began the week prior to the Fourth at Braden Field Number Two.

Mrs. Dorallen Davis, manager of the Greenbelt Swim Team has announced that members of the Swim Team will be on hand during the softball tournament to sell refreshments to the large crowds expected.

Other events planned are a Horseshoe Tournament at Greenbelt Lake at 10 a.m. on Saturday, and a Firecracker Golf Tournament at the Springhill Lake Golf course. The 18-hole tournament is open to any man interested. To make reservations call the Springhill Lake Golf course.

Area churches will observe July Fourth with a variety of topical sermons and anthems. Most of the congregation of the Greenbelt Baptist Church will be in Washington to attend the Honor America Day Program.

Band Concert

The program for the band concert will include the following numbers: "The Klaxon," "1812

Overture," "Stradella," "Southern Roses," "The Whistler and his Dog," "Blue and Gray (A Civil War Suite)," "Holiday for Trombones," "Guys and Dolls," and "the Battle Hymn of the Republic."

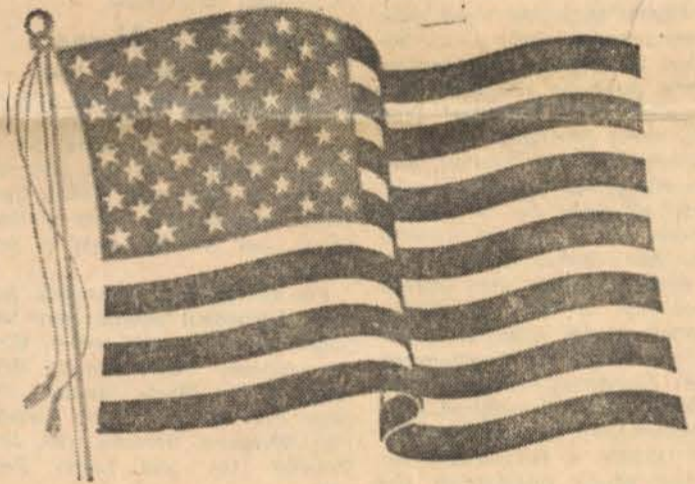
Citizens of Greenbelt are asked to bring their children to the community fireworks extravaganza and not to allow their children to play with firecrackers at home. The City Council, recreation, fire and police departments all cooperate to make the Fourth an exciting and safe holiday.

Extra policemen will be stationed at the lake to direct traffic and patrol the crowds. City Manager James Giese reminds the public that alcoholic beverages are prohibited, as is the use of fireworks by spectators.

A limited number of parking spaces will be available on Crescent Road, in Boxwood Village, and at the small lakeside parking lot. Giese recommends however, that residents walk to the lake if they can, to avoid the traditional traffic.

In the event of rain, the fireworks will be postponed from day to day, and will be shown on the first day that weather permits.

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MOON ROCK MISSING FROM SPACE CENTER

A small fragment of moon rock has disappeared from the Goddard Space Flight Center in Greenbelt. The fragment, weighing one-fiftieth of an ounce and measuring one-fourth of an inch in length was part of a larger rock obtained during the first manned landing on the moon last July.

The loss was reported by Dr. Nicholas Short of NASA who discovered the sample to be missing while making an inventory of lunar samples last week. The sample had been kept inside a glass vial in a vault at Goddard.

Battle of the Bands

A Battle of the Bands contest will be held on Friday, July 3, 8:30 p.m. at the Greenbelt Youth Center. Ten first year bands from the Prince George's vicinity will be featured in the competition for the first place trophy finish.

The public is cordially invited to attend. Admission will be charged. Competing bands are Beginning-End, Syllavis, Rose, The Asian Flu, The Virgin Country, Scorpius, No Name Crisis, The Arctic Fox, and Elevation. Tickets are available at the door on a first come, first served basis.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING — APARTMENT HOUSING FOR ELDERLY

MONDAY, JULY 6, 1970

8:00 P.M. — CITY OFFICES

A Public Hearing will be held by the City Council to receive citizens' comments on a proposal made by the Senior Citizens Housing Co-operative to lease undeveloped City park land in the vicinity of Candy Cane City and Braden Field for an indefinite time to construct a 7-story, 100-unit apartment house with community dining facility for elderly citizens. The Co-operative anticipates financing the project through a federal loan. It is also anticipated that the federal government would supplement the rent paid by some of the residents in the project.

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Citizens for Charter Organize Crab Feast

The Greenbelt Labor Day Festival Crab Feast will be sponsored this year by Prince George's Citizens for Charter. On Tuesday, July 7, at 9 p.m., a brief organizational meeting will be held at the home of Rhea Cohen, 10 Greendale Place. Eight committees will be formed to distribute advance fliers, to set up facilities, and to man food tables. Charter supporters are urged to volunteer and attend this meeting.

BOAT TO HOLD TEA

The Springhill Lake Chapter of the American Organization for Rehabilitation and Training will hold a membership tea on July 9 at 8:30 p.m. at the home of Iris Barron. Members recently elected Barbara Strong as president. Any area residents interested in joining this group should contact Iris Barron 474-6421 or Ellen Ross 572-4619.

Boys and Girls Club
 by Jerry Shafer

To all the people who worked so hard during the carnival for the benefit of the club, we can only say thanks for your help. It was a great success and through everyone's effort we can build the present Boys program and establish the Girls program.

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Our Neighbors

Marine Sergeant William Graves III, of 54-A Ridge Road was promoted to his present rank while serving with Marine Support Battalion, Kami Seya, Japan.

Mike Belt, son of former Greenbelt residents Paul and Shirley Reamy, has just completed a week at the Naval Academy in Annapolis, Md.

Mike is a senior at Parkdale and was one of two boys chosen from Parkdale to attend Boys State. The American Legion Post 136 sponsored him.

Sid Barnett and George D'Esposito took top honors in last Friday's duplicate bridge game. Ann and Tony Pisano, three points behind, placed second. Next game July 10.

On Friday, June 19, Jeff Williams of 73 L Ridge Road, was the recipient of the first "softball achievement award". At a ceremony held at Guy Mason Field in upper Georgetown, Williams was honored between games of the 4th Annual Washington, D. C. Invitational tournament. The ceremony was prepared without Williams' prior knowledge.

The purpose of the award, which will become an annual presentation each year, is to give recognition to individuals who in the opinion of the tournament's special selection committee have made an outstanding contribution to the game of softball in the Metropolitan area.

A full page feature story in the Sunday edition of the Washington Post on June 28 described the work of sculptress Lenore Thomas



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Straus, who executed the mother and child statue at the Center mall. Mrs. Straus now lives in Accokeek.

Disaster Relief Drives

University of Maryland University of Maryland faculty and staff members are collecting food clothing and money for relief of approximately 500,000 persons left homeless in the wake of recent earthquakes and floods in Peru.

In cooperation with an Organization of American States (O.A.S.) emergency relief drive, Brian Rennex, graduate resident assistant in physics, is coordinating efforts on the College Park campus. Thus far, he has collected several hundred dollars, three carloads of clothing, and food.

Rennex stressed that the estimated half-million Peruvians have an urgent need for food, clothing, shelter and medicine. He asked that people contribute in any way they can.

Checks should be made payable to the O.A.S. Staff Association-Peruvian Emergency and mailed to Brian Rennex, space science building, University of Maryland, College Park, Maryland 20742. Other contributions may be arranged by phoning Rennex at 454-3136.

Red Cross

Three hundred "comfort kits" are being prepared by the Prince Georges County Chapter of the American Red Cross as their share of the 50,000 kits being provided by Red Cross chapters throughout the nation for the earthquake victims.

The American Red Cross is appealing to the American people for contributions to help finance the relief program. Contributions may be sent to Prince Georges County Chapter, 6206 Belcrest Road, Hyattsville, Md. 20782 marked "Peru Quake Relief."

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JULY, 1970

6 1/2% CERTIFICATES NOW AVAILABLE

Twin Pines is now offering Savings Certificates paying 6 1/2% dividends if held at maturity. They are sold only to members (those with at least \$100 in their regular account), and only in \$1,000 amounts or multiples thereof.

The Certificates currently being sold come due July 1, 1971. Those buying them by the 15th of July will receive dividends on them from July 1st.

Dividends on these Certificates are paid and compounded quarterly at the regular 5 1/2% per year rate. When they mature, an extra dividend will be added, bringing the return up to 6 1/2% per year. If the Certificate must be cashed during the year the owner gives up the right to the extra dividend.

Members wishing to transfer funds from their regular savings accounts to Savings Certificates are advised to do so during the first fifteen days of the month so as not to lose any dividends.

Savings Certificates may be purchased at any time. After July 15th the next series of Certificates sold will be dated October 1, 1971. Those purchased by August 15th will receive the 6 1/2% return for 14 months, and those purchased by September 15th will receive the 6 1/2% return for 13 months, provided they hold the Certificates until October 1, 1971.

PAY REGULAR 5 1/2% DIVIDEND

Statements going to members at this time show the July 1st regular quarterly dividend paid at the rate of 5 1/2% per year.

Dividends are paid on multiples of \$10. They are calculated on the minimum balance in the account between the 15th and the last day of each month.

If you have any questions about your dividends please contact the office.

MONEY FOR LOANS

Twin Pines currently has money to lend to those buying Co-op homes in Greenbelt. During recent months we have had to ration the available money and delay making loans until money became available. We also borrowed money from Suburban Trust Co. and Greenbelt Homes, Inc. to lend to our members. Now all this borrowing has been repaid.

BOARD ENDORSES SENIOR CO-OP HOUSING

At its June meeting the Twin Pines Board of Directors voted 5 to 2 to endorse the proposed 7 story co-op apartment building for senior citizens to be located just north of the Greenbelt Shopping Center. The Cooperative is trying to lease an acre of city-owned land to build a fireproof building containing approximately 100 efficiency and one-bedroom apartments designed for elderly people. Plans are to include a co-op cafeteria in the structure also.

TWIN PINES GROWING

Twin Pines now has three full time employees — Bruce Bowman, Manager, and Bill Morin and Jim Cassels, Assistant Managers — plus three part-time cashiers, Caroljane Patrick, Esther Gerson and Madeline Gorr. Last year at this time it had two full-time and three part-time employees.

BOARD MEETS JULY 24th

The next regular meeting of the Twin Pines Board of Directors will be held at 8:30 p.m. on Friday July 24th. Members are always welcome to attend Board Meetings.

COMPLETE SPECIAL AUDIT

The Certified Public Accountants employed by Twin Pines have just completed an audit of our financial records as of April 30th. A copy of this report will be sent to MSSIC, the Maryland Share Savings Insurance Corp., as one of the exhibits required as part of Twin Pines' application for Savings Share Insurance. The Twin Pines Attorneys also sent a letter to MSSIC in which they stated it was their opinion that Twin Pines is charging legal rates of interest on the share-secured and co-op home-secured loans it makes.

The Twin Pines Board of Directors is hopeful that these items will finally clear the way for joining MSSIC and securing the insurance of our savings accounts up to \$20,000 per account.

FREE RECEIPT HOLDERS

Folders for holding your Twin Pines receipts and statements can be secured at the office. Members are urged to save their receipts and check them against their quarterly statements. If the statement is correct it should be saved and the receipts for that quarter destroyed. If the statement is incorrect, please notify the office immediately.

LOAN COMMITTEE APPOINTMENTS

The Board of Directors this month appointed John Webb and Francis Scott to two-year terms on the Twin Pines Loan Committee. They also appointed Harley Mann to assist the Committee in appraising homes. Carryover members of the Loan Committee are Bruce Bowman, Mike Wheatley and Bill Fern.

The Loan Committee meets Thursday evenings to appraise homes and review loan applications. Loans are approved only by unanimous decision of the Committee.

IN THIS WORLD

RAILROADS LOOMED NEW AND EXCITING ON THE TRANSPORTATION HORIZON WHEN CONSTRUCTION BEGAN ON THE LINE LINKING THE SOUTH CAROLINA CITY OF CHARLESTON WITH THE SMALL TOWN OF HAMBURG (NEAR AUGUSTA, GA.)... WHEN COMPLETED IN 1833, IT EXTENDED 136 MILES IN LENGTH, THE LONGEST RAILROAD IN THE WORLD...



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- FIRST TO OPERATE SCHEDULED PASSENGER SERVICE.
- FIRST TO CARRY MAIL...



HORATIO ALLEN, (1802-1890), PRESIDENT OF THE PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERING SOCIETY IN 1871, GAINED ACCLAIM AS A CIVIL ENGINEER THROUGH THE CONSTRUCTION AND OPERATION OF THIS PIONEER RAIL LINE.