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City Voters Will Choose Tuesday Among City Council Candidates

by Elaine Skolnik

Seven candidates competing for five city council seats are on the hustings, working hard to capture the votes of Greenbelt's 3,106 eligible voters. Because the Tuesday, September 15, election appears to be devoid of major issues to divide the candidates, voters may have to look to other factors as they make their selection — things like the individual candidates' degree and length of involvement, leadership and experience in the city, their performance at the various cablecast candidate forums, the views contained in their literature and advertisements, and their personalities.

The degree of the candidates' support for particular projects such as the Cultural Arts Center and North End School renovation could also be an ingredient in voters' decision-making.

Of special interest is the order in which candidates finish. Councils have traditionally chosen the top vote getter as mayor, although the city charter is silent on this point.

About 55% of Greenbelt's registered voters are expected to cast their ballots next Tuesday to elect the five city council members who will head the municipal government for the next two years. Incumbents Gil Weidenfeld, Thomas X. White, Edward V. J. Putens, Antoinette "Toni" Bram and Joseph C. Isaacs are seeking return to council. The challeng-

ers are Keith Chernikoff and Irene Hensel.

The current campaign is in some respects a mirror image of 1981 and 1983. There are no referenda and no slates. Issues dominating the political scene are similar to those in the previous election—development and zoning, parkland, traffic and road improvements, transportation and crime prevention and control.

Surfacing recently was citizen and council concern over the county's recommendation to the state that Kenilworth Avenue should be extended northward as a four-lane divided highway. It is feared that the extension would eventually link up with the city-opposed Inter-County Connector, which would route traffic through the Greenbelt corri-

6th Precinct Voters Go To North End School

Voters living within Greenbelt's Sixth Precinct are reminded that their voting place for the Sept. 15 city council election is North End School, not St. Hugh's School.

dor.

Another issue raised during the campaign is the question of the design of the Kenilworth-Greenbelt Road interchange. Greenbelters will be asked to grade the project in the city-prepared questionnaire. (See questionnaire page 14.)

The questionnaire, which will also be available at all polling places, deals with city programs and services. A new section, entitled "What's Your Beef?" asks for citizen advice on how the city can better serve residents.

The Greenbelt Connection will be transporting voters to and from the polls. See ELECTION, page 6, col. 1

See Election Results

Preliminary election results will be broadcast on Channel B-10 as soon as they are available. Results will also be shown at the Firehouse. The city clerk requests that people do not come to the Municipal Building.

Candidates for Council Answer Citizens' Questions at CFG Forum

by Mavis Fletcher

The question and answer session at the Candidates Night sponsored by the Citizens for Greenbelt on August 27 elicited some comments on subjects which had not been spoken to by the candidates running for city council when they made their opening statements.

Former CFG president Eunice Coxon cited three recent accidents at the Greenbelt Road-Kenilworth Avenue intersection and asked whether the candidates would favor a special traffic monitoring detail, made up of state and Greenbelt police, for the interchange until proper signage is in place.

Challenger Irene Hensel, who alternately suggested either bulldozing or dynamiting the interchange, was less interested in monitoring it than in getting citizens out to the September 28 meeting with state highway officials to find out what they intend to do about it. She charged that

this design was chosen because the Department of Transportation intends to extend Kenilworth Avenue and connect it to the Intercounty Connector. "Come out on the 28th by the hundreds," she urged, "and tell the state Department of Transportation that this interchange, period, is not acceptable." "We can win!" she said to loud applause.

Mayor pro tempore Thomas X. White, who said he did not subscribe to explosives ("contrary to what you may have heard," he added), came out in favor of monitoring but added that he also favored physical traffic control and working with the State Highway Administration officials on the 28th to come up with a feasible solution "to make an unsafe situation safe."

Incumbent council member Antoinette M. Bram agreed that the signs at the intersection need to be improved. She favored traffic monitoring but felt it should be done by the state police and not by the Greenbelt police.

Joseph Isaacs, also an incumbent, said that the problems at the intersection are "structural" and that a mistake of the SHA "shouldn't be the responsibility of the Greenbelt police." He called it "another example of the SHA dumping on Greenbelt" and suggested that they should own up to their mistake.

Incumbent Edward V. J. Putens agreed that the interchange needs to be monitored mornings and evenings (but not by the Greenbelt police). He also said he is asking Greenbelt's state senator Leo Green (who was present) to "assist us in this effort."

Challenger Keith Chernikoff characterized the traffic problem as "acute" and said that it needs to be addressed at once. "The SHA needs to let a contract faster than they ever have done before" to fix the problems, he said, emphasizing also that the SHA should never be allowed to widen Kenilworth Avenue. "People need to make sure they are here on the 28th," he urged.

Mayor Gil Weidenfeld announced that the city had sent letters to SHA administrator Hal Kassoff and to SHA District Engineer Michael Snyder asking them both to be at the meeting on September 28. He advised everyone to fill out a citizen survey, including a section on the interchange, to be available at the polling places at the election on September 15. (The questionnaire is also being published in the News Review elsewhere in this issue.) "We need them to see the light and feel the heat," Weidenfeld said, and also urged

See CANDIDATES, page 18



In the special year of Greenbelt's 50th anniversary, Sandra Barnes is honored as the City's Outstanding Citizen of 1987. The Maplewood Court resident, shown waving to parade watchers on Labor Day, has an enviable record of volunteer work, ranging from writing for the Greenbelt News Review to leading the Labor Day Festival Committee. She and her husband Alexander (driving her parade car) came to Greenbelt in 1966. Sons David and Alexander are native Greenbelters. — photo by J. Henso

Sandra Barnes - Greenbelt's Outstanding Citizen for 1987

by Virginia Beauchamp

Greenbelt's 50th anniversary committee chair, Sandra Barnes, is the 1987 Outstanding Citizen of Greenbelt. This award was given in part as a way of recognizing her three years of work in planning, coordinating, and carrying out the multiplicity of tasks which has made this year-long event so memorable. In the words of Tom Renahan, chair of the committee which chose this year's winner, "She boldly turned the celebration . . . into a fabulous success coordinating hundreds of volunteers on over 20 specific projects. In doing so, she reinforced Greenbelt's place in American history; provided lasting memories for its citizens; and helped to create historic documents of permanent value."

Her work in founding the Greenbelt Museum and the spring conference on New Towns were particularly noted by citizens who placed her name in nomination.

Barnes was recognized, however, for many other contributions over the years — not the

least being her chairmanship for several successive years of the Labor Day Festival committee itself. She has also worked as a volunteer staff member of the News Review from the time of her arrival in Greenbelt in 1966. See BARNES, page 10

1987 Election Procedures

by Elaine Skolnik

Voting on election day, Tuesday, September 15, will be held from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m. at four polling places — the Greenbelt Municipal Building (Precinct 3-Center), North End School (Precinct 6-North End), Springhill Lake Fountain Lodge (Precinct 8-Springhill Lake), and Greenbriar Community Center (Precinct 13-Greenbelt East).

Greenbelters will elect five council members, all at large, for a two-year term. In order to be elected, a candidate must receive 40% 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 22.

In a 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% requirement for election was introduced in 1967. Earlier a majority vote was required, frequently resulting in run-off elections. Since 1967 no run-offs have taken place. The last run-off election in 1965 pitted Richard Pilski against Clifford Simonson. Pilski won by one vote.

If all five council members are elected on September 15, there will be an organizational meeting of the new council on Monday, September 21. (This meeting

is set by charter.) If there is a run-off election, the organizational meeting will be held on Monday, September 28.

Upon being sworn in, the newly elected council will choose the mayor.

Voters will also be asked to complete a city-prepared information questionnaire dealing with city programs, services, etc. (See page 14)

Applications for absentee ballots may be obtained in the city clerk's office in the Municipal Building until noon Monday, September 14. The ballots must be returned to the city clerk no later than 6 p.m. on election day, Tuesday, September 15. Any qualified voter who is unable to vote in the election because of religious beliefs, physical condition or absence from the city on election day may vote by absentee ballot. Ballots may be obtained at the clerk's office and completed at the same time.

Serving on the Greenbelt Board of Elections are Jule Churchill, chairperson, June Ott, Christopher Kunz, Nathan Shinderman and Robert Spear.

What Goes On

Tues., Sept. 15, 7 a.m. - 8 p.m.
City Council Election. Vote!
Wed., Sept. 16, 8 p.m. Advisory
Planning Board meeting,
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Open Letter

To the Greenbriar Crier Staff:
 Thank you for publicly acknowledging the omission of my name from your bimonthly newsletter and taking corrective measures.
 Irene Hensel

Ethel S. Harvie

Mrs. Ethel S. Harvie, 75, wife of the late Raymond A. Harvie, died on Monday, September 7, after a long illness. She is survived by her daughter Aida C. Bistany, sister Hilda Garvin, brother Edward Haylock, grandchildren Joseph, Rosemarie, Mary, William and Anne, and great-grandchild Gregory Bistany.

A Mass of Christian Burial was held at 10 a.m. on Wednesday, September 9 at St. Hugh's Catholic Church. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Prince Georges County or St. Hugh's Catholic Church, Crescent Road.

Don't Take a Turn for the Worse

To the Drivers of Greenbelt:
 Many of us are successfully avoiding the disaster area where Kenilworth Road sneaks beneath Greenbelt Road, but not all of our friends and neighbors have figured out how to do this. The Committee To Avoid the Greenbelt Road - Kenilworth Avenue Interchange hereby offers the following suggestions.

One of the easiest ways to get from, for example, Springhill Lake to Joe's Carryout, is to: go west to Rhode Island Avenue, go North to Sunnyside Road, go East to Edmonston Road, and go left to Crescent.

There are other more difficult ways to avoid the intersection, including going down to Good Luck Road all the way to Cipriano, or even taking 410 to the Parkway; but this requires you to go through College Park. Rhode Island to Sunnyside takes only 3 miles more travel, while 410 and the Parkway require 6, and Good Luck to Cipriano requires 10 extra miles.

Going STRAIGHT through the intersection in any direction is a lot safer than turning there. In fact, the problem is to make your turn somewhere other than at the 'Gulf of Kenilworth.' When I drive through the disaster area in the leftmost lane, and turn right onto Pontiac at the gate to Westchester Park, then I wander the back streets of Berwyn Heights looking for Giant, or 56th St. at the Dunkin' Doughnut Shop.

Coming home is simple. I go east on Greenbelt Road all the way to Southway, waiting out the two Eternity lights. To avoid turning into the Funnel, I stay in the second lane from the right.

There is just one report of the dozen or so committees dealing with the Kenilworth Disaster. Send your name and address (see ad, page 18) to join one or all of these committees, and come to the meeting on Sept. 28 to show your concern.
 Doug Love

PG COUNTY FAIR OPENS

When the 1987 Prince Georges County Fair opens at 4 p.m. on Wednesday, September 9 it will mark the 145th anniversary of "the oldest County Fair in the State of Maryland." The theme of this year's Fair is "Representing An All-American Community."

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The five-day event, sponsored by the Prince Georges County Fair Association, will run through Sunday, September 13 at the County Equestrian Center, Md. Routes 301 & 4 in Upper Marlboro, Maryland.

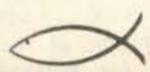
Free parking and free shuttle bus transportation will be provided from the Town of Upper Marlboro to the Main Fair Gate. For more information, call (301) 952-0270.

Golden Age Club

by Janet James
 On September 16, at 11 a.m., at the Youth Center, the Golden Age Club will hold its regular meeting. Harriett Ying of the Greenbelt Public Library staff will tell the Golden Age Club members about the services available to us in our library. Ying has assisted this writer at the library in times past and has demonstrated that she is eminently qualified to speak on this subject.

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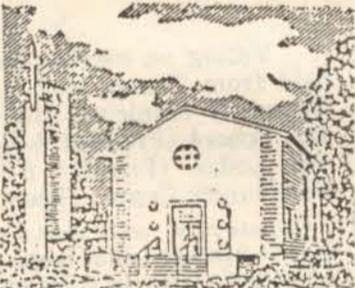
Sidewalk Sale to Be Held By Gray Panthers at Center

Gray Panthers will have a Sidewalk Sale at the Roosevelt Center Saturday, September 19 from 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. All types of items will be sold: household, books, toys, white elephants, clothing, etc. All kinds of donations will be greatly appreciated. Please bring donations at any time prior to the sale to 7F Crescent Rd. (Tel 474-6890), or to the Center on September 19.

At the Library

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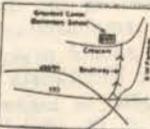
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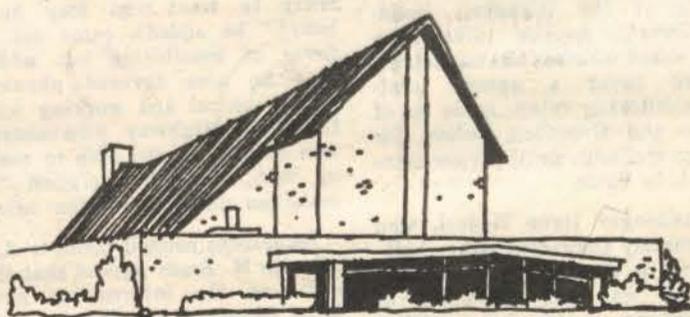
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Seven Candidates for City Council Appear at Green Ridge House

by Eileen Peterson

Forty-two Green Ridge House senior citizens plus a handful of visitors heard the seven Greenbelt city council candidates outline their agendas on Tuesday, Sept. 2, at the Ridge Road facility. Introduced by Jim Cassels, president of the Resident's Association, each candidate outlined past accomplishments and future plans.

Challenger Irene Hensel described her 29 years as an activist in such ventures as the fight to relocate the high school and the zoning battles which led her to help form Citizens for Greenbelt. As a council member, she would "want to hear from you" rather than just make decisions herself.

Mayor Gil Weidenfeld noted his "proudest accomplishment" as his role in getting Green Ridge House built where it is today. As head of the Council of Governments, he made "top priority that COG make a study of senior citizen housing in the . . . area." As "the longest serving mayor in city history," he said he "strives for consensus" and "is a team player willing to compromise" to reach productive decisions by the council. He also cited his experience as an attorney and engineer.

Incumbent council member Ed Putens drew laughter when he opened his remarks with "Can I ditto Mr. Weidenfeld? I think he covered a lot." Echoing Hensel, he spoke of city staff and citizens cooperating to bring about the best decisions of council. Referring to his recent News Review ad, "Graying of Greenbelt," he suggested outreach programs, exercise programs, a drop-in center and help with part-time employment as new needs for senior citizens.

Joe Isaacs, serving his first term on council, stressed the council's role in adding parkland, increasing recreation programs and enlarging the police force. He said he "personally initiated the concept of promoting state legislation . . . which created a \$1 million fund from which the city is pursuing a grant of \$100,000 to bring adult day care to the North End Center." Citing his health care background, he noted that two years ago he brought a panel of experts to Greenbelt to discuss senior citizen housing. He accented that "we need more control of our growth."

Challenger Keith Chernikoff, a systems analyst, spoke of his philosophy of helping in the community: returning benefits others had given him. "I sat down with citizens (to work) for the North End Center." Citing Roosevelt Center as "a problem there for many years," he said council needs "to focus its energy on that issue and use its resources to

land development, and added air pollution. She suggested the city might explore the eminent domain approach to Roosevelt Center, since much "of our problem arises from our lack of autonomy there." While urging prudence in spending, she mentioned her proposal at a council work session that they seek matching funds for a senior day care center at North End Center.

The introductions provided facts and formats; the question-answer session provided emotion. The big question concerned the recently opened Kenilworth-Greenbelt Road interchange, and all the candidates were vehement in their reactions. "Why didn't you (council) do something about it before it was built?" asked one resident. Mayor Weidenfeld said "the experts said it would work. Now we've tried it and it doesn't work." He urged all citizens to turn out for a public hearing with Highway Department officials on September 28. "Thirteen million dollars was put into that mess, and we're going to demand that they do something about it."

Putens agreed that "we need to put the heat right where it belongs: on the Highway Department." "The city is going to have to say 'I told you so,'" commented Bram, who cautioned everyone to use the intersection carefully. White said that the highway "people are wedded to their decision. They don't think it's bad. I don't think it will operate safely when finished. We need to make meaningful suggestions."

Hensel called the intersection a "monstrosity" and said it wasn't a "mistake" but a part of a plan to widen Kenilworth Avenue to eventually hook up with the Inter-County Connector. Local residents were never

resolve the problems (and) work with the owner." Holding up a special report given the city on special populations needs, he challenged council to make needed decisions.

Tom White, currently Mayor pro tem, cited wide experience with Greenbelt Homes, Inc., on committees and its board, while it was involved in the first master plan for Greenbelt. He stressed that he "wanted to make council more efficient" in decision-making which (on the Roosevelt Center issue, for instance) "has been fragmented." He listed "energetically pursuing" parkland acquisition (with bond issue money) as a priority during the next two years. He cautioned careful examination of financial as well as physical aspects of Roosevelt Center renewal.

Antoinette (Toni) Bram, a two-term council member, cited her "dismay at the kind and numbers of crime in the city" and said "we cannot tolerate drug activities." She said "I feel strongly the next council must concentrate efforts to combat the problem in a determined and reasoned fashion." City leaders must continue "consistent good judgment" in keeping a balance of comfort for all ages in the city, in the face of traffic congestion,

job to put into the process (of development) better buffers around densely developed portions." He said the city needs to fight sale of government land.

Bram fears the sale of BARC land along Edmonston Road which would then be developed right to the city line. "It has always been my dream to approach the federal government and ask for a green belt from our city to Powder Mill Road . . . once we have our belt, then put in our charter that it never can be changed." "We've lost a lot," said Putens, "but by mandatory dedication, we've been able to acquire land. We ought to give tax incentives for land donation."

Weidenfeld cited Greenhills, Ohio, as being able to keep its green space, because it was never sold. "That is not the case in Greenbelt. The best thing we have going is the development of single-family homes," where there is mandatory dedication of parkland. "We buy only those parcels most strategic and needed by the city," because land prices have soared. Hensel said she'd like to see the city try to get the county to set a moratorium on continued building in Greenbelt East, because as building continues, "the roads stay the same. It's awful."

Tentative Agenda

ADVISORY PLANNING BOARD MEETING
WEDNESDAY,
SEPTEMBER 16, 1987
YOUTH CENTER - 8:00 P.M.

1. Call to Order
2. Approval of Agenda
3. Approval of Minutes - Meeting of August 19
4. Reconsideration of Revision to Site Plan - Commerce Center (Smith-Ewing Lot 1)
5. Consideration of Zoning Map Amendments - Application A-9672 and 9673, Magnolia Farm (R-R to C-O and R-55 Zones)
6. Review of Strategic Planning Committee Goals and Objectives

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(Editor's Note: The following biographies were written by the city council candidates for publication in the News Review. They appear here in the opposite order in which their names are listed on the ballot.)

Irene Hensel

6 Orange Court

Born on June 1, 1932 in New York City of working class parents, Hensel attended school and worked there until joining the Navy in 1955. Stationed in San Diego, she met her husband Richard while working in the same Navy office. She served over three years, was honorably discharged, and then moved to Greenbelt in 1958 to raise a family. She is the mother of five daughters and one son.

In May, 1959, Hensel began her involvement here by joining a church organization. When Greenbelt Citizens for Fair Housing was formed, Hensel joined and served on the executive committee, 1968-69. Also during the 60's, she joined the Greenbelt Peace Committee.

During the long struggle over the proposed location of the high school, the Save Our Community Committee was formed. From 1967-68, Hensel served on the executive committee. She collected 100 signatures in a door-to-door petition drive.

When Parcels 3 and 4 were up for rezoning in January 1979, Hensel helped start a new organization, Citizens For Greenbelt, serving as treasurer from 1979-81, and vice president, 1981-2. He has recently assumed the transportation committee chair.

In June 1984, Hensel organized some of her neighbors in Lakewood and Boxwood to regain the loss of bus transportation for students to Eleanor Roosevelt High School again using a petition drive. In two weeks 500 signatures were gathered and some uses restored.

In 1985 when Greenbelt's savings and loan was closed, she participated in the fight of depositors to get access to their money.

Hensel lives in Lakewood. A member of the Lakewood Citizens' Association, she served as vice president from 1985 to 1986.

Keith Chernikoff

4B Crescent

Keith Chernikoff is a senior business applications analyst at Arbitron. He has been employed here for seven years in a variety of capacities in production and software development.

Before moving to Greenbelt, Chernikoff lived in Seabrook, Md. He is a graduate of DuVal High School and the University of Maryland. During the late 1970's he chaired the Seabrook Civic Association Land-Use Subcommittee. Concurrently he was appointed twice to the Governor's South Advisory Council and was member of its executive committee. He served on the Seabrook Recreation Board as vice-president (1979-80) and as president (1981-82).

He lived in Lakeside North Apartments before moving to Court Crescent Road in 1985. He recently was elected as a member of Greenbelt Homes Incorporated (GHI) Nominations and Elections Committee. Since

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1984, he has been chairperson for the Greenbelt Park and Recreation Board (PRAB).

Chernikoff is past president and vice-president of Citizens for Greenbelt. As a five-year member of the Eleanor and Franklin Roosevelt Democratic Club, he has served in a variety of offices. He was a member of the Citizens for the Bond Issue in 1985. In 1986, he helped found and organize the Citizens for North End Center (CNEC) whose goal is the conversion of North End School into a multi-purpose, multi-generational activity center. He is a member of Greenbelt Consumer Co-op, Friends of the Greenbelt Museum, and the Greenbelt Tennis Association.

Gil Weidenfeld

110 Ridge Road

Gil Weidenfeld is seeking his ninth term on council. He is currently serving his fifth term as mayor. Weidenfeld is a graduate engineer and attorney.

Weidenfeld is also serving his second term as chairman of the Board of Directors of the Metropolitan Washington Council of Governments (COG). He is the first municipal elected official from Prince George's County ever elected chairman of the COG Board in its thirty year history.

Weidenfeld served as a vice-president of the Maryland Municipal League (MML) for three years and was on the MML's Board of Directors for five years. He is a past president of the Prince Georges County Municipal Association (PGCMA) and served five years on the PGCMA Executive Board. He was the recipient of the PGCMA's "Outstanding Municipal Official of Prince Georges County" award.

Weidenfeld, who holds a management position with the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, has earned numerous governmental awards for outstanding performance, special achievement and for work of outstanding quality.

In 1969, Weidenfeld earned a law degree, Doctor of Jurisprudence, from Catholic University in Washington, D.C. In 1960, he received a Bachelor of Science Degree in Mechanical Engineering from Rutgers, the State University of New Jersey. He is a member of the Maryland Bar, the District of Columbia Bar and the United States Supreme Court Bar.

The Weidenfeld family, Gil, Muriel, and daughters Sharon and Ellen are twenty-two year Greenbelt residents. They formerly lived in Springhill Lake and Boxwood Village. The family presently resides on Ridge Road.

Joseph Isaacs

112 Julian Court

Isaacs was elected to his first term on the city council in 1985. During this term, Isaacs has also been active in the Maryland Municipal League, the National League of Cities, and the Washington Metropolitan Council of Governments, where he was elected Vice Chairman of COG's Human Services Policy Committee.

Isaacs has been a civic and volunteer activist since 1966, during years of residence in the states of Maryland, Missouri, and New York. A resident of Greenbelt for the past twelve years, he, his wife Deborah, and his daughter Rachel reside on Julian Court. Previously Isaacs lived for four years at Springhill Lake.

In recognition of his professional, civic, and volunteer achieve-

ments, he was named an Outstanding Young Marylander in 1986 and received his award from the Governor. Because of his dedication and commitment to community service, Isaacs was selected in 1984 as Metropolitan Washington Volunteer Activist of the Year, as Prince Georgian of the Year, and as an Outstanding Young Man of America by the National Jaycees.

Isaacs has served on the City's Advisory Planning Board (APB), as well as as its Park and Recreation Advisory Board (PRAB). He has also been an active member of the Maryland Citizens Planners Association.

While president of the Boxwood Civic Association between 1982 and 1985, Isaacs was an advocate on many issues of concern to his neighborhood and to the city, including founding Boxwood's Crime Watch program in 1983. He served as Co-chairperson of Citizens FOR the Bond Issue and was Chairman of the Save Our (Co-op) Services (S.O.S.) Committee.

Isaacs has been a member of the Board of Directors of the Greenbelt Cultural Arts Center and a former officer of the Eleanor and Franklin Roosevelt Democratic Club. He is a member of Citizens for Greenbelt, the Greenbelt Lions Club, Friends of the Greenbelt Museum, and the Greenbelt Jaycees.

Born and raised in New York City's South Bronx, Isaacs, 36, is the first generation American son of immigrant parents. He is a Phi Beta Kappa graduate of the City College of New York, where he earned his Bachelor's degree in 1972. In 1975, he earned his Master's degree, Summa Cum Laude, from the graduate program in Health Services Management at the University of Missouri School of Business, which selected him as "Outstanding Student."

Isaacs is now the Director of Government Relations for the National Health Council, an association representing 70 health organizations. He previously was the Associate Director of the National Health Policy Forum, a nonpartisan, public health policy research and in-service education program for White House, Congressional and federal executive agency health affairs specialists. He is also on the faculty of the Department of Health Sciences at George Washington University's School of Medicine.

Isaacs was appointed by the Prince Georges County Executive to serve on the Governing Board of the Southern Maryland Health Systems Agency. In 1984, he was elected to the Board of Directors of the Metropolitan Washington Area Council of Health Planning Agencies and also sits on committees of several national associations.

Thomas X. White

8 Woodland Way

Thomas X. White resides at 8 Woodland Way, with his wife, Helen, and three of their seven children. The Whites have lived in Greenbelt for 28 years.

White is a native Washingtonian. He was educated in the parochial school system here, graduating from Gonzaga College High School in 1953. After attending Georgetown University for one year, he enlisted in the U.S. Navy and served for five years as a Medical Corpsman.

Leaving active service in 1959, White enrolled at the University of Maryland, and moved with his

family to Greenbelt at that time. In 1962, he earned a B.S. Degree in Microbiology and has worked for the past 25 years in the field of medical products. For the past 11 years he has worked for the Pharmaceutical Manufacturers Association, where he is Director of Production and Quality Programs.

Continuing his affiliation with the U.S. Navy as an active Naval Reservist, White is completing his 33rd year of Naval Reserve service. He is assigned to a Navy Reserve Medical Unit at Adelphi, MD.

White began his active community service in 1962 when he served with the Greenbelt Jaycees, the Citizens for a Planned Greenbelt, and various committees and elective offices in the Greenbelt Homes, Inc. (GHI) cooperative. He served on the GHI Audit Committee for three years, the GHI Board of Directors for four years, and served as the Treasurer of GHI during 1973-74. He was one of the founders of the Save Our Community Committee (SOCC). SOCC was instrumental in preventing the location of a planned three school complex on Parcels 1 and 2 west of the Baltimore-Washington Parkway.

First elected to the City Council in 1973, White has served seven terms. While on the council he has been active also in

county, regional, state, and national organizations dealing with municipal affairs. These include:

- Secretary, Prince Georges Democratic Central Committee
- Member, Water Resources Planning Board, Metropolitan Washington Council of Governments (MWWOG)
- Member, Maryland Municipal League Board of Directors
- Member, MML New Facilities Committee
- Member, MML Planning and Intergovernmental Affairs Committee
- Member, National League of Cities Advisory Council
- Member, Energy, Environment and Natural Resources Policy Steering Committee of the National League of Cities
- Member, Hazardous Material Transportation Subcommittee of the Transportation Research Board
- Chairman, Greenbelt 50th Anniversary Homecoming Weekend Subcommittee

White is a member of Greenbelt American Legion Post No. 136, Citizens For Greenbelt, the Greenbelt Arts Center and Friends of the Greenbelt Museum. He is a charter member and former president of the Eleanor and Franklin Roosevelt Democratic Club. During the past year he was appointed by council to serve on the board of Greenbelt Access Television (GATE), a new organization, formed to promote community access on cable television. White remains active

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CITY OF GREENBELT, MARYLAND

WHERE TO VOTE

- PRECINCT 3—CENTER**
Municipal Building
25 Crescent Road
Crescent Road #1-135
Eastway #2
Gardenway
Greenbelt Road Nursing Home
Lakecrest Circle
Lakecrest Drive
Lakeside Drive
Lakeview Circle
Maplewood Court
Olivewood Court
Parkway
Pinecrest Court
Ridge Road #1-42; 44, 46; 48
Southway
Westway
- PRECINCT 6-NORTH END**
North End School
Ridge Road and Research
Eastway #1; 3; 5
Empire Place
Fayette Place
Forest Way
Greendale Place
Greenhill Road
Greenknolls Place
Greentree Place
Greenway Place
Hedgewood Drive
Hillside Road
Ivy Lane
Julian Court
Lastner Lane
Laurel Hill Road
Lynbrook Court
Northway
Orange Court
Periwinkle Court
Plateau Place
Research Road
Ridge Road #43; 45; 47; 49-446
Rosewood Drive
Tamarisk Court
White Birch Court
Woodland Way
- PRECINCT 8 - SPRINGHILL LAKE**
SHL Fountain Lodge
6220 Springhill Drive

- Breezewood Court
Breezewood Drive
Breezewood Terrace
Cherrywood Court
Cherrywood Lane
Cherrywood Terrace
Edmonston Court
Edmonston Road
Edmonston Terrace
Springhill Court
Springhill Drive
Springhill Lane
Springhill Terrace
- PRECINCT 13 - GREENBELT EAST**
Greenbriar Community Center
7600 Hanover Parkway
Bird Lane
Brett Place
Burkart Court
Candlewood Place
Canning Terrace
Cloister Place
Emily Way
Frankfort Drive
Good Luck
Road 7800, 7804, 7900
Greenbrook Drive
*Hanover Parkway
691C-6998; 7600-7830
Jacobs Drive
Kara Court
Lake Drive
Mandan Court
Mandan Road
Mandan Terrace
Mathew Street
Megan Lane
Morrison Drive
Ora Glen Court
Ora Glen Drive
Ryan Way
Somerset Court
Sunset Place
Winterwood Place
- *NOT 7000 thru 7298

Biographies, Continued

in GHI, serving on the cooperative's Reserves Committee. He is a volunteer crime watch member for Woodland Hills and a volunteer worker for St. Hugh's Bingo.

Antoinette Bram

104 Tamarisk Court

Antoinette M. Bram was first elected to City Council in 1983, and re-elected in 1985.

Long a civic activist, Bram has lived in Greenbelt for 27 years. She was a five-year resident of Plateau Place before her move with husband Ralph, and four children to Tamarisk Court. One of her first activities as a Boxwood resident was to organize a group which petitioned City Council to construct the bike path/walkway along Crescent Road from Lastner Lane to Northway. Bram was also part of the group which met in protest to the appointment of a local developer to the position of the Governor's liaison to local governments.

In June, she completed the requirements for a Master of Arts Degree in History at the University of Maryland. The degree was awarded on August 25. In 1981, she was awarded a Bachelor of Science Degree, Summa Cum Laude, from the University of Maryland, majoring in urban studies.

Bram has served on the city's Advisory Planning Board, the Parks and Recreation Advisory Board, and has held leadership positions with the Greenbelt Aquatic Boosters Club, the Greenbelt Homemakers Club, and St. Hugh's C.Y.O. She has been a coach in the Greenbelt Boys and Girls Club, and a leader in the Greenbelt Campfire Girls.

As a Greenbelt city council member, she has been a committee member of the Metropolitan Washington Council of Governments, the Maryland Municipal League, and the National League of Cities.

Bram organized and was elected first president of the Prince Georges County Elected Municipal Women. She is a non-voting member of the Board of Directors, Friends of the Greenbelt Museum.

Bram works as Associate Registrar, University College, University of Maryland. She is a native of Washington, D.C. and a 1953 graduate of Notre Dame Academy.

Edward Putens

8005 Brett Place

Edward Putens has served three terms on the Greenbelt City Council. He has been a resident of Greenbelt for 19 years. Born in Hazelton, Pennsylvania, Putens, with his wife, Becky, and

three children, Kim, 18, Ryan, 8, and Amy, 6, reside at 8005 Brett Place in Greenbelt.

Putens has been employed by the Federal Government for 14 years and is currently working for the Food and Drug Administration. He has served in a variety of management and staff positions for the U.S. Department of Labor, the Office of Personnel Management, and the U.S. Postal Service. He has received numerous commendations and special achievement awards for excellence and has been nominated to several U.S. Senate Commissions and Special Task Forces. From 1981 to 1985 he was president of his own company, providing consultative services in the areas of personnel and labor relations.

Putens is also active in a variety of community affairs. He is a member of the Eleanor and Franklin Roosevelt Democratic Club, the Greenbelt Cultural Arts Center, co-founder and Chairman of the Greenbelt Arts Trust Corporation, the Greenbelt Jaycees, Citizens for Greenbelt and a charter member of the Greenbelt Consumer Co-Op. He is also a past member of the Board of Directors for the Windsor Green Homeowners Association, for which he held office from 1978 to 1985. Prior to his election to Council, Putens served as Chairman of the Community Relations Advisory Board (CRAB), which was instrumental in the establishment of the Greenbelt Crime Prevention Committee. He currently serves as Council liaison to the Crime Committee.

While on city council, Putens has served on numerous county, state and national committees. He is a member of the Prince Georges Municipal Association and the Maryland Municipal League. He currently serves on two Metropolitan Washington Council of Governments (COG) committees — Member of the Transportation Planning Board and Chairman of the Public Safety Policy Committee since 1985. He also served on Human Resources Policy Committee. In addition, he serves on the Finance, Administration and Intergovernmental Relations Policy Committee and the Human Development Policy Committee for the National League of Cities (NLC).

Putens is a graduate of the University of Maryland, where he earned a degree in Microbiology. While attending school at night, he was employed in various research capacities for numerous medical and research development companies. He co-authored several patents dealing with minimizing air pollutants.

CHERNIKOFF for City Council

Dear Greenbelt Neighbor,

This year's election will not change our City Council very much. Five incumbents and two challengers are vying for five seats, so at least a majority of the Council will be re-elected. Most of the council members have done a good job and frankly they deserve re-election.

A Little Nudge

Yet, the Council can operate better. For too long, major problems in our city have lingered while solutions have been stalled. For example, decisions on spending priorities for the bond issue were delayed for two years. Plans for the vacant North End School have been mulled over, and over, for more than four years. And of course, proposals for revitalizing the Roosevelt Center have been discussed for a decade—with no end in sight!

In order for our City to make progress on these kinds of problems, the Council will require a little change, and a little nudge.

As A Volunteer

I believe I can help move City government forward to respond to the needs of the community, to address the important issues, and to make the tough decisions. I come by this belief as a result of long hours of volunteer service to our community.

- As founder of Citizens for the North End Center, I helped draft a seven point proposal for the creation of a multi-generational activities center at the North End School.
- As Chair of the Greenbelt Park and Recreation Advisory Board, I helped develop a comprehensive survey of city park needs as well as a specific plan for improvements in the Greenbelt East Lake Park.
- As President of Citizens for Greenbelt, I helped alert the Council to undesirable proposals for increased development.

My Goals

On the City Council, I would use the knowledge and experience gained from my civic activities to vigorously pursue the goals for which I have labored: protecting the City's "Greentown" heritage by preserving, expanding, and improving the quality of its parkland; shielding the community from the adverse effects of excessive development such as the proliferation of signs and traffic congestion; developing programs to address the transportation, health, housing and recreation needs of our City's growing senior population; and breaking the deadlock on the revitalization of both the North End School and the Roosevelt Center.

One Vote

On Tuesday, September 15, you will have the opportunity to vote for five City Council Candidates. If you will give me one of your votes, I promise to give you a Council member of whom you can be proud.

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from the polls next Tuesday between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m.

The election results will be cablecast on Channel B-10.

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Weidenfeld has served 16 years, the longest of all the incumbents, with eight years, nine months as mayor. White has served since 1973.

Incumbent Putens is from Greenbelt East. His ascent to Council in 1981 was the first time since 1971 that a candidate from outside the center of the city was elected. In that year Weidenfeld, then a resident of Springhill Lake, was elected to his first term on council.

White, Bram, Hensel, Isaacs, Weidenfeld and Chernikoff reside in the center core of the city. Running for a third term, Bram is the fifth woman to serve on the city council. Two women are again on the ballot—Bram and Hensel.

This is the last time the city

C-2 Bus Route Changes

The Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority will adjust service on several Maryland Metrobus routes effective Sunday, September 6. Passengers should call Metro information at 837-7000 or consult the service change flyers aboard the bus for details.

ROUTE C2 (BELTWAY PLAZA-TWINBROOK LINE)

The C2 Route scheduled departure times will be adjusted during the morning rush hour.

LECTURE ON FERTILITY PROBLEMS SCHEDULED

Washington Adventist Hospital is sponsoring a free lecture on "Infertility: Causes and Cures" on Monday, September 14, 7-8:30 p.m. The lecture will be Park. For information call 891-5716.

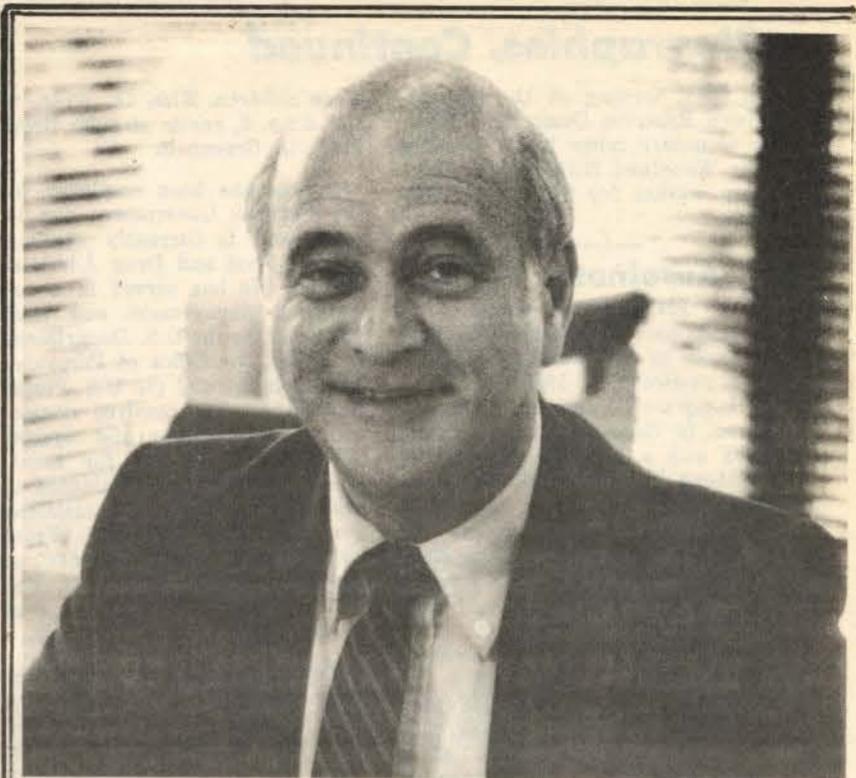
council election will be held in September. In 1989 it will be moved to the regular election day (the first Tuesday after the first Monday) in November.

Our Neighbors

Barbara Dunnivant of 58 Ridge Road, a third-year student at the University of Baltimore School of Law, has been selected as a member of the school's Law Review staff. The Law Review is a scholarly legal journal, and admission to the staff is based on grades and a writing competition. Congratulations!

Janet and Scott Shinn welcomed the arrival of Krystina Marie Shinn on July 17 at Holy Cross Hospital. Krystina weighed 5 lbs, 1/2 oz. and was 19" long. Janet's parents, Joe and Magdeline Fuchs live on Lakeside and Scott's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jon Shinn, reside in Adelphi.

At the Friday night's bridge game at the Youth Center, Claire Jacobs and Peg Wainscott came in first. Laura Walker and Pauline Foncannon came in second, and Lars Bronstein and Louise Kramer came in third. A good time was had by all.



**MAYOR
GIL
WEIDENFELD**

'We've had enough'
Greenbelt mayor slams road plans

PRINCE GEORGE'S JOURNAL — July 29, 1987
"Greenbelt mayor told county lawmakers that his community has had enough—enough development—and that the county's road building plans will only bring more of the same."

Council Compromise on Priorities Calls Out Enthusiastic Applause

GREENBELT NEWS REVIEW
July 2, 1987

"Mayor Gil Weidenfeld . . . came up with the compromise which left the citizens applauding as the meeting ended."

City Uses Strategic Approach to Plan for Future

GREENBELT NEWS REVIEW
May 14, 1987

"This effort got under way at the initiation of Mayor Gil Weidenfeld when he placed strategic planning and the concept of five-year budgets on a city council agenda . . ."

Kenilworth Avenue -Greenbelt Road: Worse Than Before?

GREENBELT NEWS REVIEW
August 13, 1987

"At the suggestion of Mayor Gil Weidenfeld, a public meeting has been tentatively scheduled for September 10 . . . to attempt to get some improvements before there are any serious traffic accidents there"***

***This meeting is scheduled for September 28.

WEIDENFELD'S LEADERSHIP IS NEEDED IN GREENBELT

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by authority: Bernina McGee

GHI Board Dickers With Representatives Of NAHC and Clark Financial Services

by Mavis Fletcher

Herbert Levy, Executive Director of the National Association of Housing Cooperatives, visited the board of directors of Greenbelt Homes, Inc. at the board's meeting on August 20. Levy was attempting to retain what he described as "a relationship which has existed almost from the beginning" of NAHC, which was founded in 1950, two years before GHI came into existence.

Earlier this year the GHI board had voted not to renew its membership in NAHC. At the time, the directors cited a number of reasons for their actions, most reflecting a perception that that NAHC existed primarily for and was run by the large cooperatives (mainly in New York) which are subsidized or were built by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development. These are therefore very different in their management and concerns from market equity co-ops such as GHI.

Levy said that he thought the estrangement came about because "a long relationship began to be taken for granted." He said that NAHC has "paid insufficient attention to GHI's needs and concerns." He outlined the services that NAHC provides for its members (including "a Washington presence for co-ops," representation on the international level, annual conferences, and publications dealing with matters of concern to co-ops).

He also emphasized that, in his view, NAHC was moving away from its preoccupation with HUD-related co-ops. He illustrated this point by noting that the conferences now have different "tracks" so that participants can choose workshops which relate to the type of co-op they represent.

Levy took his licks in the responses from GHI board members. GHI Vice-President Wayne Williams said he was tired of being told that NAHC did not like market equity co-ops such as GHI (where the member benefits from any gain in market price when he sells his unit). Secretary Andrea Haslingers spoke of the cliques which dominated the conference she had attended. President Margaret Hogensen cited the "infighting" which goes on in the organization. She charged that the NAHC board meetings are delayed and parochialized by these disagreements. Because of these internal divisions, she said, she had relinquished her seat on the NAHC board.

Hogensen and Williams, however, as in the earlier vote, expressed their belief that GHI, despite its differences with NAHC, should retain its membership. While continuing to deplore the infighting, Hogensen concluded: "We should stick with NAHC if we are going to be effective on the national level."

GHI Treasurer Ray McCawley who replaced Hogensen on the NAHC board) and Director Nancy Hutchins also pointed out that GHI needs to be represented in national-level organization. McCawley also argued that GHI should not expect only to derive benefits from such exchanges but should also expect to contribute expertise and experience.

At the end of a long discussion, the board passed a motion by Haslinger to reconsider the matter of GHI's membership in NAHC at its next meeting. The motion passed 7-1, with Director

Mac Wirick opposed.

Clark Recognition Agreement
Another lengthy discussion involved a recognition agreement with Clark Financial Services, a private mortgage banking firm which has requested approval as a lender for GHI units. Since GHI (as well as the individual borrower) is involved in the mortgages on GHI units, such firms have to have a 'recognition agreement' approved by the board of directors of GHI.

According to GHI Manager Ron Colton's memo to the board, "A recognition agreement is necessary because a member who takes a share loan is indebted both to the cooperative for the monthly charges and to the lender for the share loan. If the borrower fails to make one or both payments, a foreclosure action is necessary and a procedure must be devised to ensure that both the cooperative and the lender are repaid the sums due them. If the amount recovered in the foreclosure action is less than the combined sum of the debts, then either the lender or the cooperative loses money... Under the terms of all the recognition agreements adopted by the GHI board, in the event of a loss upon default by the borrower, GHI's co-op fees are at risk.

According to Colton, recognition agreements are at present in effect with the Share Loan Service Corporation, the Greenbelt and NASA credit unions, and Ronzetti Mortgage Company. Certain other firms which have had such agreements in the past, such as EPIC, Community Savings and Loan, and First Maryland, went out of business during the Maryland savings and loan debacle which started more than two years ago.

Points at Issue

The issue between GHI and Clark Financial Services concerned changes which GHI proposed to put in their recognition agreement to protect GHI against losses in the future. Shekar Narasimhan, Executive Vice-President of Clark Financial Services (and a past General Manager of GHI), objected to the inclusion of these provisions on the grounds that they are not present in the recognition agreements under which the other lenders in GHI are operating. All Clark Financial Services has asked, he said, was "a level playing field" with the same rules for all the lenders.

Of the four provisions GHI wanted to put in the recognition agreement to protect its own assets, Narasimhan objected to three. These would have imposed conditions on his firm which are not borne by the other lenders. However, he finally agreed to accept these conditions if the recognition agreements under which the other lenders operate are also changed and if the new form of the agreement is approved by the Federal National Mortgage Association (familiarily known as Fannie Mae).

Narasimhan agreed to work with GHI in attempting to expedite the process of getting Fannie Mae's approval. (Fannie Mae approval of the recognition agreements is essential since that organization ends up buying almost all co-op loans from the original lenders.)

The fourth change proposed by GHI — a mutual exchange of financial statements — presented no problems. The board already had Clark Financial's statements for the past two years at the meeting. Director Chuck Hess, a certified public accountant asked some searching questions based

on the firm's financial statement.

Hess particularly questioned the liability-to-equity ratio, stating that in 1985 (the first full year of the firm's operation) the ratio was 2 to 1, and that by 1986 liabilities had increased so that the ratio was 30 to 1. Clark Goldstein, President of Clark Financial Services, explained that the liabilities of his firm, like that of all mortgage banking firms, vary widely from one period to another, since mortgages are retained for a short period after they are made and then sold in the secondary market or to investors. During the intervening period, the firm utilizes a line of credit which shows up as a liability. Since a financial statement reflects the status of the firm on a specific day (December 31), the equity-to-liability ratio may swing widely from one year to another.

In response to questions, Goldstein noted that the line of credit was secured by the personal guarantee of the owners of the firm and that the bank "gets the notes as well as the personal guarantee."

Some Mortgages Already Set

Hogensen brought up a further problem, saying that she understood that Clark Financial Services had already negotiated tentative agreements with "10 to 15" purchasers of GHI units. She and other members of the board made it clear that they resented being put in the position of granting a recognition agreement or, as Haslinger expressed it, leaving some buyers and sellers who thought they had bought or sold units "out on the edge."

Goldstein defended the firm's action by saying that he had a recognition agreement with GHI and had no way of knowing that it had not been approved by the board. The recognition agreement which he referred to had been granted to the firm when it served as the origination agent for the Prince Georges County revenue bonds which were issued in 1984 and 1985. There followed a brief, inconclusive discussion of whether that agreement could be considered "valid."

At length the board voted to grant Clark Financial approval to make 25 loans on GHI units. After this number is reached, the agreement will be reevaluated. Wirick emphasized that the firm should not make informal agreements with any borrowers above that figure. He did not want the board to find itself again in the position of working a hardship on its members and prospective members if it didn't extend the agreement.

Trash Enclosures Revisited

According to Colton, GHI has received several letters asking that the rules (which now require trash cans to be placed in trash closets or separate enclosures) be revised. These members contend that today's heavy plastic trash cans are tough, sanitary and rodent-proof. Slides presented by the GHI staff illustrated that many members are defying the regulations while also providing creative, often natural screening for their trash cans.

The trash enclosures sold by GHI, on the other hand, had no defenders. On the testimony of members present (including some of the board members), they are flimsy and prone to rust. Williams even made a motion that GHI stop selling the present enclosures after the current supply is exhausted. The motion failed, with only Williams and Wirick

supporting it.

Since the hour was late, the board decided by consensus to have the staff bring the issue back to the board with proposed changes in the language of the regulations.

Tougher Membership Criteria?

Member Eunice Coxon appeared before the board to discuss the new membership applications which she felt should be put in the members' books of rules and regulations. She also pointed to the omission of a previous requirement that prospective members furnish personal character references.

Coxon said that, in her opinion, abolishing the requirement for personal references was "unwise and unrealistic." Hogensen replied that she thought the requirement had been removed at the request of HUD. Coxon said that she had spoken to an official of HUD, who had given an informal opinion that GHI could continue to require such references.

However, Hogensen's point was supported by Rayetta Henson, GHI Processing Coordinator, who deals with all membership applications. Henson also noted that one applicant had threatened to sue the corporation because of

the former requirement. Director Betty Deitch was unimpressed by this. "Anybody can threaten to sue for anything," she said.

Member and former chair of the Audit Committee Janet James agreed with Coxon. She said that merely asking for personal references tended to upgrade the standards for membership.

Williams said that he was in general agreement with these comments. He explained that the members had asked that the criteria be loosened in the matter of unrelated adults sharing a unit (a change which was made last year) but that now perhaps the pendulum had swung too far the other way on other criteria.

Other Actions

The board voted to grant permission to member Ben Goldfaden to construct a privacy screen at his residence in the 26 Court of Ridge Road. Approval, which had previously been denied, was based on a modified plan which reduced the length of the screen. The vote of the board was 6 to 2, with Hutchins and Deitch opposed.

The board approved by consensus a new landscaping plan for the 4 Court of Gardenway, where parking had been encroaching on green space.

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Volksmarch Draws 700 To Hike Greenbelt Trails

During the Labor Day week-end, over 700 people participated in the 10K Greenbelt Volksmarch. Officially, 555 walkers hiked the trail on Saturday and 139 brave souls sloged through the rain on Sunday. A week earlier, 16 people, mostly volksmarch workers, enjoyed a prewalk under sunny skies.

Some interesting people showed up at the Greenbelt event. Greenbelt's 1987 Outstanding Citizen, Sandra Barnes, clad in a raincoat and ready for some serious hiking, joined Mary Lou Williamson for the walk. Dressed in a camouflage uniform, a one-

star general in the U.S. Army, got his exercise. Ken Wilson walked the trail five times. The cutest participant was a loveable little baby perched in Dad's backpack carrier.

Many thanks go to the workers who helped mark the trail and manned the registration table and two check points.

Entries Sought for Official 50th Anniversary Cookie

The Greenbelt Homemakers are sponsoring a contest on October 10 to select the official 50th Anniversary Cookie. The contest is open to all Greenbelt residents. Cookies will be judged on flavor, texture and appearance.

The Greenbelt Consumer Cooperative, as co-sponsor, will contribute prize money. A prize will be awarded in each category, in addition to the grand prize. The winning recipe will be published in the Greenbelt News Review.

Only one entry per contestant will be accepted with a limit of 100 entries. The entrants will be notified where and when to bring their entry.

To enter the contest, fill out the form on this page and submit it with your recipe by September 25. Entry forms may be deposited in a box in the Co-op or mailed to Fay Anderson, 139 Northway.

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Tom White didn't go along in November of 1985 when the just elected Council voted (4-1) to waive the variance requirements for Maryland Trade Center III and the Sunrise high rise apartment development in Greenbelt East. I felt then, and events have confirmed, that this was the wrong signal to send County officials. Additionally, it gave up our most effective lever for securing transportation improvements and other concessions.

Tom White didn't go along with the new Council's amendments to our 50 year old charter which will change our traditional September election to the first Tuesday in November (in 1989). I believe this change will unnecessarily prolong the election process. There is also a risk that a November election date will affect the non-partisan character of our city election.

Tom White made repeated requests for early Council decisionmaking on the Bond Issue priorities and North End Center. Several of my motions for public hearings didn't even obtain a second. Greenbelt citizens are well aware of the agonizing late hour meeting of June 29, 1987 where Council finally came around to an outcome consistent with citizen wishes.

Tom White didn't go along when Council proceeded to act on a faulty bid proposal — only to reconsider its decision at a following meeting... Poor decisionmaking like that could result in enormous liability claims against Greenbelt.

My role as your elected representative is to be an informed and deliberate leader. I try to balance competing interests for city attention, services and resources — recognizing that sometimes we have to say no.

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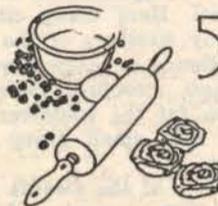
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Category (check one)	Men	Women	Children
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Bar Cookies	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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BARNES, from page one

Current readers recall many feature articles and historical pieces on Greenbelt which she has written for the paper recently, over and above her 50th anniversary tasks. They may not have been aware that for many years she also handled the task of makeup editor on a regular basis, designing the paper's layout. She has also served as editorial writer, assistant editor, and board member.

In addition, she has held leadership positions with the Greenbelt Homemaker's Club, the League of Women Voters, and the Eleanor and Franklin Roosevelt Democratic Club.

In making the award, Renahan commented on Greenbelt's characterization of leadership. "Those who have accomplished the most have generally set an example of modesty, and of working effectively with others. . . . No one seeks this award," he said; "nor has it ever been a motive for anyone's civic contributions." To emphasize the point, Renahan read a list of words from several letters of nomination sent to the award committee in support of Barnes: "quiet," "modest," and "selfless," but also "conscientious," "thorough," "organized," and "unflappable."

As award recipient, Barnes received a number of gifts, including a plaque from the festival committee; resolutions from the Greenbelt City Council, the Prince Georges County Council, and Maryland Governor William Shafer; a bouquet of flowers from Sherling Beltway Florist in Beltway Plaza, a savings bond from the C & P Telephone Company, a certificate for dinner for two at TGI Fridays, T-shirts from the Greenbelt Nursery

School and the 50th anniversary committee, and a 50th anniversary hat from the Lion's Club.

Her name has also been engraved on a bronze plaque honoring all of Greenbelt's Outstanding Citizens, which is hung in the council chamber of the Municipal Building.

Reception

Following the awards ceremony, at which all but one of Greenbelt's surviving Outstanding Citizens were also recognized, a reception was held for these guests in the gymnasium of Center School. Here many citizens and family members of the honorees gathered to renew acquaintances and reconfirm their appreciation for the volunteer services of this small group over the years.

Joe Timer of the awards committee, acting as master of ceremonies, reviewed the contributions of recipients of the previous 14 years of the Outstanding Citizens Award tradition. These were Al Cousin, Al and Elaine Skolnik, Henry Fisher, the Reverend Kenneth Buker, Leo Gerton, Jim Cassels, Ralph Noble, Clara Brandt, Bill Hoff, Charlie Schwan, Al Herling, Jose Morales, Mary Lou Williamson, and Dave Lange.

Gray Panthers Meet

Dr. Rodney Ellis, a specialist in Internal Medicine and Stress Related Disorders, will speak at a public Gray Panther meeting Saturday, September 12 at 1:30 p.m. at the Greenbelt Library; his topic is "Stress". Dr. Ellis, who formerly taught in California, is now in private practice and has been a clinical professor at George Washington University for 10 years. He worked at Group Health Association for 13 years and has published in several medical journals. All persons of all ages are invited to hear Dr. Ellis. There will be ample time for questions. Refreshments will be served. For additional information, telephone 474-6890.

Refreshments were provided by Jeff Chapman of the award committee and members of several women's organizations in Greenbelt.

Parade Marshal

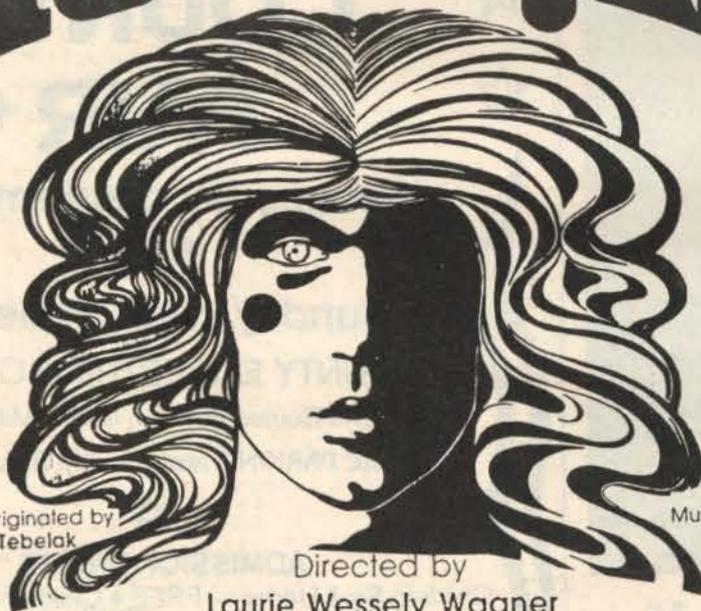
As this year's award winner, Sandra Barnes presided over the Labor Day parade as honorary parade marshal. Many former winners also appeared as participants in the parade during this fiftieth year of the city's history.

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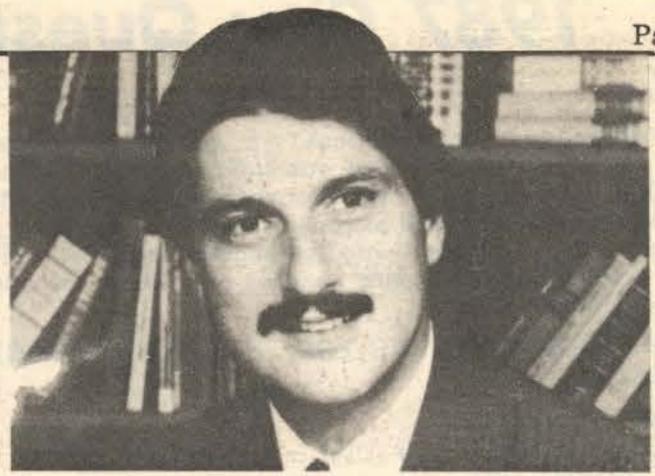
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Candidates Respond to Questions

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people to attend the meeting on the 28th.

Perfect Agreement

A question by Larry Goldberg, 14 Court of Hillside, elicited unanimous agreement from incumbents and challengers. He asked why the Roosevelt Center gets so much attention when large numbers of the population live in other parts of the city. Putens, the only candidate who lives outside old Greenbelt, summed it up when he said, "It is a fallacy" to think that people in other parts of the city don't care about the Center. He pointed out that the people who are moving into Greenbelt East's newest development, Greenbrook, have lived in Greenbelt for an average of 14 years. "Their concerns and their hearts are right here—this is our town," he said.

Weidenfeld described "the feeling you get when you drive into Greenbelt—trees, shrubs, green space." He said that this historic part of the city, however, doesn't have the proper image and must be made better. He said it must preserve the small town atmosphere where "you meet your neighbors."

Isaacs also expressed the view that the other sections of the city are interested in the preservation of the center. "This is where it all began," he said.

Chernikoff emphasized that the city has a "leadership role to play in trying to revitalize the Center" since it is the historic core of the city and the city has "an enormous responsibility" for it.

Bram insisted that the Center has to be preserved for its significance in Greenbelt's history—"for the way we were." She suggested that the city could buy the buildings through the condemnation process and then lease them out.

Calling it "a commercial center in a park," White called for "a more intense focus" on the center by the city council. He maintained that the fact that the city owns the Mall itself and the parking surrounding it makes the responsibility of the city for the Center "unique."

Co-ops in the Center

Later in the evening, Lily Goldberg, also of the 14 Court of Hillside, asked two questions in one (over the objections of moderator Barry Schlesinger): (1) What about co-ops in the Center and (2) What can the citizens do about the traffic at the interchange? The responses to the second question elicited little that had not already been said in response to Coxon's question.

On the subject of co-ops, all candidates who spoke to the issue spoke favorably to the idea of a co-op to take over some of the buildings in the Center. Weidenfeld said that he would support any way "to accomplish what we want to accomplish in the Center" but didn't want to pin himself down to any one method. White specifically said he was against the idea of condemnation because he "doesn't think the city has that kind of role to play" in the Center.

Five-Year Budget

Anthony Pisano, a resident of Lakewood, asked why the five-year city budget, available for the first time, didn't show how much money would be available for construction of buildings for the

next five years. Weidenfeld, who was the only candidate to respond to the question, said that the capital construction budget was separate from the city's operating budget and that only the latter had been put on a five-year basis. Major construction (such as North End School renovation) was funded outside the regular budget (by the bond issue or special tax levy).

Crime Problems

Mat Amberg of the 6 Court of Hillside asked whether the candidates felt the police force is sufficiently large in view of the increased vandalism, violence and thefts. He noted that some of the crimes seem to be rooted in racism and raised some question about whether the police officers are properly trained to deal with this aspect of the problems. He mentioned problems "with one or two of the officers," asked what the candidates would do about these problems and whether there are "wider societal problems which need to be addressed."

Isaacs, noting that as a matter of fact violent crime has not increased dramatically in Greenbelt but that arrests for drug violations have increased, that he has proposed a three-prong approach to the problem: massive education efforts, intervention procedures by expanding Greenbelt CARES, and an interjurisdictional agreement for search and seizure to attack "supply houses" in the area. He called the Greenbelt police force "excellent."

Bram said more police do not necessarily reduce crime; however, she stressed that, in her view, there may be too many new people on the force who do not understand Greenbelt. "The real training in Greenbelt," she said, takes place when the more experienced officers take the new ones (for field training)."

Putens suggested that the people should take a look at who is being arrested; many come from outside the city. He said we need more police and more training, as well as drug counseling and a Selective Enforcement Unit. On the subject of problems in the department, he said there are bound to be problems in any large organization and suggested that more training would help.

Chernikoff pointed out that the drug problem is coming out in the open, possibly because of the Len Bias case. He said that he thought that police staffing "needs to be looked at on a measured basis" to make sure Greenbelt gets its money's worth. "We don't need the most expensive police department but we need the best," he said. He also said that he has been impressed with the leadership provided by Police Chief James R. Craze.

White said he had respect for and pride in the Greenbelt police department. He gave the police chief good marks and asserted that "morale has never been higher." He noted that the council gave the department, in the budget just passed, almost everything the department asked for, and said that the emphasis on crime which comes to the fore during every election campaign is "election hype and it troubles me."

Hensel emphasized citizen involvement: "Be a nosy neighbor," she said. She also pointed to the benefits of the crime watch program and suggested that the Greenbelt Homes, Inc. areas of the city should institute one. "There should be a court

captain in each court," she said. She also advocated a crime watch in the Center.

Weidenfeld called the Greenbelt police department "the best municipal police department in the state" and insisted that "there is not another place in the county which is patrolled as well as Greenbelt." He recalled that he had taken the initiative in getting the Crime Prevention Committee formed and getting the citizens involved. He said that Greenbelt is doing new things to help combat crime but he too said that "you can't reduce crime unless you get the community involved."

Change in City Elections

Alice Robinson of the 2 Court of Laurel Hill asked whether the candidates would support changes in Greenbelt election procedures to permit direct election of the mayor and election of the council members from election districts. None of the candidates supported direct election of the mayor. (The mayor is now chosen by the newly elected council and traditionally the council member with the largest number of votes has been chosen.)

On the second part of the question, White and Chernikoff said they would support an advisory referendum on the question of election by districts. Isaacs and Hensel indicated that they did not think that the matter was a priority issue with the voters. Bram, Weidenfeld and Putens opposed election by districts on the grounds that it would promote turf battles and parochialism. Bram said she had known cases in small districts (as they would be in Greenbelt) where only one person ran for a seat and "could have gotten elected by voting for himself."

State and County Relations

Ruth Kastner, 3 Court of Crescent, noted what she called a "lack of responsiveness" to Greenbelt's needs on the part of county and state leaders and asked what the city can do about it.

Weidenfeld listed a number of cases which he called "our successes." These included acquisition of Schrom Hills Park and the North End School, block grant funds, and the promise of the 72-acre former school board property (if the city is willing to pay the indebtedness). He acknowledged, however, that "sometimes our concerns are in conflict with what the county sees as its needs."

White also assessed the relationship as "uneven" and said it is something which must always be worked on. He said "What has hurt the most in the last several years is the simple question of not keeping us informed" of occurrences which concern the city. "The problem is one of arrogance and just plain ignoring smaller units of government," he said. He indicated that he was speaking "mainly" of the county government.

Putens agreed with the assessment as "uneven" but pointed out that the county councilman (Richard Castaldi) has been sensitive to the needs of Greenbelt and mentioned the latter's attempt to pass a county law which would have put a moratorium on development while a master plan was under consideration. (The attempt failed for lack of support by other county council members.)

Hensel voiced concern that the citizens are not involved as much as they should be. "When the city council gets wind of something

it should alert the citizens" for help and support, she said.

Bram focused on the city/county police relationship and noted that Greenbelt is independent of the county in many ways. Nevertheless, she said she felt that there should be more cooperation among all the police forces in the area.

Isaacs, however, maintained that "it is unfair to say that we don't have a good relationship" especially with the delegates from this area. He mentioned the part he played in Delegate Charles Ryan's introduction of a bill setting up grants for adult day care as an example of state officials listening to the city's needs.

Chernikoff said that the city must "clearly enunciate" its concerns, do its homework and speak with one voice. He advised a closer working relationship with the legislative representatives and better efforts in keeping them informed of the city's concerns.

"Bullish on Development"

Quoting County Executive Paris Glendening as saying that he is "bullish on development," Steven Curtis, also a former CFG president, asked to what extent the candidates agreed with this philosophy.

Development found no supporters. Chernikoff charged that Glendening is "trying to set up the Kenilworth extension to give us the traffic from Konterra and we don't want it."

Putens recalled that the entire city council supported Castaldi's bill to put a moratorium on development in areas where a master plan is under consideration. He suggested that "we may need some changes at the other higher levels—at the county executive office." "We've had enough here," he said.

Isaacs added that Castaldi's bill failed because the business community which supports Glendening killed the legislation.

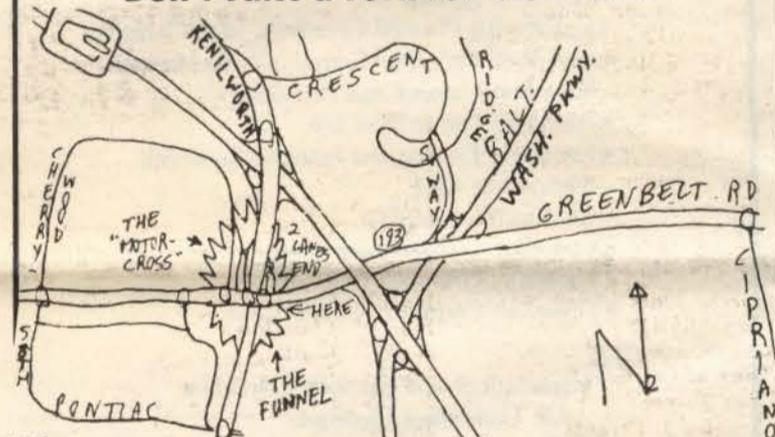
Bram said that development has gone beyond the "healthy" point "a long time ago." "It is time for it to stop—it has gone beyond what we need or want," she said.

White pointed out that he was the only member of council to vote against a variance (which allowed one project in Greenbelt East to proceed). He also maintained that "the county and the county executive are not nearly discriminating enough in development."

Weidenfeld reminded the listeners that he had made his position clear when he testified against the Kenilworth Avenue extension. "We've had enough—we have to keep saying it," he said.

On the subject of the relationship of the county to the developers, however, Hensel had the last word. "If they hold out a buck, the county says 'Sure! Do it!'" she said.

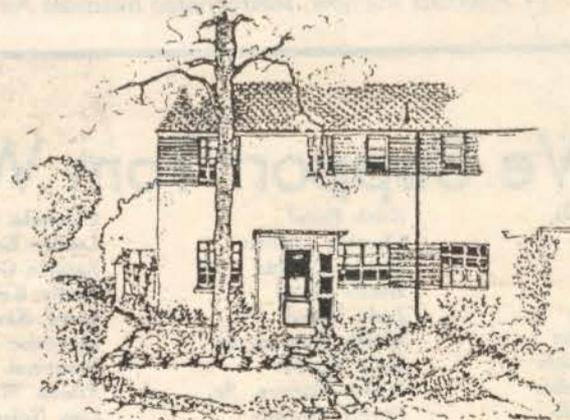
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Photographs on Historic Greenbelt Exhibited at UM

The 50th Anniversary Photographic Exhibit on historic Greenbelt can be viewed all this month at the Gallery in the School of Architecture at the University of Maryland. The exhibit contains watercolor drawings painted by artists employed by the Special Skills Division of the Resettlement Division. The Resettlement Administration directed the construction of the Greenbelt towns built during the Franklin Delano Roosevelt administration. (Greenbelt's sister cities are Greendale, Wisconsin and Greenhills, Ohio.) Forty photographs primarily taken from the Library of Congress collection round out the exhibit. In addition, an original dining room table and chairs are featured.

Anyone wishing to view the exhibit may do so Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday, 1-4:30 p.m. and Sunday, 1-5 p.m. The exhibit was shown in Greenbelt during May at "The Greenbelt Conference on New Towns" and at the Greenbelt Library. It will return to Greenbelt for the October Homecoming Weekend.

Autumn Aerobics to Begin

Classes for LIVELY AEROBICS' Fall program start the week of September 14 and meet twice a week for eight weeks. Each class lasts one hour.

Marlyn Scott's regular class will continue at Greenbelt Middle School. It meets at 6:30 p.m. on Tuesday and Thursday evenings in the cafeteria. Comfortable exercise clothing and good aerobic shoes are recommended. For more information or to register call 776-8410.

Program Held on Military Academy Appointments

High school juniors and seniors who are residents of the Fifth Congressional District are urged to attend an upcoming program sponsored by Congressman Steny Hoyer to introduce them to the military service academy appointment process. This is Hoyer's seventh annual program designed to introduce the largest number of students possible to the possibilities of a service academy education.

The program will be held on Saturday, September 19 from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. at Eleanor Roosevelt High School.

The deadline for application to Congressman Hoyer's office is November 1.

For more information, contact Congressman Hoyer's Academy Staff Coordinator - Lisa Constantino, on 225-4131.

Parents Meet Teachers

Once again, it's time for the annual "Back to School Night" at Eleanor Roosevelt High School. It will be held at the school on Tuesday, September 15 at 7:30 p.m. Parents will convene in the auditorium for an introductory meeting and to receive instructions with regard to meeting teachers in their individual classrooms. Parents might find it helpful to bring with them a copy of their students class schedule with teachers' names and classroom numbers. The PTSA membership drive will be held in the school's entrance lobby. Plan to arrive early and take a few moments to stop at the sign-up tables as you enter.

The September issue of The Candle, the PTSA newsletter, contains a PTSA membership form. Parents are asked to fill in the form in advance, so that registration will proceed quickly.

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July 27, 1987

If any of the readers are employees of Prince George's County's hospital system, currently under the management of Dimensions Health Corp. (formerly Community Hospital and Health Care Systems, Inc.), and/or were employed by the former County Hospital Commission, and feel that you are and/or were covered by an Employee Pension Fund, please read on.

- : It has been alleged that certain former employees of the Hospital Commission have experienced great difficulty in obtaining fund balance information for their accounts.
- : Based on the 3rd Amendment recently endorsed by the County Council, there appears to be a move afoot to amend certain conditions to the existing plan.
- : Since February 1985 repeated attempts have been made to the County Executive, County Council and to the former administration & the current management of the hospital system to produce certified verification of the Pension Fund balances for the following periods: July 1, 1983 (the date the system was turned over to CHHCS); October 10, 1985 (period when Mr. Winfield Kelly took control as Chairman); January 30, 1986 (time frame 2nd Amendment to lease was executed); January 30, 1987 (FY interim period - June 1987-FY ending would be acceptable), and current. To date, the information has not been forthcoming, although, in March of this year, Mr. Kelly publicly agreed to produce same. In fact, certified verification of the other discretionary funds for the same time periods should be made available.

This committee is preparing litigation in support of a Class Action suit against certain parties having had a role in the erosion of the system. While the current management and county government officials are not targets of the pending action, whatever questionable practices are uncovered will be pursued regardless at whose door step it may lead to.

Should any reader like to provide information and/or offer support they are urged to contact the undersigned at the address provided. All communication will be held in the strictest of confidence.

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Recreation Review

Labor Day Contest Winners

The Greenbelt Recreation Department wishes to thank all who participated in the many contests held throughout the weekend and to congratulate all winners listed below:

Golf - Closest to the Pin: Brian Baker, Youth; Gary Hibbs, Adult Male; Cathy Carona, Adult Female; Art Horsman, Senior. Skateboarding - David Dawson, Junior; Ryan Johnson, Intermediate; John Roberson, Senior.

Soccer Shoot-Out - Jamie Pereria, 6 & under; Michael Mehrlinger, 7-9 years; Miguel Pereria, 10-13 years; Manuel Pereria, 14 years & over.

Big Wheels - Tiny Tots: Andrew Baldauf, Best Decorated; Tommy Schutz, Downhill; Brandon Hool, Slalom; Pee Wees: Susan Birdsong, Best Decorated; Rocky Frennd-Gomez, Slalom; Paul Schutz & Michael Bond, Downhill; Midget: Kevin Hool, Slalom.

Homerun Hitting - Tim Foster, Men; Lynn Steckbeck, Women. Ping Pong - Andy McKenney, Juniors; Yuen Lee, Adult.

Slam Dunk - Charles Banks; Horseshoes - Walter Maxwell, "A" Singles;

Men's Softball Tournament - Remington's

Recreation Center Fall Hours
The Greenbelt Youth Center and Springhill Lake Recreation Center Fall Hours are: Mon.-Fri.: 3-10 p.m.; Sat.: 9-10 p.m., and Sun. 1-10 p.m.

Volleyball

Co-recreational volleyball is played at the Greenbelt Center Elementary School Gymnasium from 8:30-10:30 on Monday evenings. Everyone 16 years of age and over is welcome.

Women's Fall Football Action
Tough and exciting women's football can be seen every Sunday morning on Braden Field. Action begins at 9 a.m. on Sun., Sept. 13. Spectators are invited.

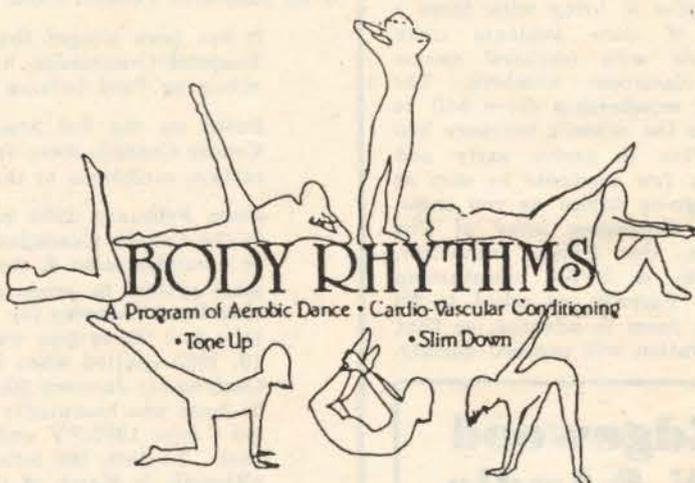
CITY NOTES

Members of the general and special details crews worked all week setting up booths and getting everything in order for the Labor Day festivities.

The parks crew worked on routine maintenance on the athletic fields and general clean up for the Labor Day events.

The horticulturist continued watering plants and flowers throughout the City.

Refuse collection is on schedule.



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Children's Acting Classes Offered

One of the very few places in the metropolitan area to offer acting classes for children, the Greenbelt Arts Center begins its Creative Dramatics sessions on Wednesday, September 16, at the Utopia Theater, according to Barbara Simon, coordinator.

Each class meets once a week for six weeks, and the Wednesday groups are for ages 5-7 and ages 8-10, meeting at a different hour after school. The acting classes for ages 11-14 begin on Saturday, Sept. 10. There is a small fee.

Melissa Berman, drama teacher, is also a performer who has appeared at Blues Alley, the Kennedy Center, the National Theater, Wolf Trap and the Smithsonian Institution. She holds a B.F.A. from Virginia Commonwealth University and is well known for her unique and dynamic ability to incorporate the performing and visual arts in her classes, according to Simon. The Creative Dramatics classes for the first two age groups helps children "to explore their imaginations . . . through music, movement and story drama." The acting classes for the oldest children "explore scene development and characterization." For more information, call 474-2192.

MATERNITY OPEN HOUSE SCHEDULED BY HOSPITAL

A free Maternity Open House is scheduled at Washington Adventist Hospital on Wednesday, September 16 at 7 p.m. for those planning to deliver at Washington Adventist Hospital or who are hospital shopping. After a question and answer period regarding hospital policies and procedures, a tour will be given of the Labor, Delivery and Birthing rooms, Nursery and Post Partum. Call 891-5305 for further information.

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The more often teeth are exposed to sugar, the higher the chance for decay. If sweets are consumed, it would be better as part of a meal or at least limited to as few separate times as possible. In either case, try to brush or rinse within 20 minutes after eating any sugar-containing foods.

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Retired Federal Employees

The first fall meeting of the local chapter of NARFE (National Association of Retired Federal Employees) will take place in the conference room of the Greenbelt library on Thursday, September 17 at noon.

Bring a lunch — refreshments will be served. There will be an election of officers for the ensuing year, who will be installed at the meeting.

A program covering hobbies presented by Joe Sullivan and handicrafts presented by president Bill Krashoc will follow.

Regular monthly meetings for the year will take place on the third Wednesday of each month. Federal employees with five

Series Helps Mentally Ill

"Everything You Wanted To Know About Public Benefits" is a seminar series for families and their mentally ill relatives sponsored by the Prince George's County Health Department.

The first free session in the four part series, "Medical Assistance and Pharmacy Assistance," will be offered Wednesday, Sept. 16, from 7 to 8:30 p.m. at Prince Georges Community College, Largo.

The speaker will be Peter Martin, Chief Attorney of The Legal Aid Bureau of Baltimore.

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Re-Elect Mayor Gil Weidenfeld

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WHAT ARE THE ISSUES IN THE NEXT TWO YEARS?

- **Construction.** Greenbelt soon will build a new indoor swimming pool, a new police station, a new addition to the Public Works Building
- **Zoning and Development.** Three major parcels of land—over 150 acres—will be up for rezoning and development.
- **Parkland.** 72 acres of land—the former school site property on Northway extended—should be deeded to the city.
- **Transportation.** The extension of Kenilworth Avenue north to the planned Intercounty Connector, the poorly designed Kenilworth Avenue/Greenbelt Road interchange, and the extension of Hanover Parkway—all serious concerns.

WHAT MAKES GIL WEIDENFELD A LEADER ON THESE ISSUES?

- **Background.** Gil is the only engineer and the only lawyer on the City Council. Gil is an executive-level manager for the Federal Government.
- **Leadership.** Gil is past president of the Prince George's County Municipal Association. He served three terms as vice president of the Maryland Municipal League. He is serving his second term as chairman of the Council of Governments for the entire Washington Metropolitan area. He has worked for 16 years with elected officials at the local, county, state and federal levels. As Greenbelt's mayor for 5 terms, Gil is known throughout the metropolitan area. He has clout.
- **Integrity and Hard Work.** Gil listens to the views of all citizens and welcomes their ideas and participation in civic affairs. He works hard to build consensus among the council members. He knows how to make tough decisions. He speaks frequently on behalf of the city at public hearings, forums, advisory board meetings—often taking time off from his paid job to be the city's spokesperson.

We Need to Elect Gil Weidenfeld With A Strong Mandate From the People

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Joan Dunn

Margaret Hogensen

Bernina McGee

Sandra Barnes

Michael Burchick

Bill Ayers

POLICE BLOTTER

Based on Information Released by the Greenbelt Police Department

In an armed robbery which occurred about 1 p.m., August 31 at the Shoe Town store in Greenway Center, a man with a large caliber handgun ordered the store manager to "put the money in a bag." After complying, the manager was ordered to walk to the rear of the store and stay there. The robber was white, age 23-25, 5'8", 168 lbs, brown hair, wearing a blue and white baseball cap, turquoise T-shirt, faded blue jeans and white Reebok tennis shoes.

During a fight about 8 p.m., September 3 in a parking lot in the 9100 block of Edmonston Road between a male juvenile and a 35-year-old man, both Greenbelt residents, the man pulled a knife and stabbed the juvenile. The victim ran home and was then transported to Doctor's Hospital where he was treated and released the same evening. The suspect was arrested and is being held on \$1500 bond.

A 38-year-old man who told Officer Matthew Carr that he wanted to kill himself was committed by the officer to Prince Georges General Hospital for an emergency psychiatric evaluation. The officer had gone to a residence on Crescent Road about 10 p.m., August 30 in response to a strange call where he found the man in an apparent intoxicated condition threatening to kill himself.

About 1 p.m., September 1 at the Best Products Store in Beltway Plaza a man walked behind the camera counter and, when questioned by a clerk, left with his pockets bulging. The clerk then found that two small portable TV's were missing. The suspect was black, age 25, 6'0", with bushy shoulder-length black hair, wearing a white tank top, blue jeans and gold-rimmed sunglasses.

A word processor was stolen during the night of August 30-31 from a locked office in an office building on Ivy Lane. A key may have been used to enter as there was no sign of forced entry.

An apartment in the 100 block of Westway was entered during the early evening of August 28, probably through an open window as there was no sign of forced entry. Stereo equipment, speakers and a Zenith color TV were stolen.

A 1980 Chevy Chevette, burgundy in color with a black glass T-top, was stolen during the night of September 1-2 from the 6900 block of Hanover Parkway.

A 12-foot Jon boat with the number "9" on the front, side and back was stolen August 27 from the Gunner's Mate boat stand at Greenbelt Lake in Buddy Attick Park.

A man who stole four cartons of cigarettes about 7 p.m., August 30 from the Super Fresh Supermarket at Beltway Plaza was seen to leave in an old, faded red Colt with Maryland tags RNV-873. There was a beagle type dog in the car. A citizen who witnessed the theft reported it to the store manager.

A wallet was stolen from a truck parked on Crescent Road

about 12:45 a.m., August 31. A 41-year-old man of no fixed address was arrested for the theft after the owner saw him enter the truck.

Four young men were seen about 8 p.m. August 27 stealing five lawn chairs in the 8200 block of Canning Terrace. Fleeing on foot with the chairs they were described as three black and one white youth, ages 18 to 20, all wearing dark blue or black sweatsuits and tennis shoes.

A Konica 35 mm camera was stolen between August 25 and 28 from an office suite in an office building at Greenway Center.

Money was stolen about 9:30 p.m., August 31 from a purse which had been left on the rear

seat of a car parked in the Greenway Center parking lot.

A Cobra radar detector was stolen over the weekend of August 29 and 30 from a car parked in the 9100 block of Edmonston Road.

A carpet was stolen during the past two months from a locked storage room in an apartment building in the 9300 block of Edmonston Road.

The storage room door in an office building in the 6400 block of Golden Triangle Drive was pried open during the weekend of August 29-30. Nothing was stolen.

A storage bin in an apartment building in the 400 block of Ridge Road was broken into during the weekend of August 29-30. A card table and clothing were stolen.

A Yamaha dirt bike was stolen from the 5300 block of Cherrywood Terrace. About 5 p.m., Au-

gust 29 the owner saw two black juveniles riding the bike, then found it in a wooded area off Cherrywood Lane.

A Maryland registration tag 463850 was stolen August 30 from a motorcycle parked in the first block of Laurel Hill Road, and another Maryland registration tag 196980 was stolen Sep-

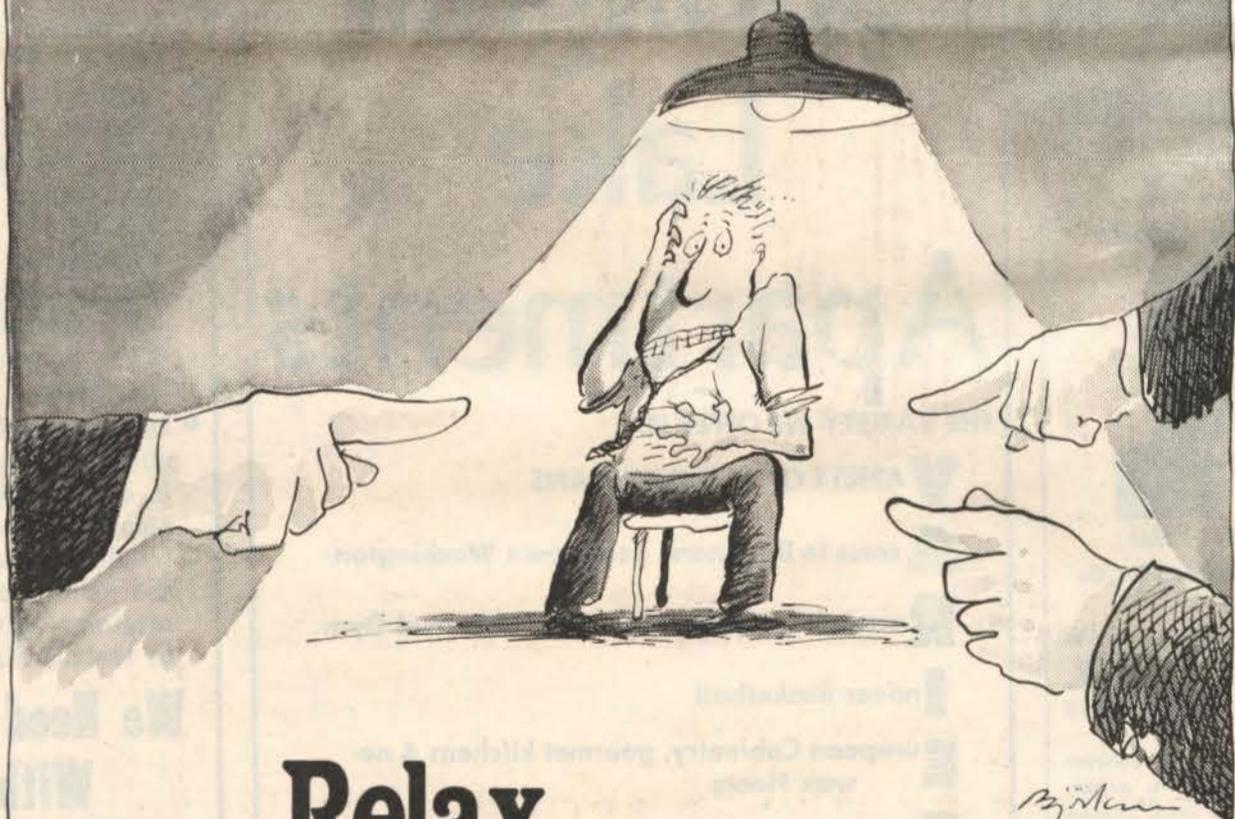
tember 1 from a motorcycle parked in the 9100 block of Springhill Lane.

Thefts from and vandalism to autos were reported in the 5800 block of Cherrywood Lane, the 9200 block of Springhill Lane, the 7500 block of Mandan Road and the Greenway Center parking lot.

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Golden Triangle Cleared Of Candidates' Signs

The Golden Triangle, traditionally a favorite spot for election signs, now has been emptied of all such signs. In recent weeks, the issue erupted as to whether individual candidates had permission for planting their signs on the Triangle's private property.

Because their signs had been taken down, candidate Joseph Isaacs (an incumbent city councilmember), and a representative of candidate Irene Hensel had heated exchanges with Joan Gallagher of Rubloff, Inc., the company that manages much of the Triangle, including the part where the signs were placed. Most of the property on the Triangle, including the land considered the choice location for signs, because it is most visible from the Kenilworth Avenue-Greenbelt Road interchange, is owned by the Prudential Insurance Companies of America.

Gallagher said that anyone wishing to place a sign on Prudential property must obtain permission from Rubloff. Gallagher said that incumbent Mayor pro tem Thomas X. White was the only candidate who had asked for and received permission to put up his sign.

Hensel's representative told the *News Review* that Hensel had received permission from the office of Mike Paukstis of Prudential's realty division. Paukstis could not be reached for comment.

Isaacs said he received permission to post his sign from Oxford Development Corporation, which is located in a building on a three-acre part of the Triangle owned by Oxford. However, his sign was actually put on Prudential property.

Because of the unpleasantness surrounding the issue of signs, Gallagher requested that White take down his sign, even though he did have the necessary permission to place a sign on Prudential property.

Under Maryland law it is unlawful to put a political sign on private property without permission of the owner, or to place a sign on state, county or city property.

Did You Know?

That in 1941 Aaron Chinitz produced news reels and a documentary history of Greenbelt which were shown in the Greenbelt theater?

Bio Aerobics Classes Start

Registration is now under way for BIO AEROBICS dance fitness classes, sponsored by the City of Greenbelt, Department of Recreation and the Greenbelt Co-op. The classes will begin the week of September 14. BIO AEROBICS is a complete fitness program designed to give an excellent cardiovascular workout as well as tone and strengthen muscle groups. BIO AEROBICS is also incorporating plyometrics for fast body contouring and shaping. The class is 8 weeks, 16 sessions.

Classes are held at the following locations: Greenbelt Elementary School, Tues./Thurs. at 7 p.m., Greenbelt Middle School, Monday/Wednesday, 5:45 p.m. and 7 p.m.; Eleanor Roosevelt High School, Tuesday/Thursday, 6 p.m. and 7 p.m.

For more information or to register, please call 249-1015.

HIGH SCHOOL REUNIONS

Upcoming High School reunions in the area are: Springbrook '67, Sat., Sept. 19, contact Marcia Boyd Rickman 840-9109 or Linda Sier Brigrance, (301) 795-2740; Laurel '67, Sat., Sept. 19, contact Liz Heacock Caulkins, (301) 498-7541; St. John's '57, Sat., Sept. 19, contact John Reddan, 475-4201 evenings; dison '67, Sat., Sept. 26, contact Jim Sarrano 281-7864; Gwynn Park '77, Sat., Sept. 26, contact Debbie Cooley, (301) 782-4107; Western '52 and '53, Sat., Sept. 26, contact Lillian Menne, 933-4521.

Greenbelt Grab Bag

by Punchin' Judy

September always seems to be a nostalgic month, especially in Greenbelt, especially during the Labor Day Festival.

The year 1953, when we moved to Greenbelt, was the last in which there was no Festival. In many ways the summer had been very much like this one. The cicadas had made their 17-year appearance, there was a long heat wave, and an almost complete lack of rain.

Our moving day was the first Saturday in September. My husband left early for work, and I was in charge of the migration from Washington to Greenbelt. The movers arrived with the largest van I had ever seen, an 18-wheeler, which seemed rather ambitious for our two rooms of furniture. The truck's arrival was the signal for the heavens to open, beginning a deluge which rivaled Noah's. I realized that rain was badly needed, but surely the weatherman could have waited just one more day.

After the truck was loaded, I hopped into my 1941 Nash, after having agreed to meet the movers at the new house. Through sheets of rain I splashed, leaving the city behind, paddling down University Lane, and up Greenbelt Road. There was almost no visibility, and I was afraid that the movers, who were being paid by the hour, would have to wait for me.

However, there was no moving van to be seen when I arrived at the house. I decided on a mad dash from the car, because I couldn't wait to see how the painter, who was to have finished the day before, had done his work. Drenched, I arrived at the door, unlocked it, and as faced by a vista of ladders, paint

cans, and drop cloths, not to mention unpainted walls.

There was only one thing to do: sit down and cry. But where was there to sit? I finally decided to perch on an unopened paint can, no mean feat when one is eight months pregnant. There was no towel to dry my streaming hair, the phone was not yet connected, but luckily the electricity was working, as I waited for my furniture to arrive.

I waited, and waited. Then I waited some more. One hour passed. Two hours. What could have happened to the movers? I had visions of accidents, I had visions of major disaster. Sitting for hours on a paint can was disaster enough. Three hours passed and I thought of going outside, but the weather looked too sinister. Four hours passed and five, and I gave up hope, at which precise moment the movers arrived.

Their story was simple. They had got to the Peace Cross area and found a boiling flood. The sensible thing to do, they decided, was to treat themselves to an extended lunch, and then find a detour. That must have been some lunch!

Well, at least my furniture hadn't been hi-jacked. But where were they to unload it, in the welter of painter's equipment? I don't remember what finally happened, but obviously the furniture was unloaded, because I still have it.

When my husband finally arrived, he looked around and said, "Well, that wasn't so bad, was it?" He was lucky I was so tired, or he would have been transformed by a conveniently open bucket of green paint.

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David Gray, 8, of 1 Court Research Road, reached into the glass jar and pulled out two names. The scene was in the Greenbelt Library Tuesday, where David had just drawn the winners of the Friends of the Greenbelt Library T-shirts offered as prizes at that organization's booth during the Labor Day Festival.

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