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City Presents Case On Golden Triangle

On Thursday, Sept. 21, attorney Joseph DePaul, appearing before the Court of Appeals in Annapolis, presented the city of Greenbelt's case opposing the granting of C-2 (commercial) zoning for the Golden Triangle. A decision will be forthcoming later.

Approval of the C-2 zoning would permit construction of a regional shopping center on the 57-acre tract which is located on the north side of Greenbelt Road between the Capital Beltway and Kenilworth Ave.

The city is appealing the Circuit Court's decision of last Sept. upholding the C-2 zoning by the county commissioners, sitting as the District Council. Joining in the appeal are Greenbelt Homes, Inc. and First National Realty, developer of the Beltway Plaza.

The appeal was based on two main arguments: (1) that there

had been no substantial change in the neighboring community since the owner's petition for C-2 had been denied earlier by the District Council; and (2) that the District Council granted the change in zoning on the basis of information which was not part of the court record.

Three possible courses of action are available to the Appeals Court when they render their decision sometimes within a month: (1) to approve the contested action of the District Council, (2) to disapprove that action and nullify the C-2 zoning, or (3) to remand the petition back to the District Council for rehearing.

Answering the city's arguments was James Lombardi for the county. The owner of the Golden Triangle, Milton E. Selig, was represented by the firm of Welsh and Lancaster.

College Park Revises Its Annexation Plan

The College Park city council adopted on Tuesday, September 26, an annexation resolution which met some of Greenbelt's objections. The proposal, which was adopted by a 7 to 1 vote, would increase College Park's present size by about 3 1/2 square miles, rather than the 4.84 square miles contained in the original proposal.

The land annexed would run contiguous to Greenbelt's boundaries for a short distance on the western end of the city as far as Indian Creek. Thereafter the College Park city line would parallel Indian Creek to Edmonston road, then run eastward to the Baltimore-Washington Parkway.

This new city line would run about a mile north of Greenbelt's present northern boundaries. Thus, the annexation involves only a small part of the Research Center adjacent to the city's boundaries.

Greenbelt officials strongly opposed the original annexation proposal in a public hearing on August 22. Mayor Smith told the College Park council that Greenbelt objected to any annexation of land east of the railroad tracks and north of Greenbelt's city limits, because it felt that this land was more closely oriented toward Greenbelt than any other municipality.

Greenbelt city officials withheld comment on the College Park action, pending further study of the detailed resolution.

Greenbelter "Mothers" Baby Patas Monkey

Last week's Washington Post ran a picture of Mrs. Janet Davis of Springhill Lake Apartments holding a tiny little monkey in her hands. Mrs. Davis is employed as a medical technologist at the National Zoo in Washington, and one of her more unusual duties includes taking care of Little Bee, a month-old Patas monkey. Little Bee was neglected by her own mother soon after birth, so Mrs. Davis stepped in as substitute mother and has cared for her ever since.

Taking care of a tiny monkey 24 hours a day has posed no special problems; Mrs. Davis looks after Little Bee in the Zoo's nursery during the day, and then takes her home to Springhill Lake at night. Little Bee started out on regular baby formula, progressed to pabulum and is now eating baby food and some fresh fruit. An interesting part of the development of monkeys Mrs. Davis said, is that when they first start to feed themselves they eat directly out of a dish by nuzzling the food with their mouths, like a dog or a cat; later, monkeys learn to use their hands to pick up food and transfer it to their mouths.

Pretty soon now, Little Bee will be able to feed herself and will no longer sleep in Greenbelt each night. Meanwhile, thanks to the tender loving care of Mrs. Davis, she is growing up healthy and strong, and having as much fun as a monkey in a barrel.

AGENDA

REGULAR MEETING OF CITY COUNCIL
Monday, October 2, 1967
at 8 p.m.

I. ORGANIZATION

- 1 Call to Order
- 2 Roll Call
- 3 Lord's Prayer
Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag
- 4 Minutes of Regular Meeting 9/11/67 and Special Charter Meeting 9/25/67
- 5 Additions to the Agenda by Councilmen and Manager

II. COMMUNICATION

- 6 Opening of Bid - Small Dump Truck with Snow Plow
- 7 Petitions and Requests
- 8 Administrative Reports
- 9 Committee Reports

III. OLD BUSINESS

- 10 Advisory Planning Board Report No. 73 - Amendments to By-laws
- 11 Appointments to Boards

IV. NEW BUSINESS

- 12 Resolution Supporting Incorporation of Palmer Park

Beltsville Open House

A one-day Open House that is part science exposition, part garden show, and part old-fashioned county fair will be held at the Agricultural Research Center in Beltsville, on Saturday, Sept. 30 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Through demonstrations, exhibits, and laboratory tours, the public will be able to see how scientists change the color of flowers, and how insect pests can be destroyed without chemicals. Visitors will also see "fatherless" turkeys, along with calves raised on synthetic diets; see how space satellites can monitor our food supply, and how life begins.

The main exhibit area will be at ARC-West, the Plant Industry Station, which is located on U. S. Route 1 about 100 yards north of the Washington Beltway (Route 495), Exit 27.

Ground Broken For Center School Addition

by Virginia Beauchamp

Ground was broken this week for the new two-story addition to the Center School, and a high fence enclosure for the potentially dangerous area will go up immediately. The new L-shaped wing, which will be located to the north and west of the present building, extends from the present basketball court back towards the crest of the ridge above the Youth Center. It is located in such a way that none of the large trees on the school grounds will need to be removed. The new addition will house four primary rooms, two kindergarten rooms, two special education rooms, a faculty room, and a library with adjacent workrooms, including a storage and previewing room for audiovisual equipment.

At the southwest corner of the present building an enlargement toward Crescent Rd. will be made to the principal's office and to the room above—the present faculty room — so that the latter can be used as a classroom. Two other

Council Reorganizes; Smith Mayor Again, Gough Pro Tem

by Elaine Skolnik

Re-elected Mayor Edgar L. Smith said at Monday night's organizational meeting of the council that a dynamic and effective city government depends upon teamwork among the council, the administrative management and the electorate. Acknowledging that there were voters who were disappointed by the election outcome, he urged that "we follow the tradition of the city," and "re-unite into one homogeneous unit for which we are so famous, and continue to move ahead, united in the best interest of the city."

Looking to the future, Smith noted that zoning and land development will continue to be a major problem for council. He said, "We pledge to continue our support of the Greenbelt Master Plan and to vigorously oppose any undesirable zoning and development in order to preserve the character of our city as a low density residential community."

Speaking on behalf of the entire council, Smith also set out other goals of the new council for the next two years: development of the Lake Park, continued acquisition of parkland, long-range financing for capital improvements, the expansion of municipal services to meet the needs of a growing community, and the early realization of the perimeter road.

He expressed the hope that Greenbelters would feel free to call upon council with their sugges-

tions and complaints. He noted that during the campaign several areas of possible deficiencies were brought to light and added that "we intend to give the city manager the necessary tools" to make corrections.

Smith, who was first elected mayor in 1963, was unanimously elected for another 2-year term after being put into nomination by Francis White. White extolled the mayor's previous service as councilman, mayor and city solicitor. The oath of office was administered by Circuit Court Clerk W. Waverly Webb. Councilman William Hoff served as temporary chairman during the election of the mayor.

Upon Hoff's nomination, Gerald Gough was unanimously elected Mayor pro tem.

The order of seating on the council, from left to right, is Hoff, Gough, Smith, Richard Pilski, and White.

City Notes

A long-awaited check from the U. S. Government for the purchase of parkland came in last week. The city had been out of pocket to the tune of \$205,000 for that expense. The check puts the municipal treasury back into the black.

The Public Works Dept. has recently graded and prepared for the seeding of grass the filled area behind the dam at the Lake Park. They also repaired soft spots in the new portion of the lake path below Lakeside Dr. Before the path can be completed, a storm drain line must be installed. As yet, the pipe has not been delivered. The city crew has also painted crosswalk markers, parking stalls, and stop lines at intersections throughout the city.

The Public Works Dept. has been treating with liquid asphalt and stone the surface of the pathway along Crescent between Lastner Lane and Northway. As the crushed stone works in, this path will take on a blacktop surface. The crew also trimmed shrubs and cleaned up the general area near the connection between Greenhill and Hillside Rds., and placed football goal posts at the athletic field. If the clear weather holds, the department plans to lime, fertilize, and seed the filled area below the dam at the lake.

Recently a private contractor graded all gravel shoulders throughout the city. This is an annual project.

rooms in the present building—a kindergarten room and the special education room—will also be released for needed classroom space. With these additions, according to Principal Robert Ellis, the school should be able to accommodate all future increase in population within its present district boundaries. (Current Center School registration is 450—eighty below the anticipated figure.)

Besides increasing the number of classrooms in the building, the renovation will also enlarge the cafeteria. A new kitchen will be built below the north windows of the public library and the present kitchen converted into additional seating space.

Target date for completion of all construction, which is being done by the Robert L. Kearney Construction Co. of Washington, D.C. is September, 1968.

GHI ORIENTATION

Greenbelt Homes, Inc., is planning a Fall Orientation Meeting for all members. The event is scheduled for Tuesday, October 17, at 8 p.m. in the Social Hall of the Community Church. Please mark this date on your calendar and plan to attend. This informative meeting will be followed by a social. Door prizes will be awarded.

Brewster Concerned Over Greenbelt Park

In a letter to Secretary of the Interior Stewart L. Udall, Maryland Senator Daniel B. Brewster urged the Secretary, on September 21, to reconsider development plans for Greenbelt Park. Brewster's letter followed upon his earlier news release which described plans for the park land as a limited "Coney Island" type development.

Brewster asked Udall to take steps "to assure that this oasis of natural beauty and pleasure for so many citizens will not be unduly desecrated in the name of progress" and suggested that the park "be preserved close to its natural state."

"With the tremendous expansion of the suburbs, it becomes vitally important that we take every possible step to save the relatively little green space that is left for the full enjoyment of the citizenry," Brewster said. Praising the local park development carried out by the Maryland National Capital Park and Planning Commission, Brewster added "It would be a shame if the Federal government, which largely through your leadership has encouraged the protection of park areas, took action in the case of Greenbelt Park that would be detrimental to the very cause it supports."

REGISTRATION FOR YOUTH COUNCIL

Attention Teenagers: This weekend will be the last chance to register to vote for Youth Council Representatives. Registration will be held at the Greenbelt Police Station, Fri., Sept. 29, 3-7 p.m. and Sat., Sept. 30, 1-3 p.m.

Be sure you can vote for your candidates on Oct. 2, 3 and 4 at the Greenbelt Municipal Bldg. from 4 - 7 p.m.

The purpose of the Youth Council is to discuss and present the views of Greenbelt teenagers to the City Council.

County Voter Registration

A reminder to register to vote in Prince Georges County came this week from the Non-Partisan Registration Committee.

Special registration clerks will be on hand in each County Elementary School on Tuesday, October 3, when the school PTA's have their annual "Open House." There will be a similar arrangement in the Junior High Schools on October 10.

Voters already registered who wish to change their party affiliation or who have changed their home addresses may also register these changes at that time.

GREENBELT TRAVEL CLUB TOURS

Saturday - October 14 (Monticello, Luray Caverns, Sky Line Drive) Cost - \$9.95

Sunday - October 15 Sky Line Drive Tour - \$1.95.

Thursday - Sunday - October 19, 20, 21 & 22 - EXPO '67 TOUR \$79.00 per person, 2 per room.

For further details and registration contact Twin Pines Savings & Loan Association - Sponsored by Greenbelt Travel Club.

WHAT GOES ON

Thurs., Sept. 28, 7:45 p.m. - GHI Board of Directors. Hamilton Pl.

Fri., Sept. 29, 3-7 p.m. - Registration for Youth Council Election, Police Station.

Sat., Sept. 30, 9 a.m. - 4 p.m. - Open House. Agri. Research Center, Beltsville.

10:30 a.m. - Jog-a-long. Braden Field.

1-3 p.m. - Registration for Youth Council Election, Police Station.

Mon., Oct. 2, 8 p.m. - City Council. Municipal Bldg.

Mon.-Wed., Oct. 2-4, 4-7 p.m. - Youth Council Election. Municipal Bldg.

Tues., Oct. 3, 7:30 p.m. - PTA Springhill Lake Elem. School, Multi-purpose rm.

8 p.m. - PTA, Center School.

8 p.m. - PTA, North End School.

Wed., Oct. 4, 8:30 - Boxwood Village Civic Assn. Amer. Legion Hall.

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Letters to the Editor

Harassment

The people of Greenbelt should know the full story of the events associated with the Labor Day Peace Festival and the role of the City of Greenbelt. Some of this is well known to a few but the latest activities involving the city are particularly disturbing.

The Committee for Peace in Viet Nam, under pressure from the local post of the American Legion, was barred from last year's Labor Day Festival. A Peace Rally was held on the Center School grounds without any incidents.

Early this year the CPVN was informed that there would be no objection to their participation. However, two weeks before the Labor Day weekend the American Legion abruptly walked out of the Festival because the CPVN had not been rejected. Under pressure from many of the remaining participants, and in hopes of preventing severe restrictions against all participants, the CPVN withdrew. A Peace Festival was again held on the Center School grounds and consisted of anti-war literature, newspaper clippings, a presidential popularity poll and buttons on a variety of subjects.

On Saturday afternoon Mr. Skip Bingham, Greenbelt Police Dispatcher, took about ten photographs of Peace Committee members and the displays. He returned Sunday to take more pictures.

On Monday two uniformed policemen took numerous pictures of Peace Committee members and of the bulletin boards. How many visitors at the Peace Festival were included in the photographs we do not know. The police also collected samples of literature.

When uniformed police take pictures of a group that is trying to communicate with the public this intimidates the public from approaching the group and therefore is a denial of the right of free speech and assembly.

During the weekend a leaflet announcing the Peace Festival was distributed in the Labor Day Festival area by members of the Peace Committee. No permit is required for distributing leaflets in a public place.

About 9:30 p.m. Sunday night, Dr. Allen Lenchek of the CPVN was arrested by Greenbelt police and charged with "soliciting without a license" on grounds that the leaflet contained the phrase, "Buy buttons expressing your inner (or way out) feelings". The charge was clearly false as was demonstrated by the fact that at the trial on Tuesday, September 12, the prosecuting State's Attorney entered a "not guilty" plea and Dr. Lenchek was acquitted.

After the parade on Monday, Bob Auerbach, Peace Festival chairman, was informed that the displays were on city property and was asked to come to the Municipal Building. In a room with five city councilmen, Police Chief Lane, Police Lt. Zoellner, two other policemen, and the Director of Public Works present he was again so informed. Relieved that this impressive gathering hadn't called him up on a capital crime, Bob readily admitted that it was an inadvertent mistake and would be promptly corrected - a matter of moving two tables and three easels a few feet onto county property.

A number of questions immediately present themselves:

Why were these photographs taken? Who authorized or ordered them? What has been done with them?

Why was Dr. Lenchek arrested on a trumped-up charge - later admitted to be without founda-

tion?

Why the massed, official confrontation over an inadvertent and slight misplacement of the Peace Festival?

Was all this a deliberate effort by the city to harass the peaceful Peace demonstration? Is this "official" policy?

These questions raise many disturbing thoughts. We believe that all citizens of Greenbelt, whatever their political beliefs, are entitled to a full and complete explanation of the events described and that these questions should be answered. We await an "official" and public response.

Bertram Donn & Bruce Bowman
for the Peace in Viet Nam Committee

Editor's Note: The News Review checked with city officials concerning the incidents reported in the above letter and the alleged "harassment" of the Committee for Peace in Viet Nam. According to city manager James K. Giese, the events as cited in the letter are substantially correct. He emphasized, however, that there is "no policy direction on the part of city council or the offices of the city manager or of the chief of police to harass any group."

He gave the following explanation of the events described: (1) For "departmental information" the police dispatcher took some photographs of the CPVN display table. Those standing around the table were reported as not expressing objections to being photographed. No other pictures were authorized by the Police Dept. (2) One of the uniformed officers taking pictures on Monday was not on duty, though still in uniform. He was taking pictures of the entire festival for his personal pleasure. At one time he remembers standing with his back to the swimming pool in order to take a picture of some horses. The CPVN booth may also have been included. Nothing is known by the city of the other police officer referred to. (3) The arrest of Dr. Lenchek was made by an individual police officer on the basis of "his own best judgment" and his interpretation of the law. The police chief reviewed the facts concerning the arrest and instructed the officer to present information about the situation to the State's Attorney. The city, as well as the State's Attorney, felt that there was insufficient evidence. On this basis, the State's Attorney determined not to prosecute the case and it did not go to trial.

Beale-Wilson

Mr. and Mrs. Willard J. Beale announce the marriage of their daughter, Nancy Jane, to William J. Wilson on Friday, Sept. 22, in Greenbelt Community Church. The Rev. Kenneth B. Wyatt officiated, with the Rev. Dr. Dale A. Stover in attendance.

Thank You

I would like to thank the many hundreds of voters who supported me for City Council in the recent election. Even though I was unsuccessful, it is heart-warming to note that you gave me the largest vote any losing candidate has ever received.

Special thanks go to those individuals who actively promoted my candidacy. I want to extend congratulations to the successful slate winners and the organizations that backed them. Last but not least, I wish the community good luck in its continuing efforts to shape its own destiny.

Clifford H. Simonson

Constructive Suggestions

To the Editor:

For years the city of Greenbelt has been concerned with the growing problems of vandalism, its resultant expense and the associated waste of potential of our young adults. We have been looking for answers and have been obviously unsuccessful.

At the Lion's Candidates Forum, last Tuesday evening, a young man proposed at least three actions that could help to solve the problem: They are:

(a) Create a liaison committee composed of both young adults and people in authority.

(b) Give an unofficial vote to young people in the 18-21-year age range.

(c) Re-open the bowling lanes.

These are constructive suggestions. They come from someone concerned with the problem from the other end. They deserve serious consideration. Yet a few of the candidates and many of the citizens in attendance were not really listening with understanding, nor even politely.

That may be the key to the problem.

Sidney O. Kastner

4-H Leaders Needed

The 4-H leaders would like to organize two new clubs for 4th graders—one at each end of town—if leaders can be found for them. So how about volunteering to be a club leader? If you don't feel you can, how about being a project leader, teaching your skills to eager children? Retired people, Golden Agers, Women's Club members, Homemakers—surely you have a great deal to offer to the youth of our community. We need you!

If you are interested in having your son or daughter join 4-H (there are a few openings) or would like to work with 4-H youngsters—please call Mrs. Helen Geller at 474-6323.

United Givers Fund

Over 153 agencies will benefit from the United Givers Fund drive, which begins today. Total allocations for Prince Georges County agencies is \$677,302 plus \$303,251 for residents of our County through other area agencies. Mrs. Charles T. McDonald, who has been appointed local chairman, would appreciate hearing from anyone wishing to assist in the local UGF drive. Her number is 474-6475.

World-wide Communion
At Methodist Church

Bread baked by children of the congregation will be used in the sacrament for the World-Wide Communion Sunday service, October 1, 11 a.m. at the Mowatt Memorial Methodist Church. The Arts and Crafts class, which is held for 1st through 3rd graders during the worship hour, has had a bread-baking project under the leadership of Mrs. R. Gene Gilbert.

SH LAKE PTA

The Springhill Lake Elementary School P.T.A. will hold its first meeting Tuesday, October 3, in the school multi-purpose room. Membership registration will begin promptly at 7:30 p.m. All prospective members are urged to attend and sign up for the new year. Starting at 8 p.m. there will be a short business meeting with Open House following from 8:30-9 p.m., where parents may meet the teachers.

Center School PTA

The Greenbelt Center Elementary School will hold its first PTA meeting of the school year on Tuesday, October 3 at 8 p.m. Membership dues are payable at the meeting, if they have not already been returned to the school.

The program will feature a discussion of juvenile offenders and related problems by Mr. Merritt Raymond, Regional Supervisor of the State Department of Juvenile Services, and William T. Lane, Greenbelt's Chief of Police. Also present will be Pfc. John C. Krob, Greenbelt's Traffic Safety Officer.

Following this there will be twenty minutes devoted to classroom visits, with each teacher explaining plans and activities for the coming year.

Carmela Cipriano

Mrs. Carmela M. Cipriano, resident for 50 years of Greenbelt, died on September 20. She is survived by her husband, Joseph, daughters, Mrs. Concetta Marie Weaver, Mrs. Virginia Epling, and Mrs. Jean Wiley; sons, Mike and Nick, 17 grandchildren and 9 great-grandchildren. Mrs. Cipriano was a member of St. Hugh's Sodality.

9:45 a.m. Sunday School 6:00 p.m. Training Union
11:00 a.m. Morning Worship 7:00 p.m. Evening Worship
Wednesday, 8:00 p.m. Prayer Meeting

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Recreation Review

Teen Club Chatter
The Knights plus The Counts will be at the Youth Center Saturday, Sept. 30 from 8-11 p.m. Memberships for the 1967-68 Teen Club are being accepted now. Application blanks may be obtained at the dance Saturday night. Election of officers will be held in October.

Adult Activities
The following adult activities will get underway next week:
Men's Gym - Monday 7-10 p.m.
Women's Gym - Tuesday 8-30-10 p.m.

Call the Recreation Department, 474-6878, for further information and application blank if you are interested in registering for the following programs:

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Arts & Crafts - Tuesdays, 9:30 11:30 a.m., beginning Oct. 3.
Ceramics - Beginners, Tuesdays, 8-10 p.m., beginning Oct. 3;
Advanced Beginners, Thursdays, 8-10 p.m., beginning Oct. 5.
Oil Painting - Wednesdays 7-10 p.m., beginning Oct. 4.
Basic Drawing - Wednesdays 7-10 p.m., beginning Oct. 4
Guitar - Saturdays 10 a.m. beginning Sept 30 (you supply the guitar).

Soccer League Clinic
Monday, Oct. 3 at 4 p.m., a representative from the Washington Whips will be at the Youth Center to hold a Soccer Clinic and show films for interested boys. This free, after-school soccer program, for 4th thru 8th grade boys, meets Monday, Wednesday and Fridays at 3:30 p.m. on Braden Field.

Elementary Boys' Gym
A supervised program of basketball, bombardment and other active games is offered on Saturdays 9 a.m. to 12 noon in the Youth Center.

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Notice of Charter Amendment

Amendment to the Charter of the City of Greenbelt, Maryland was adopted on September 11, 1967 by the City Council of Greenbelt. The title of the resolution, which is a fair summary of the amendment is as follows:

Charter Amendment Resolution Number 131
Resolution of the City of Greenbelt adopted Pursuant to the Authority of Article 11E of the Constitution of Maryland and Section 13 of Article 23A of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1957 Edition as amended) Title "Corporation-Municipal", sub-title, "Home Rule", to Amend the Charter of the City of Greenbelt, said Charter being Section 40 of Article 17 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland (1963 Edition) and Containing in Whole or in Part the Charter of the City of Greenbelt by Repealing and Re-enacting with Amendments Subsection 1 of Section 40-3 title "General Powers", to Provide that the City Council May Appropriate Municipal Funds for Any Public Purpose Within the Powers Outlined in the City Charter, That the City Council have General Management and Control of the Finances of the City, and That Any Charges Made Against Real Property Shall Be Liens Upon that Property; and by Repealing and Reenacting with Amendments Subsection 2 of Section 40-3 title "General Powers", to Clarify and Improve the Language of such Subsection; and by Repealing and Reenacting with Amendments Subsection 3 of Section 40-3 title "General Powers", to clarify and Improve the Language of Such Subsection; and by Repealing and Reenacting with Amendments Subsection 5 of Section 40-3 title "General Powers", to Provide for the Enforcement of Police, Health, Sanitary, Fire, Traffic, Parking and Similar Regulations, to Prohibit Vice, Gambling, Prostitution, Vagrancy, Disorderly Conduct, Obscenity, Public Drunkenness, Youths on the Streets at Unreasonable Hours, to Regulate the Storage of Explosive or Combustible Matter, to Regulate the Use of Firearms and similar Dangerous Things, to Establish a Police Force, a Police Station House and a Lock-up, to Appoint a Public Health Officer, to Prevent the Introduction of Contagious Diseases, to Prevent Nuisances, to Regulate Offensive, Obnoxious or Injurious Commodities, to Inspect and Regulate the Sale of Food Products, to Prevent the Deposit of Unwholesome Substances or Garbage on Private or Public Property, to Regulate the Interment of Bodies and to Regulate Cemeteries, to Suppress Fires and to Establish and Maintain a Fire Department or to Contribute Funds to Volunteer Fire Companies Serving the City, to Inspect Buildings for the Purpose of Reducing Fire Hazards, to Prevent the Obstruction of Aisles and Exits in Public Halls, Churches and Places of Amusement, to Regulate or Obtain Parking Lots, to Install Parking Meters, to Regulate Public Hackmen, to Regulate Vehicles Not subject to the Licensing Powers of the State, to Regulate the Numbering of Houses, to Regulate the Use of Sidewalks, to Regulate unreasonable soliciting, to Regulate the Erection of Billboards, to Regulate the Construction of Buildings, to Formulate a Building Code and a Plumbing Code, and to Authorize the Inspection of Buildings and Elevators; and by Repealing and Reenacting with Amendments Subsection 6 of Section 40-3 title "General Powers", to Provide for the Removal of all Nuisances and Obstructions from Public Ways and from Lots Adjoining Thereto, and to Compel Owners to Remove all Nuisances from Such Lots or in Default Thereof to Authorize the Work to be Done by the City at the Owner's Expense, Such Expense to Constitute a Lien Upon the Property Collectible as Tax Moneys; and by Repealing and Reenacting with Amendments Subsection 7 of Section 40-3 title "General Powers", to Provide for the Establishment of Public Parks, Gardens, Playgrounds, and Other Recreation Facilities and Programs; and by Repealing and Reenacting with Amendments Subsection 8 of Section 40-3 title "General Powers", to Provide for the Licensing of Transient or Permanent Businesses in the City, to Regulate the Sale of all Kinds of Property at Auction, to License Hawkers, and to Establish and Collect Fees for All Licenses Issued; and by Repealing and Reenacting with Amendments Subsection 11 of Section 40-3 title "General Powers", to Provide for the Erection of Structures for the Public Benefit, to Provide for the Taking by Gift or Otherwise of any Property for Parks, Gardens, or Structures and for the Proper Administration of the Same, to Permit the City to Convey the Same When no Longer Needed for Public Purposes, to Provide that Condemnation Proceedings shall Be In Accordance with Article 33A of the Annotated Code of the Public General Laws of Maryland; and by Repealing and Reenacting with Amendments Subsection 13 of Section 40-3 title "General Powers", to Provide that the City Shall Have All Those Powers Enumerated in Article 23B, the Municipal Corporation Charter Act of the Annotated Code of Maryland; and by Adding Subsection 14 to Section 40-3 title "General Powers", to Provide for the Regulation and Licensing of Dogs, Cats, and Other Animals, to Authorize The Impounding of the Same, and to Provide for Their Disposition; and by Adding Subsection 15 to Section 40-3 title "General Powers", to Provide for the Creation, Change and Abolishment of Offices, Departments and Agencies, Other Than Those Established by the City Charter, to Assign Additional Functions and Duties, but Not Including the Power to Discontinue or Assign to Any Other Office, Department, or Agency any Function Assigned by the City Charter to a Particular Office, Department or Agency; and by Adding Subsection 16 to Section 40-3 title "General Powers", to Provide for the Making of Agreements With Other Municipalities, Counties, Districts, Bureaus, Commissions, States and Federal Authorities for the Joint Performance of or Cooperation in the Performance of any Governmental Function; and by Adding Subsection 17 to Section 40-3 title "General Powers", to Provide for Advertising for the Purposes of the City, to Provide for Printing and Publishing Statements as to City Finances, and to Provide for the Publication and Codification of all Laws, Ordinances, Resolutions or Regulations Adopted by or Affecting the City; and by Adding Subsection 18 to Section 40-3 title "General Powers", to Provide for the Requirement That Persons About to Undertake Dangerous Improvements Shall Execute Bonds with Sufficient Securities; and by Adding Subsection 19 to Section 40-3 title "General Powers", to Provide that the City May Accept Gifts and Grants of Federal and State Funds; and by Adding Subsection 20 to Section 40-3 title "General Powers", to Provide for the Employment of Voting Machines in City Elections.

A copy of the above resolution may be obtained from the City Clerk, 25 Crescent Road, Greenbelt, Maryland. 474-8000.

James K. Giese
City Manager

Our Neighbors

Elaine Skolnik - 474-6060

A dead heat featured last Friday's duplicate bridge session when the teams of Tina and Simon Pristoop and of Sid Barnett and Ann Pisano, each garnered 39 points. In October, the Greenbelt Bridge Club will meet on the 1st and 4th Fridays. Next game: Friday, Oct. 6.

Aviation Structural Mechanic Second Class Kevin J. Hildreth, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hildreth, 11-D Southway, returned to Norfolk, Va., aboard the attack aircraft carrier USS America after an extended deployment with the U. S. Sixth Fleet in the Mediterranean.

John A. Fulton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Fulton, 55-H Ridge, has been promoted to airman second class in the U. S. Air Force. Airman Fulton is a helicopter mechanic at Sheppard AFB, Texas.

Private David Tanner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Tanner 9135 Edmonston Terrace, is taking his basic training in the Army Training Center, Armor, Fort Knox, Ky.

Channel 9 TV cameras caught Mayor Edgar Smith and Councilmen Gerald Gough and Richard Pilski in the act of removing campaign bumper stickers behind Cop last Saturday. The commentator remarked, "It's always heartwarming to see honest labor from a public official."

Lorraine Barr, 120 Lastner, was named to the honor roll at Strayer College. She is entering her second year.

Attention, Teens! Don't forget to register for the Youth Council Election at the Police Station on Fri. 3-7 p.m. & Sat., 1-3 p.m. If you don't register this week, you cannot vote later in the elections.

Birthday greetings to David Rosetti, 4 Pinecrest, who celebrated his thirteenth birthday on Sept. 28.

Greenbelt's Cleo Dutton is on the board of directors of the Prince Georges County Firemen's Ladies Auxiliary. Fran Crisman is a Color bearer.

Alan G. DuMonceau will be attending Western Maryland College in Westminster this fall.

Little Andrea Feeney, 14-A Ridge, will be in Prince George's Hospital for several weeks following injuries sustained in an automobile mishap. Hope Andrea will be feeling better soon.

Cadet Charles J. Bohn, III, son of Lieutenant and Mrs. Charles J. Bonn, Jr., of University Square, is one of more than 900 cadets who have started their sophomore year at the U. S. Air Force Academy.

As he began his second year at the academy, Cadet Bohn was named to the superintendent's list in recognition of his outstanding achievement in both academic and military performance.

Our deepest sympathy to Mr. Joseph Cipriano of Greenbelt who lost his wife, Carmela.

Seaman Recruit John T. Baldwin, USN, 19, son of Mrs. Margaret Patricia Baldwin of 3-B Parkway Rd., has been graduated from nine weeks of Navy basic training at the Naval Training Center. He studied seamanship, as well as survival techniques, military drill and other subjects.

Airman First Class Michael R. Taeler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Monte L. Taeler, 8-F Southway Road, is participating in the joint U. S. Air

Force-Army field training exercise Cherokee Trail XIII underway in Central North Carolina. Taeler is a photographer in the Tactical Air Command's commando wing at England AFB, La.

John C. Lyle, son of Mrs. Ruth Lyle at 9146 Edmonston Rd., SHL, is presently serving as a Peace Corps Volunteer in Betulia, Colombia. John trained for a month in Puerto Rico and for two months in Medellin, Colombia. He is now working at Betulia, where he will be stationed for his two-year's service in community development. All Greenbelters wish John the best of luck and success.

BOXWOOD CIVIC MEETING
A general meeting of the Boxwood Village Civic Association will be held at the American Legion Hall on Wednesday, October 4, at 8:30 p.m.

Jog Along Saturday

This Saturday, Sept. 30 at 10:30 a.m. at Braden Field the monthly group Jog Along of 1 and 1/2 miles for physical fitness will be held. This program is sponsored by the Greenbelt Jaycees. On Sunday, Nov. 26 in conjunction with the Annual Turkey Trot of 20 miles run through the streets of Greenbelt, a 5 and 1/2 mile and a 1 and 1/2 mile races will be held. Trophies will be awarded to all participants who finish the 1 and 1/2 miles in November.

Martin Greenbaum of Ridge Rd. in Greenbelt finished 7th in the 20 mile road race in Leonardtown, Md. on Sept. 24 in the time of 2 hours, 24 min. and 45 seconds showing that he is the best of the long distance runners in Greenbelt. Info on races from L. Noel 474-9362.

The Police Blotter

On Sept. 20, at 6:55 p.m., a four-year-old girl was hit by a car on Ridge Road near Westway, when she ran into the street. The driver swerved but was unable to avoid contact.

A missing person report has been filed on Salvatore A. Marchesone, last seen on Sept. 10. He is 35 years old, 5'7", 230 lbs., brown hair, brown eyes. Anyone having information as to his whereabouts is asked to contact the Greenbelt Police Department.




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