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GHI TO APPEAL ON COUNTY TAX ASSESSMENT, PLANS PILOT SURVEY

by Sid Kastner

Only a few items were dealt with at the short (two-hour) meeting of the Greenbelt Homes, Inc. Board on Thursday, April 10. The corporation, as reported briefly by Comptroller Don McGinn, is preparing to file an appeal against its county tax assessment, with the aid of attorney Albert Ginsberg; appeal must be made within thirty days.

Director Stephen Polaschik reported that the Select Committee, after much delay, will finally proceed to carry out its proposed demographic survey. Director Katherine Keene stated that the survey would be a pilot project covering the last three years. Information from the office's file would be transferred to computer cards in such a way as to preserve member anonymity.

Two administrative matters were dealt with briefly. Director Jim Smith proposed that the present GHI Handbook be completely revised and updated to become a handbook of rules and regulations for member information. He pointed out that at present there is no single source for such facts, other than the board itself. This was heartily agreed with, and Smith and director Nat Shinderman further suggested that a looseleaf format be adopted for flexibility.

The board also decided to have the staff's NCR bookkeeping machine repaired at a cost of about \$1,900, instead of buying a new one. The original cost of the machine was \$4,900, but a new one would now cost about \$9,000, McGinn noted. The repair will be guaranteed for three years.

GHI equipment and employees - two trucks with drivers - aided the families driven out by the Thursday fire at 9 Parkway, chairman Charles Schwan reported—an action officially sanctioned by the board on a motion by director Norman Weyel.

Director John O'Reilly thought the use of the men should be unnecessary in future such emergencies, if volunteer help was accepted, but the board as a whole expressed approval of the staff's service to the community.

Puppet Show for Tots

Sponsored by the Greenbelt Co-op Nursery School, the Plegari Puppeteers will present a puppet show on Sunday April 20, at the Greenbelt Municipal Building, at 1 p.m., 3 p.m., and 5 p.m. It is based on a Winnie-the-Pooh story, "Eeyore's Birthday," and is geared to the 3-6 year old level.

Tickets may be obtained at Twin Pines.

G'belt Third Annual Festival of the Arts

As proclaimed by Mayor Smith, April 19 is the official Festival of the Arts day in Greenbelt, Maryland. Activities will begin with a Variety Show including demonstrations of children and adult programs. This program will include performances in ballet, square dancing, guitar, a band concert by the Greenbelt Concert Band and a special added attraction of the fantastic KRAZY KATS. Don't miss this first for Greenbelt. The Variety Show will be held at the Youth Center at 2 p.m.

On Sunday, April 20, the Recreation Department will extend the Festival festivities with the annual arts show and sale. Artists from all over the area are planning to enter this fine exhibit. The show will be open to the public from 1 to 5 p.m. at the Youth Center.

Still extending this fine program, on Saturday, April 26, from 8 to 11 p.m., the teens will show their participation in the Festival with the Allusions of Sound performing at the Youth Center's KAVA, a coffee house for senior high school teens. All area teens are of course invited, and any adults brave enough to survive the noise, heat and crowd are welcome to come on down to the Youth Center to see the goings on.

On Sunday, April 27, from 1 to 5 p.m. at the Youth Center, still in observance of the Mayor's proclamation, there will be a Crafts Demonstration and Show. Crafters will be present to show onlookers techniques in decoupage, sculpture, potting, hand building, needlework and many other fine crafts and media of art. Don't miss this fine exhibit.

Later that evening, at the Greenbelt Center School, the N.S.A. Gleemen will present a concert at 7 p.m. the program will include numbers such as "Moon River," "You'll Never Walk Alone," "The Battle Hymn of the Republic" and many, many other selections.

The Recreation Department hopes to make this an annual affair.

Third Annual Greenbelt Festival of the Arts

Saturday, April 19, 2:00 p.m., Youth Center - Variety Show with participants from ballet, guitar, square dance, trampoline classes and a band concert and performance by the Krazy Kats.

Sunday, April 20, 1:00 to 5:00 p.m., Youth Center - Art Show and Sale.

Saturday, April 26, 8:00 to 11:00 p.m., Youth Center - KAVA, Coffee house for senior high teens.

Sunday, April 27, 1:00 to 5:00 p.m., Youth Center—Crafts demonstration and sale including decoupage, needlework, pottery, and the techniques of Ukranian Eggs plus many others.

Sunday, April 27, 7:00 to 9:00 p.m., Greenbelt Center School, Concert by N.S.A. Gleemen.

AGENDA

Regular Meeting of City Council

Monday, April 21, 1969

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 April 7, 1969
- 5 Additions to the Agenda by Councilmen and Manager

II COMMUNICATIONS

- 6 Bid Opening - Air Conditioning at Fire House
- 7 Petitions and Requests
- 8 Administrative Reports
- 9 Committee Reports

III OLD BUSINESS

- 10 Ordinance Authorizing Bond Anticipation Notes - 2nd reading
- 11 Resolution to Repeal Resolution No. 115 and to Establish New Admission Fees for Greenbelt Swimming Pool - 2nd reading
- 12 Board of Election Supervisors
- 13 Auditor's Proposal - Fiscal Year 1968-69
- 14 Concession at Lake Park
- 15 City Cemetery

IV NEW BUSINESS

- 16 Municipal Capital Expansion Act of 1969
- 17 Fourth of July Fireworks
- 18 Request for Swimming Coach - Springhill Lake
- 19 1970 Census Data Restrictions
- 20 Request for Contribution - Parkdale High School Dedication

V Miscellaneous

Money Management Series

A series of classes will be held for area men and women on problems in money management from 7:30 - 9:30 p.m. on May 5, 12 and 19, in the Community room, Springhill Lake Shopping Center, Greenbelt. A moderate charge for course materials will be made. Pre-registration by April 25 is required. Call 627-5116 to register.

FASHION SHOWING

A fashion show presented by the Greenbelt Lion Belles will be held on Wednesday April 30, 7:45 p.m. at the Greenbelt Municipal Building.

The snow featuring fashions from Miss Harper of Montgomery Mall, will include door prizes and refreshments. Tickets may be obtained at the door or by calling 864-3177.

WHAT GOES ON

- Sat., April 19, 2 p.m. Variety Show, Youth Center
- Sun., April 20, 1-5 p.m. Art Exhibit, Youth Center
- Mon., April 21, 8 p.m. City Council Meeting, Municipal Building
- Tues., April 22, 7:30 p.m. Parkdale PTA Meeting
- 8 p.m. Greenbelt Tennis Assn. Municipal Building

Major Rerouting for Gentry Drive Denied; Embankment Still Problem

Embankment

The embankment, located at the eastern end of Beltway Plaza, has long been a cause for concern to area residents and Prince Georges County. Existing since the building of the S. Klein's store in 1963, the land has been the subject of legal action for the past three years.

In the spring of 1966, suit was filed by Prince Georges County against First National Realty Corporation of Washington, D.C., owners of the Beltway Plaza Shopping Center. According to Martin Hertz, an attorney for Prince Georges County, a stipulation was entered to dismiss the suit if the realty firm agreed to eliminate the hazardous land situation.

A spokesman for the County Office of Building Inspections and Permits admitted that work had been started on the building of a retaining wall at the base of the embankment located closest to the S. Klein greenhouse. This work begun in early 1968 "will not suffice," according to Tom Rennie, Grading Control Engineer for the BIP office. He added, "Further remedial action is necessary because of danger of collapse of a section of the embankment closer to Greenbelt Road, directly below the red brick building." This latter comment referred to a structure on the grounds of the Board of Education's bus maintenance yard. Rennie said that his office was deeply concerned about the potential danger of the embankment and would like to expedite solving the situation. Both Hertz and Rennie stressed cooperation between their offices in correcting the problem.

Sidney Brown, president of First National Realty, could not be reached for comment. Also the office of City Manager James Giese said it had not received a reply to the letter it had sent to Chairman of the County Commissioners Francis Aluisi on behalf of the City Council concerning the interest of the Council in this matter.

Greenbelt Tennis Assn.

The Greenbelt Tennis Association will hold its first meeting of the year next Tuesday night, April 22, at 8 p.m. at the Greenbelt Municipal Building. Anyone interested in tennis is welcome and encouraged to come.

Community Church Holds Annual Business Meeting

The Annual Business Meeting of the Greenbelt Community Church will be held on Sunday April 20, at 7:30 p.m., preceded at 6:30 by a potluck supper. Child care will be provided during the business meeting.

The pastor, Rev. Robert L. Field, points out that very important matters will be voted upon. These include a proposal for reorganization, election of officers, adoption of a budget, and plans for a new type of Sunday morning service combining family worship with an educational program for all ages.

Parkdale Highlights

The student Drama Club of Parkdale Senior High School will perform excerpts from all-time favorite plays, under the direction of Thomas Spillane, head of the Drama Department, at the regular meeting of the PTA next Tuesday night, April 22, at 7:30 in the multi-purpose room.

Eugene Husick, reading teacher and sponsor of the tennis club, will make a plea to parents to write letters to Congressman Lawrence J. Hogan (R. - Pr. Geo.) for help in getting tennis courts installed in Greenbelt Park. Husick says the original plans for the park included tennis courts, but so far none have been built. There are no plans for home courts at Parkdale.

Dedication ceremonies for the school have been set for Tuesday, May 27, at 3 p.m. in the gym.

Gentry Drive.

Through informal conversation with members of the technical staff of the Prince Georges Planning Board, the city has learned of a March 26 meeting between the Board and Sidney Brown, developer of Beltway Plaza shopping center. Brown requested that the Board consider a new proposal to reroute Gentry Drive, the street that runs along the west side of the A & P supermarket from Greenbelt Rd. so that beyond the A & P it would angle westward and then double back east to connect with the road system in Springhill Lake.

Brown's reason for requesting the westward routing was to accommodate the location of a major department store behind and west of the supermarket.

Although the Planning Board agreed that they could allow a slight bend to the westward of Gentry Drive, they would not allow as deep a bend as Brown desired. As an alternative, the Board suggested that Brown might investigate the possibility of securing air rights so that the building could be constructed over the roadway. The question of what authority might be able to grant such rights was not brought into discussion.

Relief Drive for Fire Victims Winding Up

The cause of the pre-dawn April 3 fire at Greenbelt Plaza Apartments, which left 25 families homeless, is still undetermined, according to the Prince Georges Fire Marshal's Office. Officials state that it can be safely assumed that the fire started in the attic, probably in the flue. They are still in the process of examining photographs and the remains of materials charred in the fire.

By the end of the week, most of the fire victims were permanently or temporarily housed in various locations in Greenbelt. Throughout the week, the mountainous donations of clothing and household items that packed the basement of the Community Church were distributed to displaced families. City and GHI trucks and personnel did yeoman service in transporting household goods to the new quarters, and will continue to do so as long as the need exists.

By Saturday noon all clothing and household items were removed from the Church. What was not needed by fire victims went to the needy of Greenbelt, the County Social Service Department, HELP, and to a seminary in Lanham which will transport the items to the southern end of the county to help the poor.

Coordinators of the drive announced that there is still a shortage of certain items, such as chests of drawers, springs, mattresses, and living room furniture. Pick-ups will be made by calling 474-6587 or 345-2025. Cash donations (checks payable to Greenbelt Disaster) will also be gratefully accepted at the Community Church or the parsonage.

Coordinating the overall drive were Mr. and Mrs. Michael Burchick, the Reverend Robert Field, Mrs. Cathy Foster, Mrs. Jackie Shabe, Mr. Dale Sheldon (fire victim) and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Spong.

Recreation Review

New Dog Obedience Class to Start: A new Dog Obedience Class will begin on April 22 from 8:30-10 p.m. at the Youth Center. The dog must be at least 6 months of age at the beginning of class. Call the Recreation Department 474-6878, for further information.

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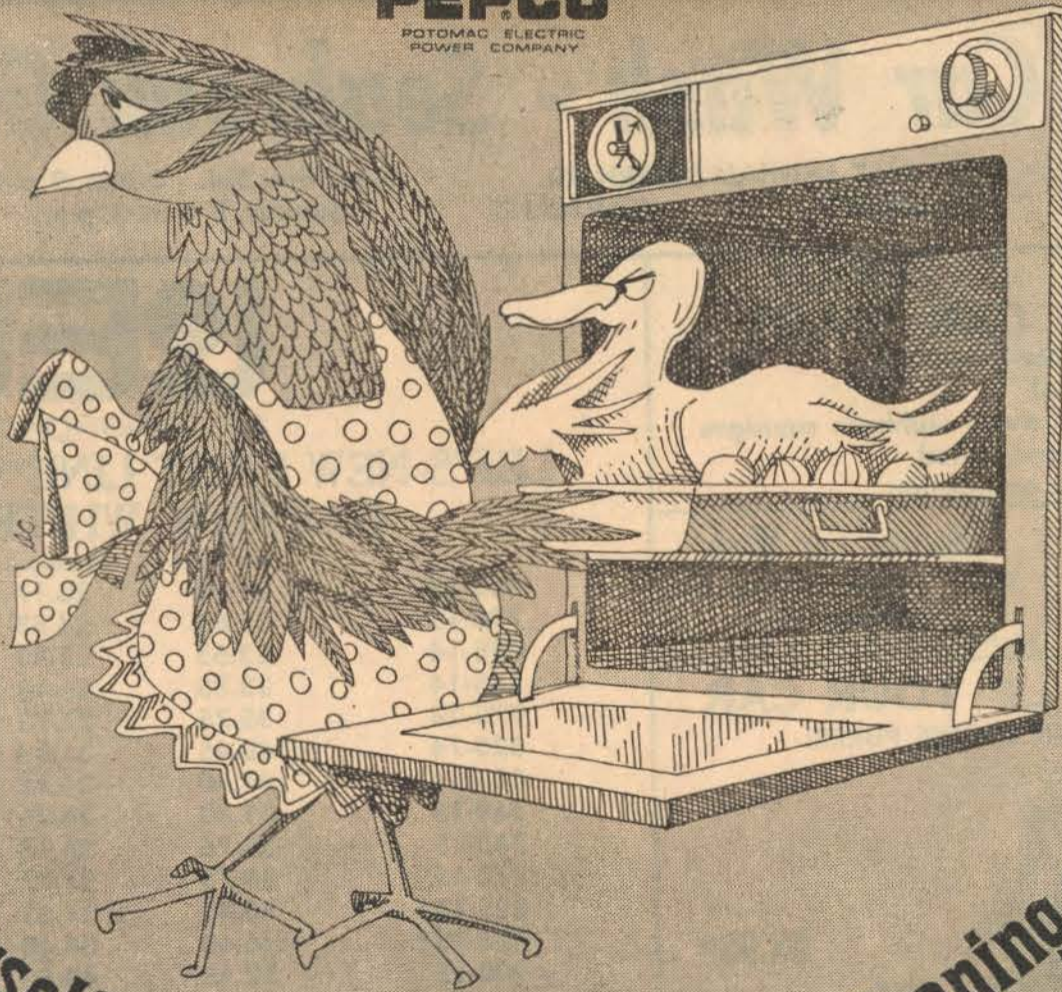
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