

CARES Budget Up Slightly

by Sandra Barnes

Going into its fifth year of operation, Greenbelt CARES, the city's youth counseling and service organization, seems to have become an accepted part of the community, no longer fighting for its very existence in the city budget. That was the sentiment expressed by the various councilmen at the city's work session on the CARES budget on Monday, May 9.

The self-composed CARES staff met no challenges to their budget which receives 75% funding from the Department of Juvenile Services (DJS) and 25% funding from the city. Last year, the CARES budget was \$65,500. This year, the budget calls for an expenditure of \$67,761 with 40,461 provided by DJS and \$27,300 in matching funds by the city. The major increases are in salaries, insurance, and transportation accompanied by decreases in employee benefits and equipment purchases.

The CARES program has gone from largely group counseling of families, to individual counseling on a one-to-one basis with trained workers in its Wednesday evening sessions.

While the council members praised CARES for its impact on the community, Dr. Leo Walder, who provides the staff with professional expertise, noted that their follow-up procedures have not been very good and that was one aspect of the program they hoped to improve. They have no accurate figures on how families or individuals fared after they left the CARES counseling program.

CARES estimates that it will handle about 285 youngsters in the formal counseling sessions in the coming fiscal year; last year 270 were counseled. In addition to counseling, CARES will continue its clothing exchange, tutoring program and job placement program for young people.

In addition, CARES hopes to improve its training program for Wednesday evening volunteer counselors by inviting at least five guest professionals to observe and comment on the counseling program and other related activities. It also hopes to establish a program to reduce the reliance upon outside consultants for evaluation services and to establish methodology for measuring cost/effectiveness of counseling program as compared to other forms of counseling available. In addition, CARES expects to measure the effectiveness of individual juvenile counselors.

Over the past year, CARES has initiated a 24-hour Helpline service which allows a troubled youngster to call someone for help and remain anonymous if he or she wishes. CARES supervises an after-school program in the basement of its Ridge Road office and expects to initiate and improve other programs in the coming year.

State Initiates Child Innoculation Program

Because only 58% of Maryland's two year olds have been inoculated against preventable childhood diseases the state has launched a campaign to arouse public concern. A preliminary study indicates an intolerably low statewide level of two-year olds completely protected against such diseases as polio, measles, rubella, mumps, diphtheria, whooping cough and tetanus. A completed series of primary shots to give two year old children protection includes four shots against diphtheria, tetanus, whooping cough, four polio shots and one shot each against measles, rubella and mumps.

The state hopes to (1) within 30 months — by the fall of 1979 — immunize thousands of children who today are inadequately protected against all preventable childhood diseases, raising completed immunization levels for preschoolers to above 90% and (2) establish a permanent system to provide comprehensive immunization services to the thousands of children born in Maryland each year.

In an effort to reach thousands of parents, a Sugar Ray Leonard Poster Contest, named after Maryland's Olympic Gold Medal winner, will be conducted in all State day care, nursery schools, head start and primary school levels. Parents will get a chance to read the immunization data on the poster when children bring it home from school.

Programs for Greenbelt Seniors At Rec. Center

by Linda Orenstein

Two programs sponsored by the Division on Aging of Prince Georges County have been held at the Greenbelt Recreation Center.

For the second year a tax preparation program has been offered. This program met on Tuesdays, beginning in January and concluded before April 15. Anyone over the age of fifty-five was eligible to participate. Tax preparation sessions were provided on an appointment basis with absolutely no walk-in consultations. Necessary tax forms were provided by the County, with only personal records, (stubs, receipts etc.) being required of participants. An average of four to five people attended the Tues. appointments.

The second and ongoing program sponsored by the Division on Aging is held on a drop-in basis at the Recreation Center from 10-2 p.m. on Wednesdays. This program, headed by Ursula Nogic, provides counseling and referral services to senior citizens and to middle-aged or young people having problems with or relating to senior citizens who may be relatives or friends. Charles Helwig, himself a senior citizen, is a Senior Counselor Aide assigned to the Greenbelt community. He was trained through the University of Maryland Counseling Department in an eight-week course directed by Dr. Nancy Schlosberg, which concentrated on counseling skills and observation sessions.

Helwig is available to render assistance in the form of resource information, referral to county agencies for county services, or simply to talk about various problems. He does not give formal counseling, but will help with completion of forms or give reassurance and support to those who need to be guided to the proper agencies. Confidentiality of all discussions is stressed, and the Recreation Center provides a familiar yet private meeting place for seniors to come to.

This referral and information service is one of eight sponsored by the Division on Aging in P.G. County. Helwig has spoken to two groups in Greenbelt — the county senior group, which meets on Mondays, and the Greenbelt Golden Age Club, which meets at the Recreation Center on Wednesdays, to advise them of his services.

He states that response to the program in Greenbelt has been good and feels that this due to the great civic sense of responsibility toward others. He also sees a good deal of sensitivity in Greenbelt, as a community, toward the problems of people of all ages.

Helwig is very enthusiastic about this program and would like to see transportation and shopping services operational in Greenbelt. He envisions a lunchtime "drop-in" meal program which would provide a good hot meal with little financial strain on those attending.

Charles Helwig sees himself as a link providing information as to numbers to call and will follow up on the solution of problems. He recommends the Prince Georges Senior Citizen newspaper as a source of information. He may be reached at 474-4980, although he prefers face-to-face discussions.

Anyone in Greenbelt aware of transportation facilities or who could communicate pertinent community activities or available services, is asked to contact Helwig at the Recreation Center.

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Thursday, May 12, 1977

Police Blotter

The department was busy last week with personnel matters. The vacancy created when Michael Janney left has been filled with the employment of Michael S. Ricucci from Hyattsville. He will begin work on May 8. Ricucci comes highly recommended by Hyattsville City Police where he was employed as a dispatcher. He will shortly graduate from Maryland University with a degree in Law Enforcement. His employment will bring the department to its total authorized strength of 20 uniformed officers.

However, the department will not stay at full strength very long, as Sgt. Thomas VanValkenburgh has submitted his resignation effective May 21.

He has accepted a post with New Mexico State Police as a Crime Scene Specialist. Sgt. VanValkenburgh, a 10 year veteran of Greenbelt's force, will be missed especially for his work with City youths. He received his Bachelor of Science Degree from the University of Maryland this week. In an effort to quickly fill the vacancy, background investigations will be conducted on several applicants who took examinations recently.

Word was received this week by the department that a former member has been honored by the State Police. William Vogel, who was with the department for over three years, has been chosen Trooper of the Year for the second time at the Forestville Barracks of Maryland State Police and Trooper of the Year for the entire State.

Officers Charles Watkins, Michael Craddock and M. Douglas Sappington graduated on May 6 from the Basic Entrance Level Training Class that was conducted at the Sparrows Point Police Academy in Baltimore for the past ten weeks. The three officers have consistently remained at the top of the class throughout the course. City manager Giese, Chief Lane and Lt. Krob attended graduation exercises held at the Academy. The officers are now back on street duty which will help alleviate manpower shortages.

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Women's Political Caucus To Hold Annual Meeting

The Md. Women's Political Caucus will hold its annual meeting on Sat., May 14, at 2 p.m. at the Greenbelt Library.

Senator Rosalie Abrams of Baltimore City and Delegate Pauline Menes of Prince Georges County will address the group on the issue "Recent Legislation Affecting the Battered Woman". During the 1977 session of the Maryland Assembly, Senator Abrams sponsored legislation to create a model shelter for abused spouses; Delegate Menes sponsored a resolution requiring police to keep specific records of spousal assaults. A discussion and question and answer session will follow the presentation.

The Prince Georges County Women's Political Caucus is co-sponsoring the program. Public invited.

Orlinsky To Be Speaker At Democratic Club Mtg.

As part of its gubernatorial candidates series, the Eleanor and Franklin Roosevelt Democratic Club will have as its guest speaker on Friday, May 20, the Hon. Walter S. Orlinsky, President of the Baltimore City Council. The meeting will be held at 8 p.m. at the Greenbriar Community Building.

Orlinsky, a graduate of the Johns Hopkins U., and the U. of Md. School of Law has lectured extensively on urban problems.

Elected president of the Baltimore city council in November 1971 and re-elected by an 85% majority in 1975, Orlinsky also served five years in the Maryland House of Delegates.


A question and-answer period after Orlinsky's address will be followed by a social hour.

FOR
AUDIT COMMITTEE
 ELECT
BOBBI McCARTHY

- Current member of Audit Committee
- Active in legislative affairs
- Dedicated to making GHI a fine & affordable community for both young & old.

GHI's Annual Meeting is May 18 Come & Participate!!
 By authority of candidate

RE-ELECT
ARTHUR E. GROPP
 6-H Crescent Rd.
 for third term to the
AUDIT COMMITTEE
 Member: GHI Aesthetics and Environment Committee: Ad Hoc Investigating Panel



Will continue to work for sound Administration and Fiscal Planning; home improvements, and preservation of the community.
 By authority of the candidate

VOTE MAY 18-19
George E. Taube
 Candidate for G.H.I. Audit Committee

Pledges to work for:
 Better project planning,
 Efficient financial management,
 Sound fiscal planning for our future and
 Thorough commitment for improvement.

by auth. of candidate



RE-ELECT TO THE GHI BOARD
STEPHEN POLASCHIK

WORKS FOR:

- Better maintenance services at less cost through quality control
- Protecting members' investments through long-range improvements of properties
- Making sure that all members get equal treatment by GHI

EXPERIENCED SPEAKS OUT COMMUNITY-MINDED

Please attend GHI Annual Meeting on May 18 at Center School. Voting also on May 19 at GHI Offices.
 by authority of candidate



City Voter Registration

by Gudrun H. Mills, City Clerk
On Tuesday, September 20, 1977 a regular election will be held in the City of Greenbelt to elect the five members of the City Council for the 1977-1979 term. Greenbelt elections are non-partisan, and all Council Members will be elected at large.

Candidates for office must be qualified registered voters of the City of Greenbelt, and persons wishing to vote must be registered with the city. Registration with Prince George's County qualifies for county, state and national elections only. If in doubt, check with the City Clerk's office - 474-3870 or 474-8000.

RE-ELECT MARY CLARKE To G.H.I. Board of Directors SUPPORT



by authority of candidate

G.H.I. General Meeting May 18 — Election Continues May 19

- initiative in long range planning to control maintenance costs and preserve our community
- continued efforts to improve communication with members
- coordination with area universities to take advantage of academic expertise at no expense to G.H.I.

GREENBELT IS SPECIAL

We live in Greenbelt because it is a special place — different from the conventional suburban community. My efforts in GHI have been directed toward making sure we don't lose the special things that make up GHI. Two conditions require attention — environmental and economic.

The environment is one of the things which makes Greenbelt unique. The attractive lake, the parks and open spaces, the remarkable inner walkways and underpasses, the mature trees, the sturdily-built homes; all set us apart from other communities. These must be preserved.

Economically, Greenbelt is also special because its moderately priced homes allow people of various occupations and incomes to live together in the same community. However, our homes, built in the thirties and forties, require special attention to maintain them in sound condition while keeping monthly charges as low as possible.

These are the goals toward which I will continue to work if elected.

REELECT DON VOLK TO THE GHI BOARD OF DIRECTORS VOTE

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or

the next day, Thursday May 19, at the GHI Administration Building on Hamilton Pl.



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ELECT HENRY R. FISHER

To the G.H.I. Board of Directors



- A man with experience and know-how, dedicated with concern for all GHI members.
- He will be looking for efficiency, effectiveness and for top performance of all GHI employees.
- He will work for a leveling or reduction of the monthly charges upon the mortgage pay-off.
- A re-look at this new inspection of homes with easier guidelines to the code for members to follow with fairness to the seller and buyer
- He will give deep consideration and see that there is a definite guarantee to all contracts or recommendations proposed by management.
- A lowering of second mortgage interest rate.
- He is retired . . . has very much time
- Henry says, Do not fail him and Henry, always concerned, says "stay well".

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by auth. candidate

Notice of Public Hearing Proposed Budgets - Fiscal Year 1977/78

A public hearing has been scheduled for

Monday, May 23, at 8:00 P.M.

By the City Council of Greenbelt

Concerning the Proposed Budgets for FY 1977/78

For the General Fund, Revenue Sharing Fund and

Each of the other funds of the City

General Fund Budget Summary

REVENUES

1. Taxes	\$1,121,600
2. Licenses and Permits	29,550
3. Revenues from Other Agencies	564,125
4. Service Charges for Current Services	252,300
5. Fines & Forfeitures	14,500
6. Miscellaneous Revenues	21,625
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Total Revenues	\$2,003,700
Surplus Applied	56,700
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TOTAL	\$2,060,400

EXPENDITURES

10. General Government	\$ 242,300
11. Public Safety	498,600
12. Public Works	416,700
15. Social Services	67,700
18. Recreation & Parks	445,400
24. Miscellaneous	139,100
25. Debt Service	126,800
26. Reserves	123,800
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TOTAL	\$2,060,400

PROPOSED USES FOR REVENUE SHARING FUNDS

Expenditures

1. To Reimburse General Fund for Portion of Debt Service	\$ 40,000
2. Roof Maintenance - Youth Center	13,000
3. Bathroom Fixtures for Youth Center	3,000
4. Tennis Court Surface Maintenance - Lakecrest Courts \$7,000 Braden Field Cts. 1,000	8,000
5. Ballfield Materials - Landfill 6,500 North End School 8,500	15,000
6. Park Bridge Materials	5,000
7. Other Capital Outlay - To Be Determined*	10,000
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TOTAL	\$ 94,000

*Undetermined Capital Outlay Expenditure could be utilized for a portion of the following list:

1. Electronic fire alerting devices for firemen - Pocket pagers up to	\$ 8,500
2. Lounge chairs for swimming pool	7,500
3. Additional police patrol vehicle - Station wagon for shift commander	5,000
4. Rip-rap material for peninsula	2,500
5. Capital outlay equipment items in General Fund budget (except police cars) up to	10,000

The Hearing will be held at the Municipal Building, 25 Crescent Road, Greenbelt, Maryland. All persons wishing to appear before the Council will be heard.

Copies of the proposed budgets and the City Manager's message are available at the City Offices, 25 Crescent Road, and may be obtained Monday thru Friday, 8 A.M. to 4:30 P.M. Copies will also be available at the hearing.

Gudrun H. Mills
City Clerk

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