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## CITY OF FARMINGTON COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS (Summary)

A Regular Meeting of the Farmington City Council was called to order at 8:00 P.M. Monday, March 1, 1976, by Mayor John H. Richardson. Councilmen Bennett, Hartsock, Richardson, Tupper and Yoder were present. City Officials present were City Manager Deadman, Director Jones, City Engineer Frank Pappas and Clerk Viane.

Minutes of the previous meeting were approved.

Minutes of other boards were received and filed.

Mr. George Bowman, Chairman of the Farmington Youth Assistance, submitted the 1975 Annual Report and explained their activities.

The First Baptist Church, 3340 Shawnee, have requested that the City Council consider either selling or leasing the property directly north of the Church property to the First Baptist Church for use as a parking area for church members.

City Manager Deadman was directed to prepare information on the property in question for Council's consideration.

The following Resolutions were adopted:

Awarding Bid for construction of stairs at the Shawnee City Park to L.W. Peters Concrete Service; funds to be provided from Community Development Funds and 1975-76 General Fund Budget.

Naming National Bank of Detroit as Paying Agent for the \$25,000.00 1975 Motor Vehicle Highway Fund bond issue.

Authorizing the Appointment of Orchard, Pappas, Hitz and McChesney as Engineers for the Sewer Separation Project.

The following Proclamations were issued:

FARMINGTON COMMUNITY CENTER FUND DRIVE MONTH—Month of MARCH

KEEP FARMINGTON BEAUTIFUL MONTH—Month of MAY

City Manager Deadman advised that the lawsuit between the Estate of Frederick R. Seale vs. the City of Farmington had been dismissed.

Revision on Proposed Street Lighting for Farmington Road and Grand River Avenue was tabled until the first meeting in April.

City Manager Deadman was authorized to contact the Insurance Service Bureau of Michigan for a survey of the fire protection system within the City for the purpose of establishing a new Fire Protection Classification for the City.

The following Ordinance was introduced and adopted:

ORDINANCE NO. 100-179

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND TRAFFIC CONTROL ORDERS THE CITY OF FARMINGTON ORDAINS

That the Traffic Control Orders issued by the Chief of Police of the City of Farmington dated February 4, 1972, are hereby amended as follows: Chapter 1, Sections 1.1 and 1.11, Chapter 2, Section 2.1, Chapter 3, Section 3.3, and Chapter 4, Section 4.10 as provided for in Section 233 of the Uniform Traffic Code for Cities, Townships and Villages.

CHAPTER 1 "STOP" STREETS Record the following

Section 1.1 SHAWNEE

Shawnee at Lakeway

Section 1.11 WARNER FARMS SUBDIVISION

Slocum at Flanders

CHAPTER 2 "YIELD RIGHT OF WAY" STREETS Add the following

Section 2.1 MISCELLANEOUS

Locust at Shawnee

CHAPTER 3 "REGULATIONS PROHIBITING PARKING AT ANYTIME" Add the following

Section 3.3 LIBERTY STREET

(a) East Side from State Street north to Grand River Avenue

CHAPTER 4 "PROHIBITING U-TURNS" Add the following

Section 4.10 LOCUST DRIVE

(a) Left Turn shall be Prohibited from Locust Drive onto Shawnee St.

This Ordinance was declared to be an Emergency Ordinance which is immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety.

This Ordinance was introduced and read at a Regular Meeting of the Farmington City Council on March 1, 1976 and will become effective immediately.

AYES: Hartsock, Richardson, Tupper, Yoder, Bennett

NAYS: None

Monthly Bills were approved as submitted.

Meeting was adjourned at 9:30 P.M.

JOHN H. RICHARDSON, Mayor  
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# Salem crushed

By BILL COLLINS

In a battle of state-ranked basketball powers, the Plymouth Salem Rockets ended their season prematurely by losing to a cross-town rival 1976 Salem squad, 75-70, before an overflow crowd of 1,700 at Southfield High School Thursday evening in the district semi-finals.

Plymouth's blend of consistent scoring and perimeter defense was the prime factor supporting the Knights' 38th victory in 21 meetings and 12th in a row.

Blomfield connected on 31 per cent of its field goal attempts, while Plymouth could basket on only 41 per cent from the floor, 10 per cent before the team's season finale.

"We played a very fine ball game. I feel their size was a definite factor—we just felt that we should've played them a little closer," said Salem Coach Fred Tetter.

Lakeway crushed to a 29-0 first quarter lead, getting some free shooting underneath the basket and from the perimeter to control the momentum of the opening session.

The Rockets were bothered by a tenacious defensive effort on the part of Lakeway, and were unable to get the shots they wanted.

IN THE EARLY moments of the second quarter, Lakeway began committing turnovers which the Rockets converted into points that helped spur a second-quarter rally.

Trailing 25-13, Salem freshman guard Rich Hewitt entered the game and assumed the role of sparkplug, leading Plymouth's resurgence by heaving a pair of 26-footers and earning five free throws.

A driving layup by Bob Evans tied the contest at 25-all, and the match was heated at 25 when Hewitt sank two free throws.

The Knights moved to a three-point intermission margin of 34-31 when Dave Bennett came up with a three-point play.

The most outstanding physical feature of Lakeway was its height. The trio of Mark Prinsie, 6-4; Dave Bennett, 6-4; and Mark Oetlich, 6-4, combined for 30 points and controlled the glass defensively to deny the Rockets a second chance on many of their shots.

Jim Ellinghausen, Salem's 6-4 all-state candidate, was hounded by Bennett throughout the game and hit on eight of 24 attempts from the floor, yet he was able to take game scoring honors with 23 points.

Ellinghausen drew his fourth foul early in the third quarter, and the Knights went back to controlling the play as they had done in the first period.

STEVE KENDRICK came off the bench for Lakeway to score 11 points in the second half as Blomfield displayed its speed by outscoring Salem, 19-16 in the third quarter and 25-16 in the final frame, to put them in the district finale against Southfield (12-1).

If Lakeway wins Saturday, it will be re-matched in the regional semi-finals against Southfield Lakeway, the only team to defeat the Knights during the season.

Salem winds up its fourth season under the direction of Fred Thomsen with 29 victories and two losses.

"Anytime you win 29 ballgames in a season, you've been successful," said Thomsen.

"We did accomplish our primary goal—that was to win the Suburban Flight championship for the third year in a row," he added.

Thomsen has coached at Plymouth Salem four years, and the record speaks for his success. He has coached the most significant mark of any high school coach in the state since 1972 with 71 wins against 14 losses.

Jim Ellinghausen finished his three-year varsity career as Plymouth Salem's all-time leading scorer with 1,000 points.

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As for next season's edition of the Plymouth Salem rivalry, the Rockets remain committed. "We'll have four juniors, two sophomores and a freshman coming back from this year's squad, plus a handful of JV players that will play as well as we. We're going to have a different kind of team next year."

Salem—Lakeway

Blomfield 38th: Jim Ellinghausen 21, 7-13; Rich Hewitt 21, 5-8; Bob Evans 10, 4-8; Tom Ellinghausen 12, 2-7; Brian Walcott 12, 4-4; Mike Prinsie 12, 4-4; 2. Mark Oetlich 12, 4-4; 2. Total: 75 field goals of 51 attempts for 41 per cent, 13 of 18 free throws for 72 per cent, 20 points.

Blomfield 1976: Lakeway 75; Mark Oetlich 6, 5-17; Mark Prinsie 8, 11-17; Dave Bennett 5, 5-13; Dave Bennett 4, 5-12; Steve K Kendrick 11, 11-11; Al Brandt 1, 4-4; 2. Rich Hewitt 1, 4-4; 2. Jim Ellinghausen 1, 4-4; 2. Total: 39 field goals of 36 attempts for 51 per cent, 14 of 18 free throws for 77 per cent, 76 points.

Totals: Plymouth Salem 30, Blomfield 1976: Lakeway 13, Fined Out: Ellinghausen 15; Walcott 15; Lakeway 10; 13-18 72; 20-28 72; Salem 9-22 41; 48

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