

## Bond issue hinges on Headlee decision

Oakland County's Parks and Recreation Commission adopted a resolution Friday to allow the Building Authority to seek public sale of \$1.2 million in bond as necessary financing for purchase of the Glen Oaks Golf Course and adjacent property.

"If the Headlee Amendment (Proposition 13) passes in Tuesday's election, it will have the net effect of rendering the bonds null and void," Eric Reitel, commission manager warned. "They will never come to sale then because recreation will be such a low priority."

The Headlee Amendment requires public approval for local bonds issued beyond those already authorized.

The Building Authority agreed in previous action to the loan of the matching funds and to seek the bond issue. The Board of Commissioners' Finance Committee authorized the Park and Recreation action.

If the bonds cannot be issued, the money that would have been repaid by the bonds will then have to be reimbursed by the Parks and Recreation Commission at the rate of \$300,000 a year for four years. This also is a contingency in the event that not all the bonds are sold, in which case the difference will have to be made up by the commission, a spokesman said.

Closing date set for the property purchase from the owner, the Moslem Temple is Nov. 14.

The total \$2.4 million purchase of the property was assured Oct. 23, when the Parks and Recreation Commission was granted one-half the purchase price (\$1.2 million) in the \$6.7 million Capital Outlay Bill signed by Governor William Milliken. Developing urban recreational facilities is emphasized by the bill.

## Obituaries

### BLAIRA MILLER

Services for Mr. Miller, 65, were Oct. 28 at Our Lady of Sorrows Church, Farmington. Officiating was Msgr. Thomas Beahan.

Burial was in Glen Eden Cemetery, Livonia.

Survivors include his wife, Grace; sons, Kenneth, Ronnis, Gary, Richard and Dennis; and daughters, Marilyn and Sharon. He also had 11 surviving brothers and sisters.

### BEATRICE HENRY

Services for Mrs. Henry, 82, were Oct. 28 at Thayer-Rock Funeral Home. Officiating was the Rev. David Williamson of Detroit Unity Temple. Burial was in Grand Lawn Cemetery.

Mrs. Henry, a native of London, England, was a 40-year resident of Farmington. She most recently made her home with her only daughter, Mrs. Marjorie Jensen, in Cheboygan.

She was a former president and life member of the Farmington Garden Club. During World War II, she served as a Grey Lady at Mt. Carmel Hospital.

Survivors also include two grandchildren and five great-grandchildren. The family suggests contributions to the American Cancer Society.

### ALICE MAE STROHM

Services for Mrs. Strohm, 76, were held Oct. 27 at Thayer-Rock Funeral Home with the Rev. J. Kenneth Hoffmeister officiating.

Burial was at Glen Eden Memorial Park.

Mrs. Strohm, a native of Canada, was an area resident for 49 years. She belonged to the Blue Star Mothers.

Survivors are: husband, Raymond; daughters, Mrs. Marion Tubbali, Mrs. Geraldine Hoffman, Mrs. Mary Jean Whitmore; sons, John S. and Jerry Filoot; and a sister, Mrs. Hazel Jones.



Rosina Pange, 85, has made a point of becoming a mainstay at North Farmington football games over the years by cheering on her grandchildren. Here, she talks with grandson Mike Miller after a recent game. (Staff photo)

## Rosie the rooter spurs on Raiders

Ask any grandmother and she is sure to have a picture of all family offspring in her wallet.

But ask Mrs. Rosina Pange of Miami, Fla., and she is more likely to show you a picture of North Farmington High School's entire football squad, even cheerleaders, and especially this year's leading rusher, Mike Miller, her grandson.

Mrs. Pange hasn't missed a North Farmington football game in the years

in which both the Miller grandsons, Bob, first, and now Mike, have played.

Bob, who graduated two years ago is now a student at Ferris State (and out for track) and Mike is a North Farmington senior. They are sons of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Miller of the Canterbury Commons subdivision.

"Enthusiastic," "always ringing her cowbell" (until the clapper broke); and "almost like the team's mascot," is the way the kids describe her.

Mrs. Pange doesn't confine her activities to being a spectator and delivering hugs and kisses at a winning game. She is a member of the football mothers with her daughter, Rosemarie (Mike's mother, and appears often at school before classes to help man the table selling booster items.

Since her Farmington grandsons became members of junior varsity or varsity teams (and at one time she attended both), she has made her yearly visits to her Michigan family during the fall season. (She used to come summers to cheer them on in summer League baseball.)

Now she spends summers with the families of three sons living in Connecticut.

After Christmas, it is back to Miami for the winter for Rosie the Rooter. 30

## Handleman, Seligman head campaign

Two suburban Detroit men, David Handleman and Irving R. Seligman, have been named general chairmen of the 1979 Allied Jewish Campaign-Israel Emergency Fund. The appointments were announced by Jewish Welfare Federation President Martin E. Citrin.

As general chairmen, Handleman and Seligman will oversee the annual fund-raising drive in the Detroit area, which benefits more than 60 local, national and overseas humanitarian agencies.

Handleman, a resident of Bloomfield Hills, and Seligman, who lives in Farmington Hills, were co-chairmen of the 1978 drive which netted more than \$17 million.

Handleman is on the executive committee of Jewish Welfare Federation of Detroit and is chairman of that organization's Capital Needs Committee. He is vice-president of United Jewish Communities and serves with the Jewish Community Foundation.

He sits on the board of directors of the HIAS and the board of trustees of the American Jewish Committee.

## Hills student helps in CMU ho mecoming

The talent show in Central Michigan University's recent homecoming celebration was organized by Lisa Davis, a junior from Farmington Hills.

Ms. Davis is the daughter of Lou and John Szwarcroft, 29100 Lori Kay Drive.

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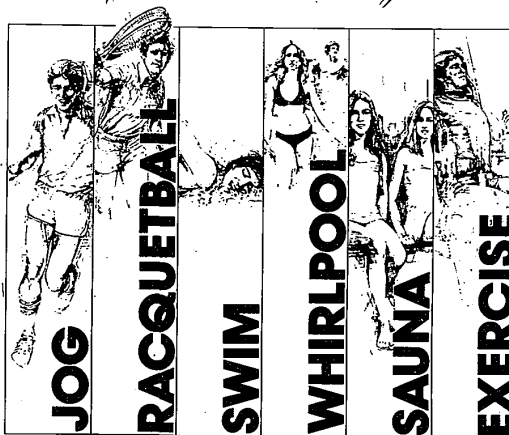


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