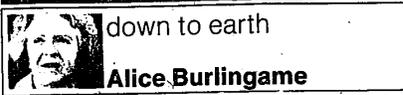


Stir that compost heap regularly



down to earth

Alice Burlingame

flower beds. Some of our gardeners have a shredder which can assure the gardener of loads of rich soil in the spring when composted after shredding.

If you go the compost route with your leaves, remember to add some fertilizer and some top soil on the layers of leaves for bacteria action. Frequent stirring of the heap with a tool allows some air to penetrate which aids the decomposing forces. If you

purchased wire "tomato cages" you can have a neat compost pile by placing the leaves in the circular enclosure.

WHILE WE are on practical tips you might use this one: An old metal tire rim at the base of a downspout filled with gravel will control the runoff.

We know that rabbits like to gnaw at the trunks of young trees. If you spread epsom salts around the circumference

of the tree, it will deter them. Not too long ago I told you to use epsom salts around your roses to encourage bloom.

In the herb department, sweet marjoram makes an excellent house plant as does mint. When you are cooking steak or fish you might like to make a paste with some oregano, a tablespoon of corn oil and a sprinkling of corn meal made of finely chopped marjoram and mint. Spread it on top of the meat.

Another mix from your garden is to chop up a cup of mint leaves, cover with apple cider vinegar, add a tablespoon of dark sugar plus salt and pepper. The mix will keep and is ideal to serve with lamb.

ANNUAL REPORT FOR CLARENCEVILLE SCHOOL DISTRICT

As of JUNE 30, 1980

Clarenceville School District of Oakland and Wayne Counties

GENERAL FUND BALANCE SHEET

	JUNE 30	
	1980	1979
ASSETS		
Cash on hand	\$500	\$500
Cash in bank	908,647	868,350
Investments in commercial paper and savings deposit receipts	425,000	390,000
Accounts receivable:		
Federal	49,446	49,716
Other	66,883	76,494
Taxes receivable	171,002	210,652
Inventories - At cost	84,249	76,829
Due from other funds	9,125	12,803
Prepaid expenditures	40,654	28,594
Deferred bus costs	94,041	82,555
Accrued interest receivable	1,838	4,343
Total assets	\$1,851,385	\$1,800,536
LIABILITIES		
Note payable	\$1,000,000	\$950,000
Accounts payable	88,787	29,364
Salaries payable	388,526	398,259
Salary withholdings payable	134,754	346
Accrued expenses	73,375	66,098
Deposits	12,188	10,980
Total liabilities	1,697,630	1,453,157
DEFERRED REVENUES		
Federal programs	941	22,403
Summer School	3,151	2,140
Total deferred revenues	4,092	24,543
FUND EQUITY	149,663	322,836
Total liabilities, deferred revenues and fund equity	\$1,851,385	\$1,800,536

BUILDING AND SITE FUND BALANCE SHEET

	JUNE 30	
	1980	1979
ASSETS		
Cash in bank	\$27	\$10
Investment in savings deposit receipt	3,739	8,400
Accrued interest receivable	—	554
Total assets	\$3,766	\$8,964
FUND EQUITY	\$3,766	\$8,964

STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGE IN FUND EQUITY

	YEAR ENDED JUNE 30	
	1980	1979
REVENUES - Interest on investment	\$302	\$378
EXPENDITURES - Remodeling	5,500	—
EXCESS REVENUES (EXPENDITURES)	(5,198)	378
FUND EQUITY - Beginning of year	8,964	8,586
FUND EQUITY - End of year	\$3,766	\$8,964

DEBT RETIREMENT FUNDS BALANCE SHEETS

	1980		1979	
	ASSETS	BOND ISSUES	ASSETS	BOND ISSUES
Cash in bank	\$14,735	\$121,074	—	—
Investment in commercial paper	120,000	—	—	—
Taxes receivable	22,344	31,903	—	—
Due from other funds	—	—	—	—
Total assets	\$157,079	\$152,977	\$—	\$—
LIABILITIES - Due to other funds	\$—	\$—	157,079	152,977
FUND EQUITY	\$157,079	\$152,977	\$157,079	\$152,977
Total liabilities and fund equity	\$157,079	\$152,977	\$157,079	\$152,977

	YEAR ENDED JUNE 30	
	1980	1979
REVENUES		
Local sources	\$3,808,990	\$3,357,081
State sources	1,447,328	1,657,699
Federal sources	157,398	172,265
County special education	(38,485)	70,267
Sale of school property	2,853	9,414
Total revenues	5,377,994	5,266,726

	YEAR ENDED JUNE 30	
	1980	1979
EXPENDITURES		
Instructional	3,061,351	3,090,258
Support services	2,248,712	2,215,177
Transfers to School Service Fund	83,708	69,336
Federal projects	157,398	4,344
Other nonprogram charges	598	1,076
Total expenditures	5,551,167	5,378,186

	YEAR ENDED JUNE 30	
	1980	1979
EXCESS EXPENDITURES OTHER REVENUES	(173,173)	(111,459)
FUND EQUITY - Beginning of year	322,836	434,295
FUND EQUITY - End of year	\$149,663	\$322,836

DEBT RETIREMENT FUNDS STATEMENTS OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGE IN FUND EQUITY

	YEAR ENDED JUNE 30	
	1980	1979
REVENUES		
Current property tax levy	\$467,125	\$470,471
Interest on:		
Delinquent taxes	989	1,005
Investments	27,403	22,311
State aid	8,788	18,218
Total revenues	504,315	512,005
EXPENDITURES		
Bond principal	320,000	315,000
Bond interest	178,620	191,755
Paying agent fees and other expense	1,593	2,703
Total expenditures	500,213	509,458
EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER EXPENDITURES	4,102	2,547
FUND EQUITY - Beginning of year	152,977	150,430
FUND EQUITY - End of year	\$157,079	\$152,977

As stipulated by the Laws of Michigan, each year the school district must publish the results of the past fiscal year. The report shown is a composite of the annual audit conducted by a certified public accounting firm.

The Board of Education has reviewed the financial status of the District with the auditors and is satisfied that the projected deficit for 1979-80 was reduced substantially by some cost saving changes made during the year.

This past school year found the Clarenceville Board of Education making some very difficult decisions in order to keep the school district financially solvent and bring us into a balanced budget for 1980-81.

As a result of declining enrollment, additional loss of state aid and the ever rising costs of doing business, the following actions were taken.

- Moved the administrative offices into the Clarenceville Junior High School as an energy saving measure.
- Closed one elementary school resulting in staff reduction and utility savings.
- Asked for and received an additional one mill for operating expenses.
- Reduced some activities that had little effect on the academic areas.

As a result of these moves, the Clarenceville School District will have a balanced budget for 1980-81.

CITY OF FARMINGTON

GENERAL ELECTION

To the Qualified Electors:
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,
That a General Election

will be held in the
City of Farmington
County of Oakland, State of Michigan
within said City on

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 1980

AT THE PLACE OR PLACES OF HOLDING THE ELECTION IN SAID CITY AS INDICATED BELOW, VIZ:

- PRECINCT NO. 1 - FARMINGTON CITY HALL, 23600 LIBERTY STREET
- PRECINCT NO. 2 - AMERICAN LEGION HALL, 13775 GRAND RIVER AVENUE
- PRECINCT NO. 3 - FARMINGTON SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL, 32000 SHAWASSEE STREET
- PRECINCT NO. 4 - FLANDERS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL, 32600 FLANDERS STREET
- PRECINCT NO. 5 - LONGACRE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL, 34850 ARUNDEL STREET
- PRECINCT NO. 6 - FARMINGTON TRAINING CENTER, 33000 THOMAS STREET

FOR THE PURPOSE OF ELECTING THE FOLLOWING OFFICERS, VIZ:

NATIONAL
President and Vice-President of the United States.
CONGRESSIONAL
Representative in Congress.
LEGISLATIVE
State Representative.

STATE
Two Members of the State Board of Education, Two Regents of the University of Michigan, Two Trustees of Michigan State University, Two Governors of Wayne State University.

COUNTY
Prosecuting Attorney, Sheriff, County Clerk, County Treasurer, Register of Deeds, Drain Commissioner, County Commissioner and such other Officers as are elected at that time.
AND ALSO ANY ADDITIONAL OFFICERS THAT MAY BE ON THE BALLOT

AND ALSO TO VOTE ON THE FOLLOWING NON-PARTISAN OFFICERS, VIZ:

TWO JUSTICES OF THE SUPREME COURT
JUDGES OF THE COURT OF APPEALS
AND ALSO IN COUNTIES ELECTING:
CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE
PROBATE COURT JUDGE
DISTRICT COURT JUDGE

AND ALSO TO VOTE ON THE FOLLOWING STATE PROPOSALS:

PROPOSAL A
PROPOSAL TO MAKE LOCAL SCHOOL BOARDS RESPONSIBLE FOR SCHOOL PERSONNEL AND PROGRAMS, TO REDUCE LOCAL PROPERTY TAX MAXIMUMS FOR OPERATIONAL PURPOSES, TO PROVIDE ADDITIONAL PROPERTY TAX RELIEF FOR SENIOR RETIREES, AND REQUIRE THE STATE TO RAISE REVENUES NECESSARY FOR EQUAL PER-PUPIL FUNDING OF PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

PROPOSAL B
PROPOSAL TO REDUCE LEGAL DRINKING AGE.

PROPOSAL C
PROPOSAL TO PROVIDE PROPERTY TAX RELIEF; TO REIMBURSE LOCAL AND STATE GOVERNMENTS WITH ADDITIONAL SALES TAX; TO MANDATE NET STATE LOTTERY REVENUE FOR SCHOOLS; AND MANDATE STATE "RAINY-DAY" FUND.

PROPOSAL D
PROPOSAL TO DECREASE PROPERTY TAXES AND PROHIBIT NEW TYPES OF HOMESTEAD TAXES; TO REQUIRE 60% VOTER APPROVAL TO RAISE STATE TAXES OR FEES; TO REQUIRE PARTIAL STATE REIMBURSEMENT TO LOCAL UNITS FOR LOST INCOME; TO LIMIT LEGISLATURE'S ABILITY TO CHANGE TAX EXEMPTIONS OR CREDITS OR CHANGE PER-PUPIL FORMULA.

PROPOSAL E
PROPOSAL TO CONSTRUCT FOUR REGIONAL PRISON FACILITIES, DEMOLISH THE MICHIGAN REFORMATORY, EFFECT OTHER STATE AND LOCAL CORRECTIONAL PURPOSES, DEVELOP PREVENTIVE PROGRAMS, AND PROVIDE THE FUNDS THEREFOR BY INCREASING THE STATE INCOME TAX BY 1/10 OF 1% FOR 5 YEAR PERIOD.

PROPOSAL G
PROPOSAL TO ALLOW THE LEGISLATURE TO PASS LAWS RELATING TO THEIR CONSTITUTIONAL EXEMPTION FROM CIVIL ARREST DURING LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS.

PROPOSAL H
PROPOSAL TO RESTRICT THE AUTHORITY OF THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR AND SET UP A PROCEDURE TO FILL A VACANCY IN THE OFFICE OF LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR.

ALSO THE FOLLOWING CITY OF FARMINGTON PROPOSAL:

PROPOSAL TO AMEND CHAPTER 8, SECTION 8.2, PARAGRAPH 1, AND SECTION 8.4 OF CHAPTER 8 OF THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF FARMINGTON SHALL THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF FARMINGTON BE AMENDED TO ALLOW THE CITY MANAGER TO PREPARE AND SUBMIT TO THE CITY COUNCIL THE RECOMMENDED BUDGET BY THE THIRD MONDAY IN APRIL OF EACH YEAR; AND THE CITY COUNCIL TO ADOPT A BUDGET NOT BEFORE MAY FIRST NOR LATER THAN THE FIRST MONDAY IN JUNE OF EACH YEAR?

ALSO ANY ADDITIONAL AMENDMENTS OR PROPOSITIONS THAT MAY BE SUBMITTED

THE POLLS of said election will be open at 7 o'clock a.m. and will remain open until 8 o'clock p.m. of said day of election.

NEDRA VIANE
City Clerk