

# obituaries

## Mary T. LeBlanc

Mrs. LeBlanc, 93, of Orchard Lake (formerly of Farmington Hills), died July 5.

She was a homemaker. Survivors include four daughters: Mary Higgins of Walled Lake, Ann L. Tubbs of Lake City, Janet Lerg of Southfield and Frances Pare of Brighton; one son, Paul of Walled Lake; two sisters; 18 grandchildren and 28 great-grandchildren. Services were July 7 at St. Michael's Catholic Church, Southfield, with the Rev. Bert Heide officiating. Interment was in Holy Sepulchre Cemetery, Southfield. Arrangements were handled by Thayer-Rock Funeral Home, Farmington.

## Richard Douglas Bedson

Mr. Bedson, 63, of Farmington Hills died July 7 in the same house he was born in.

He was a machine shop toolmaker and a Navy veteran. Survivors include one brother, John of California; one sister-in-law, Vera Bedson; one nephew, Jim of Farmington Hills; and one niece, Joanne Blondest of Farmington Hills. Funeral arrangements were handled by Thayer-Rock Funeral Home, Farmington. Interment was at Evergreen Cemetery, Detroit. The family asks that memorials be made to Alcoholics Anonymous.

## John H. Altama

Mr. Altama, 65, of Livonia (formerly of Farmington Township), died July 7.

He was head custodian for Clarenceville Public Schools.

Survivors include wife, Dorothy; one son, John of Canton; one sister, Dorothy Holland of Detroit; and one granddaughter.

Services were July 11 at Thayer-Rock Funeral Home, Farmington, with the Rev. Elmer Linnata of Apostolic Lutheran Church, Southfield, officiating. Burial was in Oakland Hills Memorial Gardens, Novi.

## Harold George Miller

Mr. Miller, 69, of Farmington Hills, died July 1.

He worked in delivery for Awrey Bakery, Livonia.

Survivors include his wife, Shirley; two sons, Gerald G. and Robert H.; one daughter, Judy Marinelli; one brother, Raymond; and five grandchildren. Memorial services were July 5 at Heene-Sundquist Funeral Home, Farmington, with the Rev. Ralph Unger of St. Paul Lutheran Church, Farmington Hills, officiating. The family asks that memorial tributes be made to the church.

Gordon Kenneth Paulson

Mr. Paulson, 62, of Farmington Hills, died June 30.

He was a security supervisor. Survivors include his wife, Shirley; three sons, Theodore A., Thomas G., and Daniel E.; one daughter, Margaret Zapotok; one brother, Arthur Paulson; his stepmother, Sophie Paulson; and seven grandchildren. Services were July 6 at Heene-Sundquist Funeral Home, Farmington, with the Rev. Elmer Linnata officiating. Interment was at Oakland Hills Memorial Gardens, Novi. The family asks that memorials be made to the Lupus Foundation or the Finnish Culture Association.

## George Roger Layne

Mr. Layne, 73, of Farmington died June 27.

He was a systems analyst. Survivors include his wife, Margaret J.; two daughters, Jonnith Smith and Darlie Gibson; two brothers, William and Frank; and one granddaughter.

Services were June 28 at Heene-Sundquist Funeral Home, Farmington, with the Rev. Edward Belczak officiating. Cremation followed.

## Fred J. Gaultin

Mr. Gaultin, 80, of Farmington Hills died June 27.

He was a welder in the automotive industry. He was a member of Knights of Columbus and the Third Order of St. Francis. Survivors include two sons, Joseph F. and Ralph A.; two daughters, Mary Buchanan and Catherine Thomas; two brothers, Herbert and Charles Gaultin; two sisters, Alma Woodburn and Bernice; 14 grandchildren; and 11 great-grandchildren. Services were in Deseronto, Ont., with burial in St. Mary's Cemetery, Kingston, Ontario, Canada.

## Harold Bowman

Mr. Bowman, 97, of Farmington died June 27.

He was an accountant. Survivors include three sons, William, James, Richard; 14 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren. Services were June 30 at Heene-Sundquist Funeral Home, Farmington.

ton, with the Rev. Dr. William A. Ritter of Nardin Park United Methodist Church, Farmington Hills, officiating. Burial was in Holy Sepulchre Cemetery, Southfield.

## Donald James Scott

Mr. Scott, 69, of Farmington died June 26.

He was a builder in the automotive industry.

Survivors include one sister, Eleanor Schneider; and many nieces and nephews. Services were June 29 at Heene-Sundquist Funeral Home, Farmington, with the Rev. Kean Cronin of Our Lady of Sorrows Church, Farmington, officiating. Burial was at Our Lady of Hope Cemetery, Wyandotte.

## August Martin Mangan

Mr. Mangan, 76, of Farmington died July 4.

He was a ball bearing company machinist. Survivors include his wife, Ruby L.; two daughters, Jan Ross Mangan and Roberta Kay Ross; one brother, John; two sisters, Rose O'Brien and Delphine Black; seven grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

Services were July 7 at Heene-Sundquist Funeral Home, Farmington, with Rev. Arthur J. Hunt of Ward Presbyterian Church, Livonia, and the Rev. Raymond Sax Fellowship Bible Church, Ann Arbor, officiating. Burial was in Washtenaw Cemetery, Ann Arbor. The family asks that memorials be made to Ward Presbyterian Church of the Fellowship Bible Church.

## Keith Grant Kester

Mr. Kester, 63, of Farmington Hills, died July 6.

He retired in 1980 from Ford Motor Co. after 31 years of service as an executive engineer and manager. He was emission controls manager at the Ford Automotive Assembly Division.

He was a 1943 graduate and class valedictorian of the Ford Trade School. He received a bachelor of science degree in mechanical engineering from Wayne State University and was the recipient of an American Legion Award.

Mr. Kester served in the Army Air

Force during World War II, in which he was a B-24 pilot and a commissioned officer by age 19.

Survivors are his wife, Frances; one son, Eric; two daughters, Kimberly A. Kester-Arnold and Lisa K. Kester; and one brother, George W. Kester.

A memorial service was July 9 at Rosedale Gardens Presbyterian Church, Livonia, with the Rev. Lawrence A. Martin officiating. Burial was at Glen Eden Memorial Park, Livonia. The family asks that memorials be made to Michigan Cancer Foundation, Heene-Sundquist Funeral Home, Farmington, handled arrangements.

## Nursing home workers suffer low morale, researcher says

AP — Nursing home workers suffer low morale and danger of self-esteem because their job is taking care of people shunned by society, concludes a University of Michigan researcher.

Elderly people who have become dependent lose respect in our society, which cherishes independence and self-sufficiency, said John E. Troman, a gerontologist and professor of social work.

The medical model of a U.S. nursing home holds that Americans only enter them if they are physically and medically desperate. The focus, therefore, tends to be on disability, dependence and death, Troman said.

Because of that negativity, nursing home employees are not positive about what they do and that, in turn, affects the quality of care, he said.

The staff must believe that their work is important, worthy and valued, he said.

He said it would help to shift the organizational model from medical to psycho-social. Many Danish nursing homes are based on a psycho-social model, providing emotional support and companionship, he said.

As a result, Troman said, Danish nursing home employees have a positive goal — ushering their clients back into life, not death.

Troman said U.S. nursing home employees must believe in the mission of their organization, which lies at the heart of quality work.

## CITY OF FARMINGTON HILLS PUBLIC NOTICE

The City of Farmington Hills 1988 Summer Tax Statements are payable July 1, 1988 through August 31, 1988.

This statement includes city taxes, community college taxes, 4% of the school taxes, and special assessments (if applicable).

Payments can be made at City Hall. The Treasurer's Office is open Monday through Friday from 8:30 to 4:30 p.m.

For the taxpayer's convenience, a night depository, located on the EAST WALL OF THE FRONT COURTYARD is available for after hours during regular business hours.

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By law, payments received by mail are recorded on the date actually received by the Treasurer. Payments received after August 31, 1988 will be considered a partial payment, and penalty bills will be mailed out.

Summer taxes may be deferred until February 1, 1989 by a senior citizen, paraplegic, quadriplegic, blind person, permanently disabled person, eligible serviceman, veteran or widow. Qualified persons can obtain application forms at the Treasurer's Office, or by calling 474-6115 X240.

CHARLES D. ROSCH  
Finance Director/Treasurer

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## CITY OF FARMINGTON COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS (Summary)

A regular meeting of the Farmington City Council was called to order by Mayor Tupper at 8:03 p.m. on June 20, 1988, in Council Chambers, 2360 Liberty Street, Farmington, Michigan.

PRESENT: Campbell, Richardson, Tupper, Yoder.

ABSENT: Haruoc.

OTHERS PRESENT: City Manager Desmond, Director Lauhoff, Assistant Director Gushman, Adm. Asst. Schultz, City Clerk Bushey.

Minutes of the previous meeting of June 20, 1988, were approved as written. Minutes of other boards were received and/or filed.

Council adopted a resolution supporting the City of Birmingham's position relative to legislation permitting local legislative bodies to enact ordinances to provide for emergency response cost recovery.

Council adopted a resolution concurring with the terms of the final order of abatement of the Evergreen/Farmington Interceptor pollution control facilities.

Councilwoman Richardson presented a report and conceptual drawings of the gasbo/pergola proposed for the downtown area.

Council approved the plan and authorized the Gasbo/Pergola Committee to undertake a fund-raising campaign for the project.

Council accepted the Black and Veatch proposal, approved the work plan for the Farmington Sewer System and authorized the appropriation of \$10,500 for the project.

Council introduced Ordinance No. C-557-88 amending the water and sewer rates as proposed.

Council authorized the issuance of a limited taxicab license to El Rodeo Limousine and Charter Service, Inc.

Council extended the benefits of the General Employee Retiree Health Insurance Program, effective July 1, 1988.

Council authorized the City Manager to draft an ordinance amending the Nuisance Ordinance relative to Air Conditioning and the Partition Fence Ordinance. Council waived the bid process and accepted the Motorola proposal for 25 Mini-Tor II radios at \$10,822.50.

Council authorized final payment of \$2,987.18 to SLS, Inc., on Contract A of the 1987 Street Project.

Public comments were heard.

Council received the General Fund and the 47th District Court financial reports for the eleven months ended May 31, 1988.

Monthly bills were approved for payment.

Meeting adjourned at 9:27 p.m.

RICHARD L. TUPPER, Mayor  
JOSEPHINE M. BUSHEY, City Clerk

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## CITY OF FARMINGTON HILLS SUMMARY OF PROCEEDINGS REGULAR CITY COUNCIL MEETING JULY 11, 1988

Mayor Soronen opened the regular meeting of the Farmington Hills City Council on July 11, 1988 at 7:30 p.m. Members present: Mayor Soronen, Mayor Pro-Tem Sever, Alkatieb, Dolan Fox, and Vagnoni. Members absent: Marks. Others present: City Manager Costick, City Clerk Reynolds, Assistant City Manager Galt, Director of Public Services Blaisell, and City Clerk Reynolds, Assistant City Manager Galt, Director of Public Services Blaisell, and City Attorney Bibeau.

Council approved the agenda, as amended.

Council rescinded traffic control orders establishing "No Parking" on Karen Place and on Nine Mile Road near Karen Place.

Council accepted Attorney's Report.

Council enacted Ordinance #C-35-88, to amend the uniform Traffic Code and revise penalties for violations for Operating Vehicles under the influence of liquor.

Council enacted Ordinance #C-28-88, to adopt the 1987 Edition of the BOCA Basic/National Building Code, with amendments.

Council enacted Ordinance #C-17-88, to adopt the 1987 Edition of the National Electrical Code (NFPA 70-1987), with Technical Amendments.

Council enacted Ordinance #C-28-88, to adopt the 1987 Edition of the BOCA Basic/National Plumbing Code, with amendments.

Council enacted Ordinance #C-29-88, to amend City Code to provide a 4% fee in lieu of taxes for Tapella II, Ltd. dividend housing association, limited partnership, Eight Mile Road, west of Gilt, Parcel 23-33-376-003.

Council postponed consideration of resolution regarding property tax, pending receipt of further information.

Council approved request of Farmington Lakes, Inc. to transfer ownership of 1987 Class C licenses business with Dance Permit at 30550 Nine Mile Road, Farmington Hills, from Country Lakes of Farmington, Inc.

Council introduced an ordinance to amend City Code Section 80.870 and add Section 80.071, Alarm System — False Alarms.

Council introduced an ordinance to amend City Code for conveyance of Hanaway property (23-33-328-004 and 005), located on Freedom Road between Drake and Gilt Roads.

Council adopted resolution regarding uniform sewer use and rate ordinance for the Evergreen-Farmington Sewage Disposal System.

Council adopted the BOCA Building Permit Fee Schedule and Revised Plan Review Schedule.

Council adopted Revised Clean-up Bond Schedule for new construction.

Council authorized issuance of purchase order for computer hardware and software.

Nyx Business Equipment, in the amount of \$13,106.15, for computer hardware.

Council adopted resolution to install a sanitary sewer line and establish a pay-back district for estimated cost of \$110,000 for Greenboro Street between Bond and Ravine Streets.

Council approved employment of David Wayne VanDyke as Seasonal Maintenance Laborer, in compliance with Article X, Section 10.01A of the City Charter.

Council approved the minutes of June 13 and 20, 1988, as published.

Meeting adjourned at 10:15 p.m.

JODY SORONEN, Mayor  
JOANN REYNOLDS, City Clerk

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