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## Class creations

Second graders Michael Levy (left), Jessica Biegeleman, Lauren Turner and E.J. Grossi, with some of the pumpkins they and their classmates in Bev Basso and Sue Foster's room at

Wooddale Elementary School in Farmington Hills decorated for Halloween. Dracula, Casper the Ghost, Oscar Grouch and Miss Witch are among the creations.

## Forms available for Trouble Shooting Contest

Applications are being accepted for the annual Plymouth/AAA Michigan Trouble Shooting Contest, enabling high school senior automotive students statewide to compete for more than \$750,000 in scholarships. During the competition, students

will take a written examination to determine who will participate next spring in the State Hands-On Contest. Winners of that event then qualify for national finals in Washington, D.C. No entry fee is required.

Application forms have been mailed to instructors with automotive technology programs.

Forms can be obtained by writing to AAA Michigan's Community Safety Services Department, One Auto

Club Drive, Dearborn, 48126.

Completed applications should be mailed to: Plymouth/AAA Michigan Trouble Shooting Contest, Computer Center, 11833 Brookfield Ave., Livonia 48150-1701 by Friday, Dec. 15.

## END-OF-SEASON CLEARANCE

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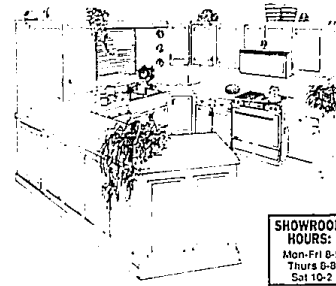
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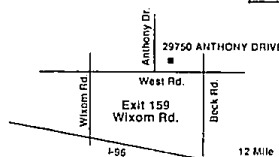
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### CITY OF FARMINGTON

#### SPECIAL ELECTION

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CITY OF FARMINGTON  
County of Oakland, State of Michigan  
on  
TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 1989

At the place or places of holding the election in said city/township as indicated below, viz:

- Precinct #1 — Farmington City Hall, 33600 Liberty Street  
Precinct #2 — Ten Mile Community School, 32789 W. Ten Mile  
Precinct #3 — Farmington Senior High School, 33000 Shawwassee  
Precinct #4 — Flanders Elementary School, 33600 Flanders Street  
Precinct #5 — Longacre Elementary School, 34850 Arundel  
Precinct #6 — Farmington Training Center, 33600 Thomas Street

For the purpose of voting on the following two proposals to amend the Constitution of the State of Michigan:

#### PROPOSAL A

A PROPOSAL TO INCREASE THE SALES/USE TAX FROM 4¢ TO 4½¢ PER DOLLAR AND CONSTITUTIONALLY DEDICATE FUNDS FOR LOCAL SCHOOLS

The proposed constitutional amendment would:

- 1) Constitutionally dedicate to schools:
  - a. ½¢ increase in sales/use tax;
  - b. Current statutory revenue sources, including lottery profits and some cigarette/liquor taxes;
  - c. Increased share of existing sales/use tax (51% to 68%) to substantially replace annual school appropriation.
- 2) Distribute dedicated funds to school districts as provided by law.
- 3) Activate increased statutory penalty to deny 100% of state funds to schools not adopting core curriculum and improvement plans.

Should this proposal be adopted?

#### PROPOSAL B

A PROPOSAL TO INCREASE THE SALES/USE TAX FROM 4¢ TO 6¢ PER DOLLAR, REDUCE SCHOOL PROPERTY TAXES, SET PERMANENT SCHOOL OPERATING MILLAGES NOT SUBJECT TO VOTER RENEWAL, AND CONSTITUTIONALLY DEDICATE FUNDS FOR LOCAL SCHOOLS

The proposed constitutional amendment would:

- 1) Constitutionally dedicate to schools:
  - a. 2¢ increase in sales/use tax;
  - b. Current statutory revenue sources, including lottery profits and some cigarette/liquor taxes;
  - c. Increased share of existing sales/use tax (51% to 75%) to substantially replace annual school appropriation.
- 2) Reduce property taxes in most school districts. Replace school taxes with permanent state millage (8-mills on residential/farms, 14-mills on businesses) plus non-voted local millage not subject to voter rollback. Limit voter-approved increases to 4-mills.
- 3) Set per-pupil funding guarantee subject to change by law requiring 2/3 vote.
- 4) Activate increased statutory penalty to deny all non-guaranteed state funds to schools not adopting core curriculum and improvement plans.

Should this proposal be adopted?

City offices which will appear on ballot

REGULAR CITY ELECTION  
FOR THE PURPOSE OF ELECTING THREE (3) COUNCILPERSONS

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.

JOSEPHINE M. BUSHEY, City Clerk

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