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C) The County does not now have, and really needs, a long range plan for improving and sustaining our quality of life by: - providing necessary infrastructure - particularly roads, waste disposal, and health services. - Improving public safety - particularly regarding crime prevention, drug abuse, and victims' rights. - Creating jobs and fostering economic diversification.

14TH COUNTY DISTRICT

TOMMY THOMSON, Democrat, 64, Rochester Hills. Graduate Texas A & M University. 41 years business experience. 38 years defense contractor. 21 years General Dynamics Corporation. 18 years supervision and management. Experienced recruiting, training, personnel administration, labor relations and management presentations.

A) Over \$8 million has been invested in County Solid Waste Plan. County commissioners have studied problem over 20 years yet no plan has been adopted leaving county without comprehensive program for the solid waste crisis. I do not have the answer, but this will be a major concern.

B) Consolidation of the Road Commission, Drain Commission, and Public Works Department would help in reducing duplication, saving a possible \$1 million. Restore bi partisan appointments to the Road Commission, then Oakland County can go to Lansing united to request a greater return of tax dollars.

C) Election to all county offices candidates who bring practical and business-like, yet compassionate, approach to government. With your support, institute programs and pursue goals that will establish Oakland County as nation's example for responsive county legislation and responsible county management. I bring "Yesterday's Values" to Today's Oakland County.

MARILYNN E. GOSLING, Republican, Bloomfield Hills. Incumbent, Oakland Community College, Oakland University. Extensive government experience. Vice Chairperson Finance Committee, Personnel Committee. Chairperson Semeog Finance. Board Member Camp Oakland, Troy Boys/Girls Club, Breast Cancer Screening, Dispute Resolution, Local Development Council.

A) Support county's proposed program. Most advanced in country. Finance through voter approved bonds. Revenue from tipping fees repay bonds.

B) Neither department is completely autonomous. Road Commission personnel, purchasing and accounting should be merged with County functions for efficiency and accountability.

C) Complete Solid Waste Plan. Implement practical long range program for road improvements. Work with communities for efficient growth management using existing infrastructure when possible. Prevent tax increase by efficient management of county resources. Increase public

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AL ZOLTON, Democrat, 85, Farmington Hills. BA, MA Michigan State University - associate professor in Theatre/Communications, U of D Mercy - administrator educator - precinct delegate - caucus manager - member Mayor's Committee to Increase Voter Participation - church elder Oakland County Commissioner candidate 1988.

A) We need it desperately. The local governments who will actually pay for our County waste disposal program have voted to proceed. Financing will be provided by using limited tax bonds for the construction of material resource and waste-to-energy facilities. There will be minimal impact on the taxpayer.

B) They both should come under the County Executive with accountability to the Board of Commissioners. Consolidation would save the taxpayers millions of dollars by getting rid of duplication in departments, personnel and purchasing for example. The savings in millions could go into improving our roads and transportation system.

C) % Roads: Grid lock and pot holes are on the daily menu. Health Care: sexually-transmitted diseases, substance abuse, and infant mortality are increasing dramatically. The Environment: we can't dump our waste and pollution on other counties. Tax Reduction: Eliminate 'hidden' taxes by indexing property taxes to the rate of inflation.

DAVID L. MOFFITT, Incumbent, Republican, Farmington Hills. Did not respond in time for publication.

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SANDY TEAGUE, Democrat, Lake Orion. Did not respond in time for publication.

ROY REWOLD, Incumbent, Republican, 61, Rochester. I graduated from Rochester High School. I am the Chief Executive Officer at Frank Rewold and Son, Inc. which is a Construction Management and General Contracting firm that has been in business since 1918.

A) I would support limited obligation bonds. It would not be a burden on the taxpayers as it would be paid for by user fees. In other words, whoever generates the waste would be paying.

B) This problem should have more time to be investigated before I make a decision on what should be done.

C) We currently have road problems that must be worked out. Secondly, we need housing for more court systems because of our increase in population. The workload of the judges is becoming heavier in all courts. We have to see the solid waste program move forward or the state will mandate.

17TH COUNTY DISTRICT

JOHN KINNEY, Democrat, 50, Pleasant Ridge. Currently, Managing General

Agent associated with Assured Investment Planners. Previously, General Manager - retail and wholesale Art Materials and Picture Framing businesses. Chaired Oakland County Youth Assistance Advisory Council Public Relations Committee. Attended University of Detroit.

A) We need a program, leadership and funding... immediately - financed through user fees for trash handling and recycling profits - Southeast Oakland County needs SOCRAA's inclusion in the \$41 plan - we should not include contaminated toxic sites such as the Marlowe site in Rose Township.

B) The Road and Drain Commission should be consolidated with the D.P.W. eliminating administrative duplication... saving \$1,000,000 - the consolidated commission should answer to the County Commission or its own, to be elected, Public Works Commissioner.

C) Ease County property tax burden, encourage investment and redevelopment in South Oakland and provide more convenient services for South Oakland, specifically a County Clerk's Office in Berkley - eliminate waiting period for mental health services - work to prevent suburban blight.

JOHN E. OLSEN, Republican, 58, Huntington Woods. B.S. Finance - Penn State; M.A. - Business; M.A. - Public Administration Central Michigan. Financial Administrator - GM 30 years. County Commissioner - 8 years; Huntington Woods Mayor - 3 years; City Commissioner - 4 years.

A) I generally support the program. Introduce two resolutions on financing - Issue revenue bonds that would pledge only the revenues from the system as collateral or request permission from voters to issue general obligation bonds which pledge the full faith and credit of the taxpayers as collateral. Both failed I oppose

B) - Drain Commissioner should remain as an office elected by all the people as opposed to being appointed by only one (County Exec). I believe in the absence of any conclusive efficiency advantages, this makes the Drain Commissioner responsible to the people. - Road Commission - The Road Commission fails to develop a

C) 1) Develop a viable, integrated, environmentally sound yet cost effective solid waste program that will meet the counties short-term/long-term environmental goals.

2) Promote a policy that emphasizes and encourages the use, renovation and revitalization of areas in which present infrastructure (roads, sewers, water systems, buildings, etc.) are under-utilized. Discontinuing incentives (...)

18TH COUNTY DISTRICT

RUDY SERRA, Democrat, 34, Ferndale. Trial Attorney, Licensed Social Worker, Adjunct Professor Communication Studies (U of Detroit), Health Law (Mercy College). Member Ferndale School Board, PTA, Chairman Ferndale Democrats, Royal Oak Twp. Downtown Development Authority, Secretary Ferndale Education Foundation.

A) Prevention of environmental hazards should be the top priority. The County should retain control of the facility rather than profit-motivated entrepreneurs. Emphasis should be on recycling and reduced waste volume. Financing should be by bonds.

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B) The Road Commission, Drain Commission and DPW should be consolidated to reduce duplication of effort and save \$1 million annually. This would be best accomplished with an elected county-wide Director of Public Works.

C) 1. Economic revitalization in Southern Oakland County through a 'Build for Tomorrow' program and efforts to redirect growth to existing infrastructure. 2. Tax reform. The tax system needs to be equitable, flexible and easy to administer. We should move away from property tax. 3. Environmental protection.

DOROTHY M. WEBB, Republican, 73, Ferndale. Ferndale City Council - 4 years; Oakland County Commissioner 2 years; various city, county, state committees, Ferndale schools, U of M Commercial Arts; Board of Directors, Area Agency on Aging 1 B; Oakland County Community Development; President, Focus Research (...)

A) Should be ballot issue according to law. SOCRAA outdated facility cost prohibitive to remodel. Should join county. Must have comprehensive plan reuse, recycle, incinerate, landfill solid waste. Environmental issues top priority with taxpayers. Cost must be borne by all. Environment must be cleaner and safer for everyone.

B) Road Commission bound by State statute and Constitutional law under act 51, file reports to state. Drain Commission reports to Board of Commissioners. Can be brought under County Executive by vote of 18 Commissioners. Neither Commission autonomous. Both operate efficiently. Opposed to too much power under one person.

C) Education in early school years dealing with drug problems. Seek revisions in state mandated programs. No New Taxes. Many losing homes because of excessive taxes, especially elderly. Stronger enforcement of laws dealing with sentencing repeat criminals and drug dealers. Greater emphasis health problems including AIDS.

19TH COUNTY DISTRICT

DENNIS M. AARON, Incumbent, Democrat, 59, Oak Park. Business and law degree, University of Michigan; self-employed attorney; County Commissioner, 20 years; Service on County Library Board, County Hospital Board; Comprehensive Health Planning Council; SEMCOG; National Criminal Justice Planning Committee.

A) I support the county's solid waste program requiring mandatory re-cycling, composting, and strict rules for protecting the environment. Financing should be from bonds pledging the revenues from the program. Taxpayers will pay more now, but less than the costs of the present risky system of incineration and land-fills.

B) Efficiencies of operation and greater public awareness would result in the consolidation of the road commission and the drain commission. I prefer that these operations be headed by an elected Public Works Commissioner. Placing these programs with the County Executive, while less desirable, would be better than the present system.

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