## Bell branch wins top beautification award

Ma Bell received top honors at a recent beautification awards ban-quet in the city of Farmington.

The Michigan Bell office at the corner of Grand River and Power Road received the 1990 Chamber of Commerce beautification award for the "extremely well kept" building and the company's overall summer planting and lawn maintenance.

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Beautification plaques were given to nine businesses, eight partinent complexes and condominium developments, three auto service facilities, two abopping centers, one church, and one local cibu at the city's annual fall awards presentation, held Oct. 18 at the Chale Four local businesses also received planues for renovations and improvements and the Farmington City Hall was also lauded for renovations over the past year.

The awards luncheon is sponsored by the city's Beautification Committee. A special visitor, Dale Huggler of Alpena, president of Keep Michigan Beautiful, inc., was a surprise guest speaker at the event.

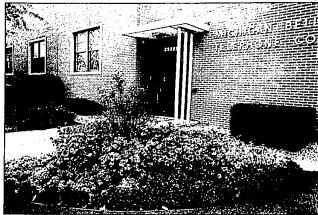
In addition to the plaques, 24 beautification crifficates were banded out, as were three certificates of commendation. Five individuals or commendation.

Farmington Place, Heritage Village West, Jamestown Apartments, Kens-ington Manor, River Glen and Valley View. The First Baptist Church of Farmington and the Huron River Hunting and Fishing Club also received plaques.

Good neighbors for 1990 are: Clarence Cox, Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, Dearborn State Farmington Historical Museum, Jerzy Jackaki, and JRR Enterprises. The Bon Ton Shoppe, Michelle Marc's Flowers and Warren's Country Corner were given certificates of commendation.

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Certificates were given to: Burger King, Chiopractic Federal Credit Union, D & W Oil Company, Farmington A & W oil Company, Farmington A & W oil Company, Farmington A & W oil Company, Farmington D & W oil Company, Farmington A & Homburgers National Bank of Detroit-Lakeway, attorneys Peters & Wilmering, Ram's Horn, attorney Gregory Caton, Jaycee Sales & Wilmering, Ram's Horn, attorney Gregory Caton, Jaycee Sales & Wilmering, Ham's Horn, attorney Gregory Caton, Jaycee Sales & Wilmering, Ham's Horn Library, Oil Companies, Salem United Condominiums, Parkview Apartments, Versalites Condominiums, Wynset Condominiums, and the Crossroads Shopping Center.



ington/Farmington Hills Chamber of Conmerce award for overall beautification efforts.

## Time for new batteries, campaign urges

Your clock isn't the only thing you should change before you go to bed Saturday, Oct. 27. Farmington Hills fire officials urge residents to also change the batteries in their home smoke de-

Through the "Change Your Clock, Change Your Battery," program, fire officials are encouraging residents to make a tabilt of changing the batteries in their smoke detectors and flushlights every fall when they change their clocks back to standard lime.

The change back to standard time from day-light savings is effective Sunday, Oct. 28, though most people change their clocks the night before.

"Change Your Clock, Change Your Battery," is sponsored nationally by the International Associa-tion of Fire Chiefs, the American Burn Associa-tion and Eveready Battery Co.



ALTHOUGH 80 percent of the all U.S. homes have at least one smoke detector, as many as half

"Our goal for the 1990s is to reawaken people to the need for working smoke alarms," Farming-ton Hills deputy fire Chief Peter Baldwin said. "Installing a battery may be the simplest, most accessible way to protect our homes and families from fire. Having a smoke detector is absolutely pointless if it's not maintained."

Nationally, many of the 6,000 deaths and 130,000 serious injuries caused each year by fire could have been prevented with the help of work-ing smoke detectors, according to national fire statistics.

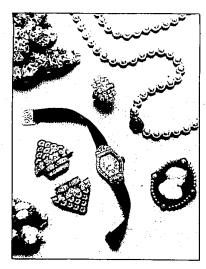
Americans consume about 24 batteries per per-son annually for portable stereos and other elec-tronic equipment. As a rule though, most people don't remember to pick up batteries annually for their smoke detectors and flashlights.

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