Tools to toys are just a buck at the Dollar Zone

STAFF WOTTH

The buck stops — quite literally
at the Dollar Zone store in Farmington's Crostroads Shopping Cenier, At The Dollar Zone, which
opened in March, each item costs a
dollar or less.
A constant flow of customers
throughout the day shows that this
trifty cancept has caught on.
Still, owner Dymerti Alliin, whoperates the store with bin wife.
Mary, said business is just, "fair,"
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"Many peuple don't know we are bere." Albin said. The Albirfamily, now, reside in Farmington, Hills, They left Suginose, where Dameert was manager and part owner of prostaurant, to start the Farmington-missiness early this year.

"Friends and relatives didn't like idea." Albin said. "I told them. It worked in other places, why son't it work here?"

The Dollar Zone is a nouveau version of the old-fashioned five and dime.
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Right now, the Dollar Zone is the Right now, the Dollar Zone is the only one of its kind in the Farming-ton area, according to Judy Sono-nen, executive director of the Farm-ington/Farmington Hills Chamber of Commerce.

of Commerce.
"I haven't seen another one around." Soronen said. "The Ben

Scooters & Liftchairs Over 15 on Display

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(313) 458-1499 lew & Used Rentals

Franklin at 12 Mile and Farming-ton where Crowleys is located was the last five and dime here, and that closed about eight years ago."

Dollar stores have also popped up in metropolitan Detroit malls re-cently.

in interopolitan Detroit mails recently.

What can you buy at a doller
store? Just about anything you
want. Only the store size sets the
limit. There's jewelry, amagks, pet
accessories, baby items, toys,
games, kitchen ind seasonal items,
buir accessories, school supplies,
samul hardware, tools, and books to
name just a few items.

Althin seeks input from severalsources—including bis wife and
their two soms, George, 12, and
Simon, 14, both Power Middle
school students—obnit what merchandise to purchase. Shipments
come in every other day, Albin said.

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He is also considering opening other locations, he said. A mall in Canton Township located at the cul of Main Street has also caught

his eye, Lacally, shapper Norma Gostum-ski of Farmington Hills often browses with grand-niece, Ashley

Riddell, in tow. Riddell is allowed to select one. Item each time she comes in with her grand-nont. "Last time she wanted toy hond-cuffs," Gostomski sail. "I told her she couldn't have them. But then

she couldn't hive them. But then ymother, her great-grandmother, safet that she could. Today Ashluyshid that she's looking far something that her alster won't like." Gostumski stocks up on items for her cettage. "The bought dish clubs, three for a dullar-and Camay soop, we for a dullar-and Camay soop, we for a dullar-and Camay Bound Adamski, of Formington Blussians and State States of States and States a

Donna Attamiski, of Furmington Hills, just stopped to look at a few, items but, before long bound herself filling a log. "I think in Jaughter (uge 11) will like these earnings." Sweets also have some sweet price

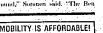
Sweets also have some sweet pric-es. Some small candy bars sell for as little as 10 cents each or four for a dollar. Others like, Hyrshey bars, Crunch, Kit Kat and Butterfingers sell three for a dollar and can be mixed and matched.

A Keebler grabsm cracker crust is

A Keener gramm cracker crust is 89 cents. The Alhins also offer a \$3.95 Websters Dictionary, Thesarus and Speller, each for a dollar



Good buy: Sharlene Pacitto of Farmington Hills shops at the Dollar Zone with daughter Christina. Pacitto says she stops in several times a week and spends \$3 or \$4 each time.



RUE Treadmill -

CITY OF FARMINGTON COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS (Summary)

A regular meeting of the Farmington City Connol was called to order by Mayor Hattisck at \$ 67 pm on June 1, 1992; Council Chambers, 2560 Liberty Street. Farmington, Shichigan Nutice of the meeting was posted in compilance with Cable Act 557-1976.

PRESENT: Campbell, McShane, Hartsock, Hichardson, Tupper, OTHERR, PRESENT: City Manager Deadman, Director Lachoff, Assistant Di-rector Gushman, City Attorney Donohue, Adm, Assistant Schultz, City Clerk Bushey

Bushey Minutes of the previous special meetings of February 27, March 30, April 6, May 7, and May 11, 1992 and regular meetingof May 18, 1992, were approved as

lanner on the Massinic resigns.

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Council adopted the following resolutions
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SUPER SAVINGS

ROOFING SHINGLES

GAF \$1895 Fiberglass

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GEORGIA \$2295 Asphat

4x4 FOAM

CASH & CARRY

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RAILINGS

ALUMINUM

WHITE & BLACK

AVAILABLE VINYL SIDING

\$38⁹⁵

GARAGE

DOORS

\$349⁹⁵

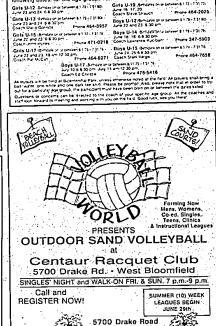
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Livenia Youth Soccer Club
Little Caesars
Premier Soccer Tryouts
Soccer tryouts will be held for IVSC Little Caesars Premier division on the following dates, for the age groups based:

NOTICE OF PUBLIC REARING PROPOSED SPECIAL ASSESSMENT DISTRICT

West Bloomfield (313)661-2000

CITY OF FARMINGTON HILLS OAKLAND COUNTY 31555 ELEVEN MILE ROAD FARMINGTON HILLS, MICHIGAN 48336

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ROAD IMPROVEMENTS Special Assessment Boll No. C-242 in the amount of \$481,800.00, for the construction of Hoad Improvements in said City to be located as follows:

STREET Glen Orchard Dr Ivywood Drive Hopecrest Ct Glen Valley Dr Finneren Ct Raphael Boad Dohany Drive

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has been filed in the office of the City Clerk for public examination, along with the costs of said project which are proposed as follows:

TOTAL COST OF PROJECT:
PERCENT OF COST ASSESSED TO DISTRICT:
TOTAL COST TO DISTRICT:
AVERAGE COST PER BASE UNIT TO BE ASSESSED:
439,000.00
1,207.75

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the City Council will meet in the City Hall Council Chambers, 38535 Eleven Mite Hoad, Farmington Hills, Michigan, on the 13th day of Jame, 1992, at 7 or Orice? P.M. Eastern Daylight Saving Time, to receive stail Special council Chambers, and the amount of the Appeting of the Council Chambers of the Appeting of the Appet

THIS NOTICE IS GIVEN BY ORDER OF THE CITY COUNCIL

KATHRYN A DORNAN. City Clerk

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CITY OF FARMINGTON HILLS SUMMARY OF PROCEEDINGS REGULAR CITY COUNCIL MEETING JUNE 8, 1992

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Pro-Tem Bates at 7:30 p.m. Members Present Bates, Grant, Lichtman, Marks, Sever and Vagnozzi: Members Absent: Smith Others Present: City Manager Costick, City Citerk Dernan, Assistant Man-ager Call, Directors Biasell and Countegan and Attorney Docobue.

MAYOR GRANT ACKNOWLEDGED:
- Community, volunteer efforts for playground development at Gill Elementary

COUNCIL

Accepted the Attorney's Report.

Received update on Twelve Mile Road construction project.

APPROVEDs.
Introduction of Ordinance regulating the maintenance of compost piles in Introduction of Ordinance regulating the maintenance of Composit piles to residential areas

The name of "Woodland Hills Park" for the Peltz/MDOT property.

Appointment of Gail Haynes to the Committee to Increase Voter Participa-

Appointment of some in-sections, with neighboring communities to discuss mutual Concept of future meetings with neighboring communities to discuss mutual

interests. Contract with MDOT for road improvements on Thirteen Mile Road, Chester-brook to west of Farmington Road Special event license for the Farmington Elks Ox Roaat, July 9-11, 1992. Resolution authorising the Elingrove Watermain and Sanitary Sewer Pay-

back.

Employment in accordance with Section 18 81A of the City Code.

Re-appointment of City Clerk to Hospital Financy Authority.

Bid for storm drainage repairs in Green Valley Subdivision to Vern & Gene
Construction in the amount of 12 14500.

Council minutes of April 22; May 11 and 12, 1992.

The meeting adoptioned at 8.09 pm.

JON GRANT, Mayor KATHRYN A. DORNAN, City Clerk

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING PROPOSED SPECIAL ASSESSMENT DISTRICT

CITY OF FARMINGTON HILLS 31555 ELEVEN MILE ROAD FARMINGTON HILLS, MICHIGAN 48336

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN-

That the City Council of the City of Farmington Hills, Oakland County, Michigan, has tentatively declared its intention to make the following improvement. Construction of SANITARY SEWER IMPROVEMENTS to be located in the City as follows:

STREET Quaker Valley Road Lots 17, 18, 19, 20 and 27

That plans and specifications outlining the Improvement and the location there of are on file with the City Clerk for public examination, along with the costs of said project which are proposed as follows:

TOTAL COST OF PROJECT:

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TOTAL COST OF DISTRICT:

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it the City Council has tentatively designated the proposed special assess of district to include the following properties. THS: 1905. SECTION 16, CITY OF FARMINGTON HILLS. Portlons of Quaker Valley Farms Addition Subdivision, including parcel numbers

23-16-326-001 thru 004 23-16-327-001

That the City Council will meet in the City Hall Council Chambers, 31535 Eleven Mile Road, Farmington Hills, Michigan, on the 15th day of June, 1992, at 7,30 o'clock P.M., Eastern Daylight Time, to hear and consider any objections to the add improvement.

cocket P.M. Eastern Daylight Time, to hear and consider any objections to the said improvement.

If the City Conocil approves the making of the improvements, a special assessment may be levied against properties that benefit from the improvements Act 186 of the Public Acts of Michigan, 1973, as amended, provides that the apecial assessment must be protested at the hearing held for the purpose of confirming the special assessment roll before the Michigan Tax Tribunal may acquire jurisduction of any dispute involving the special assessment. The hearing for the purpose of confirming the special assessment with the purpose of confirming the special assessment of will be active purposed in the special assessment of the properties of the properties of the property to be assessed, or his or be reagent, may appear in person to protest the special assessment, or may protest the special assessment by letter filled with the City Clerk at or prior to the time of the bearing, in which case appearance in person is not required.

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KATHRYN A. DORNAN, City Clerk

Mailed June 4, 1992