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Upon further review

Board cools on service learning plan

By LARRY O'CONNOR

A program that would've had students work in the community as a graduate requirement has been put on hold.

Farmington Board of Education tabled North Farmington High's proposed service learning project Treaday for further discussion.

Superintendent C. Robert Marield tried to quell concerns about liability and litigation while atreasing the program's accomments. Service learning is also different than community service, he said.

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His pleas were to no avail, though.

Board members said they were leety making North students do Nours community work outside the classroom starting in 1936-97.

The requirement increase to 40 hours in ensuing years.

Those in the audience were even more adamant.

"You can't maken; it mandatory," said parent Nancy Seaman, who lives in Farmington Hills.

... anymoore than that is Involved.

The R. Jack Inch said, "Regardless of the comments made by Dr. Magfield, I do not differentiate between community service and service learning, I cannot frame it in my mind."

All agree the program is well-

Approved revised policies and green fees for the San Marino Golf Course, the city's public course. Under the new policy, Farmington Hills residents can make respectations, beginning at Approved.

ton Hills residents can make res-revations beginning at 4 p.m. Sunday and throughout the week for the following Monday through Sunday. Farmington residents can make reservations beginning at noon Moonday for that week. Non-residents can make reservations beginning Tuesday for tee times Tuesday through Sunday. Reservations will be taken for twosomes, threesomes and four-somes. The only time a reserva-tion for a single will be taken is

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Under the proposal, students would work unpaid in the community. The services could include seniors in nursing homes or children in preschool.

Students could take classroom knowledge and apply in real world situations, which was encouraged in the district secondary study. North Farmington already has a community service program in place. Students receive a graduation ribbon for completing 40 hours of volunteer work. The school side conducts a "Raidar Rake" and raises money for the Oakland County Food Bank.

A group of North students also joined Bloomfeld Hills Labser kids on a Habitat for Humanity trip to, South Carolina during winter break. Bloomfeld Hills achools have a similar graduation requirement.

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"Service learning involves apecific application of skills," also Morth Farmington principal Deb Clarke. "It helps kids with a career focus. It's really an individualized type of program."
Clarke added she was disappointed the program has been put on hold. She's meeting with organizers this week to consider ways to modify the proposal.
"I want to remein positive about this," she said.

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Clarks presented the plan with teachers Ed Davis and Kathy Melaner at a study ecsalon March 7. Board members appeared re-

Melaner et a study session March
7. Board members appeared repropriete and the presentation of the presentation additional staff and time swellable for students, who have to work to pay for college. "We're not all equally bleased," Inches and the presentation of the case. A service learning requirement at one school would rungent that the first high schools. A service learning requirement at one school would rungent the presentation of the case of the presentation of the case. The presentation of the case of the presentation of the presentation of the presentation of the case of the presentation of the case of the presentation o

when that person can be matched with a twosome or threesome who has an existing tee time. Anyone who reserves and then is a no-show without prior notification to the pro shop will lose privileges for the balance of the poil season.

Reservations and raise timages were effective beginning April 1.

The new rates for residents will be \$32.5 for nine holes on a week away, \$10.50 for rine holes and \$17.50 for juniors and seniors for 18 holes on an weekedsy, \$16.50 for 18 holes and \$17.50 for juniors and seniors for 18 holes during the week.

Farmington juniors and seniors during the week.

Contract.

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wanted this, MESSA's misc take was a pain in the neck. 1, 2 We're happy to put this behind

We're happy to put this behind in the control of the agreement include: A 1-percent elipend (\$1,200) for teachers who recolfermational certification; and elementary instructional time increased 30 minutes a day. The ability to choose insurance correspond to the control of the

years.
"I think the whole (MESSA) issue has clouded everything." FEA spokesperson Zan Alley said. "We obviously lost MESSA."

The contract was fair to both sides, Alley added.

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Assistant Superintendent for
Staff and Community Relations
Sue Zurvalec said, "I want to give
a lot of credit to the association in recognizing the need to get this resolved and put the differences behind us."

ON THE AGENDA

Below are highlights from the agendas of meetings this week. All meetings are open to the pub-lic.

Farmington City Council Farmington City Hall, 474-5500 8 p.m. Monday, April 3

Agenda itoms include:

2 Consider application for
MDOT/ISTEA Historic Preservation Funds for historical muse-

Bike path system consideration. Consider bid award for 1995

Road Improvement Program.

Introduce ordinance amending chapter 31 (OUIL) Traffic and Motor Vehicles of the City Code regarding people under 21.

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Farmington Downtown Devel-opment Authority Farmington City Hall, 473-7276 7276 8 a.m. Tuesday, April 4

Agenda items include:

B Financial report

Approval of payments

Letter of support regarding
MDOT replication for historic
preservation funds for museum.

B Executive director's report

Public comment.

Southwestern Oakland Cable Commission City Hall, 478-7266 i p.m. Tuesday, April 4

Agonda items include:

Public school report

CAC report by laws changes

Metrovision report

Transfer update from SWOCC chairman Bill Hartsock

Executive director's report from Caren Collins on refranchising update.

Farminaton Board of Educa-Lewis Schulman Center, 489-3300 8 p.m. Tuesday, April 4

Agenda itema include:

Recognition of World War-II

Recognition of Recommendation for program
modifications, revisions, new and
expanded program for 1995-96.
Early 6s; Eighth Grads Interdisciulinary Teams Summer School for plinary Team; Summer School for Targeted K-3 Grade Students and Leedership and Support Po

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Recommendation regarding tu-tion rates for 1928-96.

Possible realignment of voting precincts.

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Preview of other April 26 agen-da literature production of the con-tain system and floor covering at Reat Middle School.

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M Report from curriculum committee meeting on Family Life Education, O.E. Dunckal Middle School Eighth Flot Health Clear, and curriculum revision and terribook adoptions.