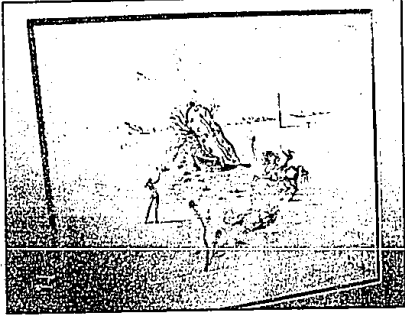


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Since Abel has No. 172 out of a series of 300, he believes there are others who have been duped.

What is even more alarming is the piece



No Dali: "The Cosmic Horseman" that hangs in the attorneys' office has been deemed to be a knock off of the famous Spanish surrealist's work.

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garbage, we have to go further out," said Jerome Neyer, NTH chief executive officer.

"You're going to need that information: not only how big the landfill is, but where it is. You need to know where the landfill is on the ground as opposed to just looking at aerial photos."

The company would subcontract surveying and drilling for costs plus 10 percent. NTH's initial proposal called for costs plus 15 percent, but Neyer offered to

trim the 15 to 10 percent.

Negotiations from the public podium made one council member feel uneasy.

Councilwoman Vicki Barnett cast the lone dissenting vote in hiring NTH Ltd., because representatives from Techna and the other proposed consultant, AKT Environmental, weren't at the meeting. AKT proposed doing all three tasks for a lump sum of \$38,900 in 30 days.

All three companies' references are excellent, a city report

RECREATION NEWS

Each week the Recreation Division of the Farmington Hills Department of Special Services presents a synopsis of upcoming activities. For further information regarding programs, contact the recreation office at 473-9570.

ADULT SOFTBALL
The Farmington Hills Recreation

Division is now registering new teams for men's, women's and co-ed softball. Call 473-9570.

SAND VOLLEYBALL
New team registration has begun for adults and volleyball. Call 473-9570.

"NO VEGGIES FOR ME"
Children and parents will be delighted through the animation

of six colorful puppets who tell the story of a little boy who refuses to eat his vegetables, but by the end of the show realizes their benefit. It's at 11 a.m. Saturday, April 4, at the Coast Activities Center in Farmington Hills. Advance tickets are \$4 for adults, \$3 for children under 13. Tickets are \$2 more at the door.

Mayor Aldo Vagnozzi agreed, but voted to approve NTH Ltd. based on confidence in the company. Other council members expressed similar feelings.

When the sun goes down, Mr. Neyer lives here and is going to be here," Councilwoman Nancy Bates said.

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usually goes for the spinach-mushroom or apple cinnamon bagels at the 10 Mile Bean & Bagel. "I love them with cream cheese, but because of the calories I don't do that. I just put jelly on them."

He noted that without the cream cheese, bagels actually are a pretty healthy alternative to burgers and other lunchtime fare.

Supporting a local business instead of national chain is one reason St. Louis backs Bean & Bagel. But another reason is variety. "They seem to keep up with new flavors."

"Robust flavor and perfect texture" were reasons cited by Nancy Gilbert of Farmington Hills in her vote for Bean & Bagel.

Bean & Bagel owner Charlie Kaye said the results of the Observer poll indicate people like the blend of fresh ingredients and friendly service he demands from his employees.

■ It didn't bother Big Apple Bagel crew members that their store finished in the runner-up position.

"When we make a Michigan cherry, we make it with real cherries," Kaye said. Bagels are made from scratch every day; whatever doesn't sell either goes to charity or into the waste basket."

The first place finish, Kaye said "says something about our customers. It says a lot, and it's because our product is consistently good day in and day out."

Placing second by a mere one coupon was Big Apple Bagel, located in the Downtown Farmington Center. In general, their bagels are a bit bigger and more doughy than Bean & Bagel.

Lo-Jean Nigrant of Northville said Big Apple has the best