

DDA president resigns post

Farmington Downtown Development Authority board members will receive the resignation of longtime President Ron Oglesby at their Dec. 3 meeting.

Oglesby has served as president since the board's inception in 1986 and before that, was an appointee to the Downtown Development Steering Committee created in 1985. An area resident for more than 40 years, he has also maintained his law practice in downtown Farmington for the past 33 years.

In a letter submitted to Farmington Mayor James Mitchell, Oglesby cited personal, family and professional con-

siderations in resigning effective Feb. 17, 2003, the date his current term expires.

"I have been fortunate to experience quality involvement with our community and its constituency, which has been very rewarding and personally fulfilling," Oglesby wrote.

"For this opportunity, I want to express my gratitude to the Farmington City Council, as well as the businesspeople and residents of the City of Farmington."

The Farmington City Council will also consider Oglesby's resignation at their regular meeting, held at 8 p.m. on Monday, Dec. 2 at Farmington City Hall.

Enjoy the Chamber's 'Winter Wonderland'

The Farmington/Farmington Hills Chamber of Commerce and Orchard Lake Pot Resort present "Winter Wonderland," a holiday celebration on Thursday, Dec. 12, 5-8 p.m. at Maroon in Farmington.

Guests will enjoy hot and cold gourmet appetizers and desserts; a cash bar will be provided. Entertainment will include handwriting analysis by Randy Hall, certified handwriting expert, and Amy Ley, classical harpist. Items will be collected for Boys & Girls

Republic and the St. Vincent and Sarah Fisher Center; a complete "wish list" is available from the Chamber office. Supporting sponsors include Foster, Swift, Collins & Smith, P.C.; Space Care Interiors, Inc.; Steven Worldwide Van Lines; Standard Federal Bank; and The Write Stuff International.

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Holiday Brass

Detroit Chamber Winds and Strings present "Holiday Brass" an evening of Holiday music at 7:30 p.m. Dec. 10 at the Costick Center, on 11 Mile between Middlebelt and Inkster. The Detroit Chamber Winds is composed of members of the Detroit Symphony and Michigan Opera Theatre orchestras. Tickets, which are \$15 for adults, \$12 for senior citizens and \$10 for students, will be available at the door or by calling (248) 473-1800.

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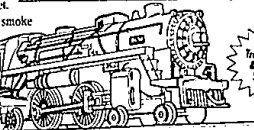
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