

# Handbill Ordinance OK'd by Westland

Westland's City Council, faced with two different ver-

sions of controls on handbill distribution in the community, unanimously adopted the administration's draft, Monday.

The adopted ordinance would take effect next Wednesday, Aug. 24, and would include provisions to require a list of the handbill distributors to be submitted to local police agencies.

Left out of the ordinance was the required \$25 fee and \$250 bond by the distributors, sought by Councilman Charles McIlhargy who drafted the ordinance which wasn't adopted. He obtained on the roll call vote a nine code drafted by Mayor Thomas H. Brown.

Before final adoption, the issue sparked comments from Councilman William Anderson, who said the version drafted by the committee made up of McIlhargy and Councilman John Markes, would "hamper free enterprise" in that it would hurt the small businessman.

However, McIlhargy commented that his ver-

sion is nearly identical to that in Redford Township and similar to the one in Berkley and gives the right control and doesn't squeeze out the small businessman.

He pointed out that the \$250 bond he proposed would cover such items as shrubbery damaged by a handbill distributor.

In addition, he said, his version included a section on the hours handbills could be distributed and this excluded Sundays and holidays.

The City Council did include that section in the ordinance it eventually passed. He also said that his ordinance has been in the courts for the past one month and that "it is a good one" and isn't discriminatory.

"I don't like the \$25 fee and \$250 bond required in the ordinance," he said. "I would go along with the registration of circulators with the police department," Brown concluded.

# Observer Newspapers Plan Second Annual Publicity Workshop

The second annual Observer Newspaper Group workshop will be held on Thursday, Sept. 15 at Madonna College in Livonia.

In an effort to offer ideas, suggestions and information on the most efficient way to communicate with the community, through a newspaper, organizations, service clubs, PTAs are asked to register their publicity and public relations chairman to this workshop.

A kit will be distributed geared to showing the best way to write a news release, as well as a feature story.

A special session in photography will be part of the workshop.

In addition there will be an opportunity for questions and a discussion period on the importance of communication and the method of determining what is an announcement, a news release, or a feature story.

There will be a dollar registration fee to cover the cost of printed material we will give you plus refreshments. There will be professional people to assist you in the various phases of news releases, pictures, promotions for your organization, if you are a community leader or publicity chairman.

There will be two sessions. One at 1 p.m. until 3 p.m. and the other at 8 until 10 p.m.

If you are interested in registering please fill out coupon below and you will be notified by mail, as a reminder, with the directions to the workshop on Madonna campus. DO NOT SEND DOLLAR with registration. The dollar will be collected at the workshop, when you receive your kit. This workshop is for men and women. Residents of the area who are interested in doing social writing, civic association or scout news, etc. are welcome to attend. Reservations will close after a capacity group has registered.

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A WATERBALL BATTLE between firemen from Westland and Wayne was staged as part of a sales promotion last week with the Westland department getting the victory on the basis of points. A department spokesman said that the shoppers who watched the battle got a little wet but they still enjoyed the event.

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# Athletic Contracts Delayed in Wayne

Twenty-two extra-curricular assignments at Wayne Memorial and John Glenn

High Schools were approved by the board of education to be taken on other positions, tabled until next Monday's board meeting.

The total cost of the assignments, contained in contract riders will be \$22,835.08 with \$12,353.36 specified for Wayne Memorial and \$10,481.70 at John Glenn.

At Glenn High, the following contract riders were approved:

Robert Lusk, head football coach, \$1,050; Assistant football coaches Harry Basel, \$633.60, and Norman Hoenes, \$590.40; assistant ninth grade football, Leo Schuster \$275.20; Gordon Savin, head junior varsity football, \$810; Robert Gerick, trainer and equipment, \$528.00; Gerald Suckaillis, boys country, \$614.40; John Harrison, debate, \$495; Wayne Linderman, cooperative occupational training director, \$788.50, and William Murphy, C.O.T. director, \$846; Ted Dennis Supt., planetarium director, \$614.40.

At Wayne Memorial High, the school board approved the following contract riders: Richard Clark, sixth class assignment, \$1,000; Gary Green, assistant football coach, \$604.80; Charles Long, varsity football trainer and equipment, \$528.20; Julie McMath, C.O.T. director, \$870; Richard Miller, varsity track, \$729.60; Douglas Myers, assistant reserve football, \$528; Alan Pitt, head reserve football, \$756; Raymond Tofford, assistant varsity football, \$625; Charles Roberts, sixth class assignment, \$1,314.10; Mary Tindall, debate, \$528; and William Whitby, C.O.T. director, \$900.

Riders tabled until next Monday were those for the head football coach, athletic director, ninth grade assistant coach, dramatics, and forensics.

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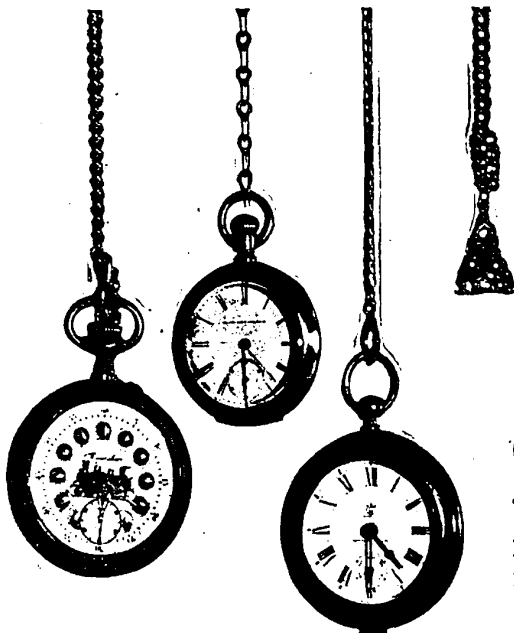
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