

Nomination deadline for civic award nears

Friday is the deadline to nominate someone for the 1989 Citizen of the Year award, which honors a person who has worked to improve or uplift some aspect of the community.

Nominees can be anyone who has contributed meritorious service to the community either as a volunteer or in connection with their business.

There are no limitations to a nominee's age, sex or residence. But they must have accomplished their community deeds in the Farmington/Farmington Hills area.

In sizing up potential Citizens of the Year, remember that award winners are excluded from consideration. Government officials may be nominated for their volunteer achievements only.

Don't hesitate to renominate past nominees who weren't winners but who are still deeply active in the community.

USE THE accompanying nomination form. Also provide a description of your nominee's most recent local achievements. Supporting letters from colleagues, peers and others who can elaborate on the value of your nominee's service or character are encouraged.

Be specific in explaining why you believe these contributions are significant and should earn special plaudits. A resume of service would be helpful. Detail time periods.

Be sure you answer the question, "Why should this nominee be selected as the 1989 Citizen of the Year?" Attached additional sheets as necessary.

The award winner will be honored at 6 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 4, at the 27th annual awards banquet, hosted by the Farmington/Farmington Hills Chamber of Commerce, in the Holiday Inn of Farmington Hills.

1989 Citizen of the Year nomination form

Nominee Information

name _____ birthdate _____

home address _____

city _____ state _____ ZIP _____

home phone _____ work phone _____

occupation _____ title _____

place of work _____ address _____

spouse's name _____

children's names, ages _____

Nominator Information

name _____ date _____

home address _____

city _____ state _____ ZIP _____

home phone _____ work phone _____

occupation _____ title _____

place of work _____ address _____

signature _____

Entry deadline: Oct. 13

Mail to: Farmington/Farmington Hills
Chamber of Commerce
33201 Grand River
Farmington 48024

Businesses back T-shirt wearers

Two downtown Farmington businesses have offered free goods to students wearing their "Say Yes To Life - No To Drugs" T-shirts into the businesses during the month of October.

Awareness Month, the Rocking Horse Designs in Cross Sitch is offering free friendship bracelet instructions and free floss to make your own bracelet. The Rocking Horse is at 33245 Grand River.

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District in good shape, auditors' report says

The Farmington Public School District ended its fiscal year in June in good shape, with auditors spending only a few weeks checking the district's books.

"We're pleased to report the audit went smoothly," said accountant Fred Heller of Plante & Moran, a Southfield accounting firm.

This was so, he said, despite that school audits have become "increasingly more difficult each year" because of changes in school finance laws.

Audit work was completed on

the district's books in August. A final report was presented to the board in September.

The district experienced a 5.5 percent increase in expenses for the year, Heller said.

It maintained an undersigned cash reserve of \$8.4 million — about 11 percent of the district's \$75 million budget for the 1988-89 school year, but below 10 percent based on budget figures for the current year.

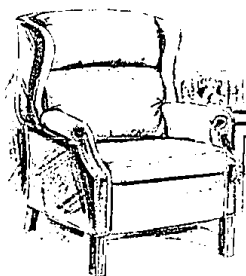
An additional \$6.3 million is already earmarked for open purchase orders, maintenance and

capital projects, and other items.

The district is looking to the future with caution because of the possibility of school finance reform and other state-related measures, but will also consider upgrading district services in the future, including a possible subsidy of the school lunch program.

Acting superintendent Michael Flanagan said he favors subsidizing the program, which is currently a break-even proposition.

The school district subsidizes other programs, including athletics.



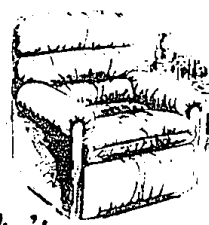
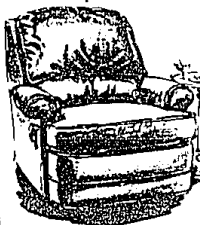
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■ Thursday, October 19, 7:00 pm Concert in the Park-Bob Durant ■ October 19-October 21
■ Saturday, October 21, 8:30 am KIDS KNOW! Breakfast of Champions
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