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Wesley College Will Locate In Township

By EMORY DANIELS
Plans have been announced this week for the location of a second college campus in Farmington Township.

The John Wesley College is proposed to be built in the south end of the township on a 50-acre site on the north side of 9 Mile and just east of Halstead.

The area is now served by the Orchard Ridge campus of Oakland Community College, which is located in the northern portion south of I-96 between Orchard Lake and Farmington Rds.

PROMOTERS of the John Wesley College will appear Tuesday, March 2, at 8 p.m. before the township Zoning Board of Appeals (ZBA) to request a site plan approval.

The 50-acre site is now zoned residential but the township zoning ordinance provides that an educational facility can be built on residentially zoned property. Site plans for educational facilities, however, must be approved by the ZBA.

Dr. Kenneth Armstrong of Farmington is chairman of the board of the John Wesley Foundation. He says if there is no delay in getting the site plan approval from the ZBA, the college should open this September with 100 students.

"I don't believe there is any real issue that might come up. There is no problem with setbacks or density with the plans we have."

"There is a fantastic wooded area on the campus grounds, and we will maintain the woods to give our campus a park-like setting."

ARMSTRONG DESCRIBES Wesley College as a new kind of undergraduate school of religion offering a full scope of instruction in religion and "value-oriented" subjects.

It will be America's first religious college to fully utilize the principles of cooperative education, he adds.

Under the cooperative plan, Armstrong explains, students will enroll in John Wesley College and live in the residence centers on the campus.

Students will take at least one accredited course in religion or a related subject each quarter; participate in a late-evening chapel and special lecture series; receive guidance counseling; and enjoy extra-curricular activities of a religious college student body.

But the student will also enroll in any other college or university of his choice and take all required courses toward a degree at the state-supported university.

The student would receive his degree from the state-supported university while living on the Wesley campus.

"Cooperative education minimizes the limitations of each and utilizes the values of both small private religious colleges and large state supported colleges or universities," adds Armstrong.

THE FIRST phase of construction of the Farmington Township campus will be a multi-purpose building housing classrooms, a temporary library, eating and social facilities.

The multi-purpose building will also include 50 residential units to house 100 students for the proposed opening in September 1971. The building permit was requested Jan. 15.

The second phase will be construction of a permanent library, permanent classrooms, a chapel, book store, and faculty offices.

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The curriculum will be divided into these areas: general studies; philosophy; theology; ethics; Biblical studies; practical studies such as counseling, administration, youth work or Christian education.

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Choirs of North Farmington High School will present their winter concert Sat., Feb. 27, at 8:15 p.m. in the auditorium under the direction of Ted Still.

Offerings of the Women's Chorus will include "Surround Pastor Bonus" (Latin), "Mon Coeur" (French) and "Barbara Allen."

The Norsemen will sing "Blow the Man Down," "Grandfather's Clock" and "Hail Away, Joe."

Concert Choir selections will be from "The Peaceable Kingdom" with music by Randall Thompson — "Say Ye to the Righteous," "The Paper Reeds by the Brook," "Have Ye Not Known?" and "Ye Shall Have a Song."

The select Northern Chorus will perform Verses "Ave Maria" and "Videntes Stellam," by Poulenc.

In conclusion, the Combined Choirs will sing the spiritual "My Lord, What a Morning!" a number guaranteed to surround the audience with sound.



NEW CAMPUS — Plans for the John Wesley College, proposed for Farmington Township, features the English Tudor style of architecture based on the Wesley theme. The campus is proposed for a 50-acre site on 9 Mile west of Farmington Rd. Administrators hope the college can open this September for 100 students.

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