

Communications changes call for being informed

CABLE CONNECTION



LARK SAMOUELIAN

Consumers need to be alert over the next several years, as the communication network through our country develops even further. Actually the word "alert" should be an alias for "well-read" on the subject.

What is developing may be described as an expressway of communication alternatives.

The rallying for position would be contractors that would be having an opportunity to develop the lanes of traffic that would be allowed on this expressway. How many lanes of traffic would be developed, what the behavior in each lane will be, as well as where the exit ramps are and where this expressway is originating from and going to are yet to be determined.

The pavement may be compared to a basketball field which must be level. This is why there is so much posturing from the different industries.

Familiar players are the cable companies, satellite companies, programmers, (for example, HBO, Cinemas), communication utilities, telephone companies and on and on. The real expressway will be via coaxial cable, fiber optics and air waves.

Please be sure to call us when you have a question about what is going on. Our office staff will do its best to help explain the state of a very-changing communication environment.

How this expressway of communication is designed will definitely affect the way your household interacts with the outside community.

The outside community may encompass your immediate neighborhood your town hall, your educational system, your bank or your stockbroker. It may mean communicating nationally or internationally. All in all, you the consumer, are involved now and have every right to expect to continue to be involved.

It is an exciting time, as well as a changing one, and change is imminent. Be sure, as you are an educated voter, you are an educated consumer. Don't be afraid to ask questions. Welcome to the age of telecommunications.

CHANNEL 12 MONDAY, SEPT. 28

10 a.m. — Novi Talkin' History: Fraser Stamen and Lee C. Begole
11 a.m. — Women on the Move: J.A.R.C. art class
Noon — Farmington Hills Police Journal
12:30 p.m. — Novi skits-of-frantics
1:30 p.m. — Life matters
2 p.m. — Kids lip sync
3 p.m. — Complementary health therapies in England acupuncture for pain relief
4 p.m. — Lansing Connection
4:30 p.m. — Shoney Zedek Productions
5:30 p.m. — Dropping the gloves
6 p.m. — Speakers Row: Richard Hendle
6:30 p.m. — Senior Spotlight: fire safety while traveling
7 p.m. — Jr. Japanese: lesson 32
7:30 p.m. — Chi-aerobics internal power: lesson 23
8 p.m. — Prescription for your health: helping children cope with divorce

8:30 p.m. — Cosmic Connection: Halloween
9:30 p.m. — Groove Session

TUESDAY, SEPT. 29

10 a.m. — Senior adult exercise
10:30 a.m. — Reaction News
11 a.m. — Summit University
Noon — Drawing men to christ
1 p.m. — Bags and talk with Tracy and Phil
1:30 p.m. — Family Health series: cardi-vascular risk factors
2 p.m. — Salon Glamour and Etiquette with Gloria: Hair dresses and avant-garde and hair pieces with Raphael Iabo
3 p.m. — Kendallwood Swim club
4 p.m. — Clarenceville schools
6 p.m. — Senior Messenger
7 p.m. — Seniors on the Move: comedian
7:30 p.m. — Farmington Hills Police Journal
8 p.m. — Salon Glamour and Etiquette with Gloria: Hair dresses and avant-garde, hair pieces with Raphael Iabo

9 p.m. — Dollars and sense: annuities/Strasberger
9:30 p.m. — Novi International festival

WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 30

10 a.m. — Capitol report
10:30 a.m. — Madonna Magazine
11 a.m. — Marc Country TV
11:30 a.m. — Amvets
Noon — The way the truth and the life
12:30 p.m. — Twelve Oaks Youth Pope Orchestra
1:30 p.m. — Mr. B's Farmington vs. WRIF
3 p.m. — Crisis in the modern family: survivors of alcoholism
4 p.m. — Cosmic Connection: Halloween
5 p.m. — Bags and talk with Tracy and Phil
6:30 p.m. — Novi International Festival
6 p.m. — Reaction news/business and editorial news
10:30 p.m. — P.S. Let's talk about it: cast member of One Life to Live

CITY OF FARMINGTON HILLS SUMMARY OF ORDINANCE

NOTICE OF ADOPTION OF ORDINANCE C-36-92, an ordinance to amend Chapter 26, Streets, Sidewalks, and Other Places, Article VIII, Drainage Courses, Division 3, Obstructions, Section 26-244, Increasing, Diverting Flow, to clarify the application of such section.

THE CITY OF FARMINGTON HILLS ORDAINS:

Section 1. Section 26-244, Increasing, Diverting Flow, of Division 3, Obstructions, of Article VIII, Drainage Courses, of Chapter 26, Streets, Sidewalks, and Other Places of the City Code of the City of Farmington Hills is hereby amended to read as follows:

26-244. Increasing Diverting Flow.

No person, other than a governmental agency authorized by law to manage drains, or storm water extensions, shall divert, reduce, obstruct or relocate any drain so as to cause such drain to discharge upon any property within the City, with increased force, in an increased amount, or at a different location without the express written consent of all parties in interest in the property upon which the drain is to discharge. Such consent shall be in recordable form and shall be recorded in the office of the County Register of Deeds.

Section 2. Repealer.
Section 3. Severability.
Section 4. Savings.
Section 5. Effective Date: October 12, 1992
Section 6. Enactment: September 21, 1992

KATHRYN A. DORNAN, City Clerk
City of Farmington Hills

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CITY OF FARMINGTON HILLS SUMMARY OF PROCEEDINGS CITY COUNCIL PUBLIC HEARING MEETING SEPTEMBER 21, 1992

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Jon Grant at 7:30 p.m. Members Present: Bates, Grant, Lieberman, Marks, Sever, Smith and Vagstad. Others Present: City Manager Costello, City Clerk Dornan, Assistant City Manager Call, Assistant Brook, Director Counigan, Consultant Costes and Attorneys Beckerleg and Donohue.

COUNCIL APPROVED:

- Amended cluster site plan and open space plan for property on the west side of Halsted Road, north of Twelve Mile Road.
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- Agreement to settle litigation relative to McPhan vs. City of Farmington Hills.
- Resolution approving a grant application from MDOT Enhancement Funds for the Farmington Road bike path.
- Amendment to the consent judgment for Green Valley Estates.
- Resolution supporting Western Oakland County Corridor Road Improvement and bike path improvements.
- Special event license for the Farmington Hills Recreation Division 10K Run on Sunday, October 4, 1992.

TAILED CONSIDERATION OF:

- Alley vacation in the Grand River Homes Subdivision.
- Extension of MetroVision's cable television franchise.
- A new Tavern license for Spring Garden Cafe.

INTRODUCED:

- Rezoning request 4-10-91, to rezone property on the south side of Thirteen Mile, west of Halsted Road, from R1C to RA-1.
- Zoning Text Amendment 4, 1992, Planned Unit Development Options.
- Rezoning Request 1-1-92, to rezone property located at 29338 Orchard Lake Road from B-1 to B-3.

ENACTED ORDINANCE:

- C-35-92, to define and regulate retail fraud.
- C-36-92, to clarify the requirements of Drainage Courses.

AWARDED BIDS FOR:

- Catch basin reconstruction at Chesapeake Road and Surrey Lane to Italia Construction, Inc. in the amount of \$9,025.
- Asphalt removal and replacement program to T & M Paving, Inc. in the amount of \$58,590.
- Repair of the retaining wall on Middlebelt Road to Vern & Gene Construction in the amount of \$9,476.

JON GRANT, Mayor
KATHRYN A. DORNAN, City Clerk

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CITY OF FARMINGTON COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS (Summary)

A regular meeting of the Farmington City Council was called to order by Mayor Hartsock at 8:00 p.m. on September 21, 1992, in Council Chambers, 23600 Liberty Street, Farmington, Michigan. Notice of the meeting was posted in compliance with Public Act 287-1976.

PRESENT: Campbell, Hartsock, McShane, Tupper.

ABSENT: Richardson.

OTHERS PRESENT: Director Billing, City Clerk/Treasurer Cantrell, City Manager Deudman, Director Lauboff, Deputy Clerk Schmidt, Adm. Assistant Schultz.

Minutes of the previous meeting of September 8, 1992 and Special Meeting minutes of September 8 and 15, 1992, were approved as written.

Council received SWANA Award for the City's Household Hazardous Waste Program.

Minutes of other boards were received and/or filed.

Council supported Senate Bill 843 re: "Build Michigan" program to rebuild Michigan highways.

Council granted outdoor sales permit to Flower Express on Orchard Lake Road. Council authorized relocation of exit doors for the Civic Theatre on Grand River.

Council issued a proclamation designating the week of October 25-31, 1992 as NATIONAL DOMESTIC VIOLENCE AWARENESS WEEK.

Council authorized contractor and engineering payments of \$178,898.80 to Posen Construction for work completed between August 1, and 31, 1992; \$16,094.00 to Black & Veatch, Architects/Engineers on the Sewer Improvement Project.

Council approved Change Order No. 8 for \$87,011.43 to Contract No. 2, Dan's Excavating, Inc. on the Sewer Improvement Project.

Council introduced Ordinance C-600-92 amending Zoning Ordinance regulating outside storage in industrial district and municipal building uses.

Council appointed Earl Billing, Director of Public Services, as contact person for Industrial Pretreatment Program.

Public comments were heard.

Council received the following Financial Reports for the period ending June 30, 1992:

- General Fund, 47th District Court, Water and Sewer Fund.
- Monthly bills were approved for payment.
- Meeting adjourned at 9:05 p.m.

WILLIAM S. HARTSOCK, Mayor
PATSY K. CANTRELL, City Clerk/Treasurer

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SOUTHWESTERN OAKLAND CABLE COMMISSION FOR THE CITIES OF FARMINGTON, NOVI AND FARMINGTON HILLS

PUBLIC HEARING MEETING NOTICE
45175 W. TEN MILE ROAD
NOVI, MICHIGAN 48275

COUNCIL CHAMBERS
WEDNESDAY - OCTOBER 14, 1992 7:30 P.M.

Please be advised that the Southwestern Oakland Cable Commission will hold a public hearing for the purpose of hearing public comment on the operation of the cable television, Metrovision of Oakland County, in the three cities on October 14, 1992 at 7:30 P.M. at the Novi City Offices located at 45175 W. Ten Mile Road, Novi, Michigan.

This is a public meeting and any interested person is invited to attend to address the commission or comments may be made in writing to the executive director at:

SOUTHWESTERN OAKLAND CABLE COMMISSION
2401 RESEARCH DRIVE
FARMINGTON HILLS, MICHIGAN 48335

Any comments received prior to the meeting will be read at this meeting. The public hearing may also be viewed "Live" on CATV Channel 13.

Respectfully Submitted,
LARK L. SAMOUELIAN,
Executive Director
Southwestern Oakland Cable Commission

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REGISTRATION NOTICE FOR GENERAL ELECTION TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 1992

To the Qualified Electors:
THE CITY OF FARMINGTON
COUNTY OF OAKLAND, STATE OF MICHIGAN

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I WILL BE IN MY OFFICE
23600 LIBERTY STREET, FARMINGTON, MICHIGAN
ON
MONDAY, OCTOBER 5, 1992 — LAST DAY
From 8:30 o'clock a.m. until 4:30 o'clock p.m.

For the purpose of receiving applications for registration of the qualified electors in said City.

No person whose registration is received after 4:30 p.m. on that date shall be entitled to vote in the election of November 3, 1992.

Applications for registration may be made to the City Clerk of the City of Farmington, or any Secretary of State office, or elsewhere as permitted by law.

The City Clerk's office is open weekdays from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. for the nomination and election of candidates for various offices, and proposals. Persons who are currently registered need not reregister.

PATSY K. CANTRELL,
City Clerk

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SUPER COUPON INSTALLATION SPECIAL
DELTA'S DETA FAUCET COMPANY KITCHEN FAUCET

\$119⁹⁵ ~~Reg. \$150⁰⁰~~

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